

THE LEGACY OF PEACE

25 Years of the Dayton-Paris Peace Agreement



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Participants either will be present at the National University Library or will be using Video Teleconference. All times are in Central European Time (CET).

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Programme

The Legacy of Peace 25 Years of the Dayton-Paris Peace Agreement

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Opening

Velimir Neidhardt
 President of the Croatian Academy of Sciences and Arts
 Introductory Remarks:

 Andrej Plenković
 Prime Minister of the Republic of Croatia

 Josep Borrell Fontelles

 High Representative of the European Union for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy / Vice President (video message)

Looking back - Building Blocks of Peace

Panel 1 15:00-16:25

From the Washington to the Dayton Agreement: What made Peace possible?

Mate Granić

Foreign Minister of Croatia during the Washington and Dayton talks

• Haris Silajdžić

Former Member of the Presidency of Bosnia and Herzegovina, Prime Minister of BiH during the Washington and Dayton talks

• General Wesley Clark

Former NATO Supreme Allied Commander Europe, US military representative at the Dayton talks

• Miomir Žužul

Former Foreign Minister of Croatia, member of the Croatian negotiating team at the Dayton talks

Christopher Hill

Ambassador, Richard Holbrooke's deputy at the Dayton talks

Moderator: Robin Harris

Historian and former adviser to UK Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher

Looking ahead – Creating Room for Compromise

Panel 2 16:30-17:55

Linking the Principle of three Constituent Peoples and the Sejdić-Finci judgement: What is the way forward?

• Christopher McCrudden

Professor of Human Rights and Equality Law, Queen's University Belfast

• Brendan O'Leary

Lauder Professor of Political Science, University of Pennsylvania

Kasim Trnka

Professor of Constitutional Law, University of Sarajevo, chief legal counselor of the BiH delegation at the Washington and Dayton talks

Dražen Barbarić

Assistant Professor of Political Science, University of Mostar

Marko Prelec

Consulting analyst, International Crisis Group

• Edward P. Joseph

Professorial Lecturer, Johns Hopkins School of Advanced International Studies

Moderator: Tihomir Vinković

Chief Foreign Affairs Editor, HRT Croatian Radiotelevision

Remarks by Foreign Ministers

18:10 - 18:25

Jean-Yves Le Drian

Minister of Europe and Foreign Affairs, France (video message)

Sergei Lavrov

Minister of Foreign Affairs, Russia - video message (video message)

Panel 3 18:30-20:00

Euro-Atlantic Commitment to Bosnia and Herzegovina

Gordan Grlić Radman

Minister of Foreign and European Affairs, Croatia

• Olivér Várhelyi

Commissioner for Neighbourhood and Enlargement, European Commission (video message)

• Zlatko Lagumdžija

Former Prime Minister and Former Minister of Foreign Affairs of Bosnia and Herzegovina

• Nikola Špirić

Chairman of the House of Peoples of Bosnia and Herzegovina

• Dragan Čović

Vice- Chairman of the House of Peoples of Bosnia and Herzegovina

Miroslav Lajčák

EU Special Representative for the Belgrade-Pristina Dialogue and other Western Balkan regional issues (video message)

Željana Zovko

Vice-Chair of the Committee on Foreign Affairs of the European Parliament

• W. Robert Kohorst

Ambassador of the United States of America to Zagreb (video message)

Moderator: Vanja Gavran

Deputy Secretary General of the International Pan-European Union

