



BUCHAREST SECURITY CONFERENCE 2022

“Strengthening resilience in volatile times. New dimensions, new players, new perspectives”
16/17 September 2022

*Athenee Palace Hilton Bucharest (Regina Maria Hall)
Episcopiei Street 1-3, Bucharest*

DAY 1 September 16

8.00 – 8.45 Registration & welcome coffee

9.00- 9.10 Welcome speech: Prof. dr. Remus Pricopie, Rector of SNSPA

9.10 – 9.30 Keynote speech: Nicolae Ciuca, Prime Minister of Romania

9.30 - 11.20 Roundtable: A Hegemonic/Succession War? The nature/characteristics of the war in Ukraine and its significance for the present stage of transition

Moderator: Prof. dr. Vasile Secares, Founder, Former Rector SNSPA, Former Chief of Staff, Presidency of Romania

- Nicoleta Pauliuc, President, Committee for Defence, Public Order and National Security, Romanian Senate
- Prof. dr. Ioan Mircea Pascu, Former VP of the European Parliament, Former Minister of Defense of Romania
- Gen James Jones, Atlantic Council (online)
- Jamie Shea, Professor of Strategy and Security, University of Exeter (online)
- Prof. dr. Iulian Chifu, Security and Strategic Affairs Advisor to the Prime Minister of Romania
- Gen. prof. (R) Mihail Ionescu, SNSPA

Coffee break

11.30 – 13.30 Is the banking sector safer than during the global financial crisis?

Moderator: Prof. dr. Florin Georgescu, First Deputy Governor, National Bank of Romania

- Acad. Daniel Daianu, Chairman of the Fiscal Council, Romania
- Luminita Runcan, Deputy CEO Banca Transilvania
- Florin Dănescu, Executive President of the Romanian Association of Banks

Lunch

14.30 – 16.20 Security and resilience in the Black Sea region in the context of the war in Ukraine

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Moderator: Ovidiu Raetchi, President of the Euro-Atlantic Resilience Centre

- Ivanna Kuz, Center for European Policy Analysis (CEPA) (online)
- Major Jonathan E. Shaw, Chief, U.S. Defense Threat Reduction Agency, Regional Cooperative Engagement Office-Black Sea

- Suat Kınıklıoğlu, Former MP Turkish Parliament and Deputy Chairman of The Council for External Affairs (online)
- Dominik P. Jankowski, Political Adviser and Head of the Political Section at the Polish Permanent Representation at NATO (online)
- Dr. Iulia Sabina Joja, Middle East Institute (online)

Coffee break

16.30 – 18.20 Linking Europe at the Periphery - A more geopolitical European Union in times of conflict: prospects and challenges

* This panel is part of the Linking Europe at the Periphery Jean Monnet Network, project co-funded by the Erasmus + Programme, European Commission.

Moderator: Dr. Miruna Butnaru Troncota, Associate Professor, SNSPA (Romania)

- Dr. Başak Alpan - Associate Professor, Middle East Technical University, Ankara
- Dr. Giorgi Gvalia - Professor, Ilia State University, Tbilisi
- Dr. Afrim Hoti - Professor, University of Prishtina
- Dr. Ali Onur Özçelik - Associate Professor, Eskisehir Osmangazi University

19.30 Dinner – Award ceremony – National Bank of Romania (Entrance Str Doamnei, n. 8)

DAY 2 September 17

8.30– 9.00 Welcome coffee

9.00 Keynote speech: Simona Cojocaru, State Secretary, Ministry of National Defence, Romania

9.30 – 11.00 Military adaptation and emerging challenges in volatile times

Moderator: Mircea Mindrescu, Chair of the Executive Academic Board (EAB) at the European Security and Defence College (ESDC)

- Bret Schafer (USA, Alliance for Securing Democracy) (online)
- Prof. dr. Cristina Ivan, Director, National Institute for Intelligence Studies “Mihai Viteazul”, National Intelligence Academy
- Dr. Dan Sultanescu, Director CPD SNSPA
- Vladimir Ionaş, Avangarde Socio-Behavioural Studies Group

Coffee break

11.15 – 13.15 The Republic of Moldova – foreign policy and security strategy under imminent threat

Moderator: Gen. prof. (R) Mihail Ionescu, SNSPA

- Vladimir Socor, Senior Fellow, The Jamestown Foundation
- Mihai Gribincea, Former Ambassador of Moldova to NATO
- Dr. George Niculescu, Head of Research, The European Geopolitical Forum (online)
- Dr. Angela Gramada, Experts for Security and Global Affairs

Lunch

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