



**The Warsaw Workshop:
Prospects for information sharing and confidence building
on Non-Strategic Nuclear Weapons in Europe**

Workshop Venue

**InterContinental Hotel,
49 Emilii Plater Street, Warsaw**

7-8 February 2013

PROGRAMME

Language of the workshop: English

7 February (Thursday)

8.45-9.15 Registration and welcome coffee

9.15-10.00 Opening Session

- Welcoming remarks by **Marcin Zaborowski, PISM Director**
- Opening Address by **H.E. Bogusław Winid, Undersecretary of State, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Poland**
- Opening Address by **H.E. Torgeir Larsen, State Secretary, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Norway**
- Opening Address by **Hon. Rose E. Gottemoeller, Acting Under Secretary of State, U.S. Department of State**

10.00-10.45 Plenary Session I: State of the Play

Moderator: **Paal Sigurd Hilde**, Head of Centre for Norwegian and European Security,
Norwegian Institute for Defence Studies

Introductory remarks:

- **Fred S. Frederickson**, Director, Nuclear Policy Directorate, NATO
NATO's position on non-strategic nuclear weapons: 2010 Strategic concept, DDPN and the follow-up activities
- **Vladimir Kozin**, Corresponding Member, Russian Academy of Natural Science, Leading Researcher, Russian Institute for Strategic Studies, Member, Interagency Working Group on BMD issues with NATO, Presidential Administration
Russian approach to non-strategic nuclear weapons and confidence building prospects

10.45-11.00 **Coffee Break**

**Break-up into Three Working Groups,
working simultaneously on the same set of topics**

11.00-12.30 **Working Groups Session: Focus on definitions and doctrines**

- *Is there a common understanding of which systems are encompassed by the term Non-Strategic Nuclear Weapons?*
- *What is the best way to discuss the role NSNW plays in the doctrines of NATO and Russia?*

12.30-13.30 **Lunch**

13.30-15.00 **Working Groups Session: Possible scope and conditions for information sharing, transparency measures, and verification**

- *What are the benefits and costs of greater information sharing regarding non-strategic nuclear forces in Europe?*
- *What lessons can be learned from previous transparency and verification initiatives?*
- *Which confidence building and information sharing measures should be the focus of first steps?*

15.00-15.15 **Coffee Break**

15.15-16.45 **Working Groups Session: Wider political and strategic context**

- *How can NSNW transparency and confidence building help advance European security goals?*

- *What topics related to NSNW based in Europe should NATO and Russia make a priority to better understand each other and promote confidence and security?*

19.00 **Reception** (hosted by the Polish Ministry of Foreign Affairs)

Venue: Foksal Palace, Foksal Street 6

Keynote speaker: **Jacek Bylica**, Head, WMD Non-Proliferation Centre, NATO International Staff and Co-Chairman, NATO-Russia Council's Working Group on Arms Control, Disarmament and Non-Proliferation

8 February (Friday)

9.30-11.00 Plenary Session II: Reports from the Working Groups

Moderator: **Andrei Zagorski**, Professor, Moscow State Institute of International Relations (University) of the MFA of Russia (MGIMO); Director, Arms Control and Conflict Resolution Studies, IMEMO RAS, Moscow

- **Working Group 1** report
- **Working Group 2** report
- **Working Group 3** report

Discussion

11.00-11.30 **Coffee break**

11.30-12.30 Closing Session: Next steps in promoting information sharing and confidence building – assessing the results of the workshop

Moderator: **Paul Schulte**, Non-Resident Senior Associate, Carnegie Europe and Carnegie Nuclear Policy

Introductory remarks:

- **Malcolm Chalmers**, Research Director, Royal United Services Institute (RUSI)
- **Sergey Rogov**, Director of the Institute for USA and Canadian Studies, Russian Academy of Sciences

Discussion

12.30-13.30 **Lunch**

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