

## Conference: “Innovative technologies and renewed policies for achieving a Greener Defence”

The Center for International Studies (CeSI - Centro Studi Internazionali), in cooperation with the Finnish Institute of International Affairs (FIIA), and with the support of NATO’s Science for Peace and Security (SPS) Programme, is organizing a conference on “*Innovative technologies and renewed policies for achieving a Greener Defence*”, which will take place on 27-28 October, 2021. Following the path undertaken by NATO and several national governments, the project aims at addressing the key aspects related to shaping a more sustainable Defence sector and elaborate on the way forward.

The project comprises of a full day workshop open to the public (Day 1) and a closed-doors half-day brainstorming sessions between speakers divided in two different syndicates (Day 2), followed by a joint closing up session in which the two syndicates present their findings.

The overall goal of the initiative is to facilitate a discussion between highly professional experts on the innovative technologies and the new policies needed for achieving a Greener Defence.

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## Event Programme

### Full day Workshop - October 27, 2021

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10am-11.30am

#### Introductory Remarks

**Prof. Andrea Margelletti**, President, CeSI – Center for International Studies

**Dr. Deniz Beten**, Head of the NATO SPS programme

#### PANEL 1 – National experiences

Chairman: **Mr. Gabriele Iacovino**, Director, CeSI – Center for International Studies

- **Lt. Gen. Richard Nugee**, Non Executive Director for Climate Change for Defence, UK Ministry of Defence – “Why a Greener Defence is better”
- **Col. Robert Sipec**, Armament Division Head, Slovenian Ministry of Defence – “The Slovenian initiatives for a Greener Army”
- **Lt. Col. Paul van der Heul**, Chief Military Engineering Center or Expertise, Dutch Ministry of Defence – “Energy transition of the Netherlands Ministry of Defence”
- **Gen. Michele Giovanni Caccamo**, Director Task Force for real estate, energy and the environment, Italian Ministry of Defence – “The Italian initiatives for a Greener Defence”
- Q&A session

11.30am-1pm

#### PANEL 2 – The institutional framework

Chairman: **Dr. Emma Hakala**, Senior Research Fellow, FIIA - Finnish Institute of International Affairs

- **Ms. Claudia Canevari**, Head of Unit Energy Efficiency DG ENER, European Commission – “An overview of relevant EU sustainable energy initiatives”
- **Ms. Esra Buttanni**, Senior Advisor at the Office of the Co-ordinator of Economic and Environmental Activities, OSCE – “Climate change and security: a perspective from OSCE”
- **Mr. Lukas Trakimavicius**, Researcher at the Research and Lessons Learned Division, NATO Energy Security Centre of Excellence – “Energy Security in the 21st century: current trends & future security challenges”
- Q&A session

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**Pm**

**1.15pm-2.30pm**

**LUNCH BREAK**

**2.30pm-4.00pm**

**PANEL 3 – The role of the industry**

Chairman: **Mr. Richard Brewin**, Program manager in the Emerging Security Challenges Division, NATO

- **Mr. Marco Piredda**, Senior manager, Eni – “Developing Green Fuels: current applications and future perspectives”
- **Mr. Massimo Debenedetti**, VP of Research & Innovation at the Naval Business Unit, Fincantieri – “Fincantieri’s initiatives for realizing a Greener fleet”
- **Mr. Tommaso Pani**, Senior Vice President Marketing and Strategic Campaign Italy, Leonardo – “The role of Leonardo towards a Greener Defence sector”
- Q&A session

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