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**Seminar on NATO Integration:  
 Next Enlargement and its Implications in SEE**

The purpose of this seminar is to support the integration process of aspiring SEE countries to NATO.

Objectives are:

- To project short and mid-term political developments in the region and beyond;
- To examine regional prospective of NATO enlargement;
- To promote NATO partnership-and accession-tools (IPAP, MAP) as means of enhancement of reform efforts;

Time	Event	Location
<b>Tuesday, 01<sup>st</sup> December 2009</b>		
-----	Arrival of the participants/lecturers at RACVIAC	Hotel "Rakitje"
19.00 – 21.00	<b>Welcome dinner</b> in Barbara Club organized by RACVIAC Reception, hosted by RACVIAC Depute Director <b>Colonel Željko CEPANEC</b>	Barbara Club

<b>Wednesday, 02<sup>nd</sup> December 2009</b>		
09.00– 09.20	<b>Welcome Remarks</b> <b>Speaker: Colonel Željko CEPANEC</b> , Depute Director of RACVIAC - Centre for Security Cooperation	Seminar Room
09.20 – 09.50	<b>Keynote Speech: The enlargement policy of NATO towards the SEE</b> <i>This presentation will provide general information about the current and future role of NATO in the SEE region, taking into account the prospect of further enlargement decisions being taken at NATO's summit in Bucharest in 2008 in order to set the stage for further proceedings of the seminar.</i> <b>Speaker: Colonel Nicolas KOTCHINE</b> Deputy Military Cooperation Division, Joint Force Command Naples (NATO)	Seminar Room
09.50 – 10.00	Questions and Answers Session	

Wednesday, 02 <sup>nd</sup> December 2009 (continued)		
<b>SESSION 1 - ROLE OF NATO AND PRIORITIES FOR SEE</b> <b>Moderator: Colonel Nicolas KOTCHINE</b> <b>Deputy Military Cooperation Division, Joint Force Command Naples (NATO)</b>		
10.00 – 10.30	<b>NATO as actor of stability and cooperation in SEE and the wider region</b> <i>This presentation will provide the NATO's historic success in advancing stability and cooperation and bringing us closer to our common goal of a Europe whole and free, united in peace, democracy and common values.</i> <b>Speaker: Mr. Rohan MAXWELL,</b> Head of the Politico-Military Advisory Section of the NATO HQ Sarajevo	Seminar Room
10.30 – 10.40	Questions and Answers Session	
10.40 – 11.10	<b>Group Photograph and Coffee Break</b>	Foyer
11.10 – 11.40	<b>Alliance priorities: “Keeping the door open” re: membership and partnership</b> <i>This presentation will focus on strategic developments in the region what needs to be done going forward and how the partnership among the countries can play to help en-sure stability and prosperity in this critical region.</i> <b>Speaker: Mr. Sabri ERGEN,</b> Action Officer, Defence Policy and Planning Division, Defence Policy and Partnership Section, NATO HQ	Seminar Room
11.40 – 11.50	Questions and Answers Session	
11.50 – 12.20	<b>Prospects for closer NATO-EU cooperation and a broader comprehensive approach-strategy for the SEE</b> <i>This presentation will consider the current state of affairs on co-operation between EU and NATO and the prospects for more close cooperation in the SEE.</i> <b>Speaker: Ms. Esra DOĞAN GRAJOWER</b> Head of Section NATO and Euro-Atlantic Security and Defence Affairs, MFA of TR	Seminar Room
12.20 – 12.30	Questions and Answers Session	
12.30 – 14.00	<b>Lunch</b>	Restaurant “Rakitje”
<b>SESSION 2 - SEE TOWARDS EURO-ATLANTIC INTEGRATION</b> <b>Moderator: Mr. Sabri ERGEN,</b> <b>Action Officer, Defence Policy and Planning Division, Defence Policy and Partnership Section, NATO HQ</b>		
14.00 – 14.30	<b>Individual Partnership Action Plan (IPAP) as mean of enhancement of reform efforts</b> <i>This presentation will give general information about the assistance and practical support, which the plans provide, tailored to the individual needs of countries wishing to join the Alliance</i> <b>Speaker: Colonel Kenan DAUTOVIĆ,</b> Advisor to the Minister of Defence in BA	Seminar Room
14.30 – 14.40	Questions and Answers Session	

Wednesday, 02 <sup>nd</sup> December 2009 (continued)		
14.40 – 15.10	<b>Coffee Break</b>	Foyer
15.10 – 15.40	<p><b>Membership Action Plan (MAP) as mean of enhancement of reform efforts</b></p> <p><i>This presentation will give general information about the assistance and practical support, which the plans provide, tailored to the individual needs of countries wishing to join the Alliance</i></p> <p><b>Speaker: Colonel Slobodan TODOROVSKI,</b> Head of Department for policy and planning in the MoD of MK</p>	Seminar Room
15.40 – 15.50	Questions and Answers Session	
15.50– 16.20	<p><b>NATO's next round of enlargement and the SEE</b></p> <p><i>This presentation will address the future prospects of NATO integration in the short term and the challenges it faces the SEE countries on the road to NATO.</i></p> <p><b>Speaker: Dr. Dragan LOZANČIĆ</b> Professor, College of International and Security Studies George C. Marshall European Center for Security Studies, Germany</p>	Seminar Room
16.20 – 16.30	Questions and Answers Session	
16.30 – 16.45	Closing Remarks and provision of the Participation Certificates	