



The Prague Agenda - Accomplishments and Challenges

Preliminary Programme

Tuesday, April 17

Venue: Czernin Palace, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Prague

8:30 - 9:00 *Registration*

9:00 **Opening Remarks**

Karel Schwarzenberg, Minister of Foreign Affairs of the Czech Republic

9:15 - 11:15

Panel I: New NPT Cycle - Almost Halfway Through

Chair: Jiří Schneider, First Deputy Minister of Foreign Affairs of the Czech Republic

Gary Samore, United States National Security Council, Special Assistant to the President and White House Coordinator for Arms Control and WMD, Proliferation and Terrorism

Sergey Ryabkov, Deputy Minister of Foreign Affairs of the Russian Federation (tbc)

Stefan Kordasch, Deputy Head of Division, Nuclear Arms Control and Non-Proliferation, Federal Foreign Office, Germany

Alison Kelly, Ambassador of Ireland to the Czech Republic (former Director for Disarmament and Non-Proliferation, Department of Foreign Affairs)

Camille Grand, Director of the Fondation pour la Recherche Stratégique, France

Discussion

11:15 - 11:30 *Coffee break*

11:30 - 13:30

Panel II: Nuclear Security: Challenges and Ways Forward

Chair: Dana Drábová, President of the Czech Republic State Office for Nuclear Safety

Hahn Choong-Hee, Sous-sherpa of the ROK for the Nuclear Security Summit

Khammar Mrabit, Director of the Office of Nuclear Security, International Atomic Energy Agency

Václav Bartuška, Ambassador at Large for Energy Security, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Czech Republic

Jason Tierney, Head of the CBRN Security Team, Counter-Proliferation Department, Directorate for Defence and International Security, the Foreign & Commonwealth Office, United Kingdom

Discussion

13:30 *Buffet lunch*