

# Polish and Czech Security Policy: a (No)Discrepancy Report | debate

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## AGENDA

- 9.00–9.15** Welcoming address, introduction to the debate  
» **Małgorzata Bonikowska**, PhD, CIR
- 9.15–11.15** **PANEL I: Poland and the Czech Republic in the context of the changing EU security framework**  
Moderators: **Małgorzata Bonikowska**, PhD, CIR; **Benjamin Tallis**, PhD, IIR
- EU strategy in light of new challenges in the East and the South
  - EU policy towards Russia vs European solidarity
  - The future of the Eastern Partnership and the European Neighbourhood Policy
- 11.15–11.30** Coffee break
- 11.30–13.30** **PANEL II: Poland and the Czech Republic towards the strengthening of the NATO military presence in the region**  
Moderators: **Małgorzata Bonikowska**, PhD, CIR; **Michał Simecka**, PhD, IIR
- Strategic strengthening of the Eastern flank of the Alliance
  - Polish and Czech involvement in the NATO military initiatives
  - The execution of allied obligations on the internal platform
- 13.30–14.30** Lunch
- 14.30–16.30** **PANEL III: Poland and the Czech Republic towards the confrontation between Russia and the West and the Ukrainian conflict**  
Moderators: **Benjamin Tallis**, PhD, IIR; **Michał Szczygielski**, CIR
- political platform
  - economic platform
  - the future of the Visegrad Group
- 16.30–17.00** Conclusions and recommendations  
» **Benjamin Tallis**, PhD, IIR; **Michał Szczygielski**, CIR



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