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Science Diplomacy of France and Poland – Cross Views and Research Perspectives

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Many states today claim science diplomacy in the exercise of their foreign policy. Within this rapidly expanding policy field, important research questions relate to the diversity of national approaches. In this context, the seminar will discuss recent theoretical and empirical research conducted on science diplomacy, with a particular focus on the experiences of France and Poland. The seminar should engage in comparative analysis, adopt a historical perspective and emphasize the normative and institutional-operational dimensions of the making of national models of science diplomacy.

The seminar will allow leading French and Polish scholars specializing in science diplomacy to meet and discuss in a collegial manner, which has never been done before. Moreover, science diplomacy practitioners' perspective will be taken into account by associating to the discussions representatives of French and Polish science diplomacy institutions such as foreign affairs services, sectoral ministries responsible for education, research and innovation policy, executive agencies, academies of sciences to name some of the science diplomacy stakeholders.



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Research seminar

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 PROGRAMME

9:45 – 12:30 **Analytical and historical aspects of science diplomacy**

Anna Umińska-Woronecka (Wrocław University)
Science Diplomacy versus Cultural Diplomacy: Poland and Hungary in a comparative perspective

Laurence Badel (University of Paris 1 Panthéon Sorbonne):
Branching and overlapping: challenges for a new post in Cold War embassies – The case of France

Léonard Laborie (CNRS, UMR Sirice, Paris)
A scientist dealing with diplomacy or a diplomat dealing with science? A view from the French first science attaché in Japan, 1964-1968

Marek Pietraś (Maria Curie-Skłodowska University, Lublin)
Climate diplomacy: the uncertainty factor in decision-making

Pascal Griset (Sorbonne University, Paris)
Reflexions on innovation diplomacy

14:00-17:30 *National practices and policy perspectives*

Monika Szkarłat (Maria Curie-Skłodowska University, Lublin)
Science diplomacy of Poland – Concepts and practices

Pierre-Bruno Ruffini
 (University of Le Havre-Normandie)
Science diplomacy as a national policy – A general analytical framework

Anna Plater-Zyberk (Polish Academy of Sciences)

15:30

Open discussion with representatives of Polish and French research institutes, academies and ministries

Science diplomacy from the perspective of science diplomacy practitioners

with Martine Roussel, Head of Unit for Academic and Scientific Partnerships Europe/Asia/North America (French MFA) and Anna Plater-Zyberk (Polish Academy of Sciences), Katarzyna Pisarska (Warsaw School of Economics, European Academy of Diplomacy)

17:00

Final discussion about research perspectives