Life after START: New Challenges, New Opportunities

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8:45–9:00 a.m.  Opening remarks by Henry Sokolski
Nonproliferation Policy Education Center (NPEC)

9:00–10:30 a.m.  Panel 1: Asian Challenges

Title: China and the Emerging Pacific Strategic Competition in Long-Range Precision Strike and Space Capabilities
Speaker: Mark Stokes, Project 2049 Institute
Commentator: Jim Thomas, CSBA

Panel papers for discussion:
Evolving Aerospace Trends in the Asia-Pacific Region
The Asia-Pacific’s Emerging Missile Defense and Military Space Competition

Title: Asian Drivers of Russian Nuclear Force Structure
Speaker: Jacob Kipp, former Deputy Director, U.S. Army School of Advanced Military Studies
Commentator: Phillip Karber, Georgetown University

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<td><strong>Panel 2: Potential Remedial Approaches</strong></td>
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|              |                                                                            | **Title:** Space Keep Out Zones: Arms Control that Might Just Work                               | Paul Kozemchak, DARPA             | Jeff Kueter, George C. Marshall Institute | **Panel papers for discussion:**  
Arms Control That Could Work  
Self-Defense Zones in Space  
Treaty on Self Defense Zones                                         |
| 12:10–1:30 p.m. | **Lunch Discussion: Plutonium, Proliferation and Radioactive-Waste Politics in East Asia** | **Speakers:** Jungmin Kang, Stanford Institute for Economic Policy Research; Thomas Cochran, Natural Resource Defense Council; Daniel Blumenthal, AEI |                                   |                                  | **Panel paper for discussion:** Plutonium, Proliferation and Radioactive-Waste Politics in East Asia |
| 1:30–3:00 p.m. | **Panel 3: Stability in Southwest Asia**                         | **Title:** Nuclear Weapons Stability or Anarchy in the 21st Century: China, India, and Pakistan   | Thomas W. Graham, Brookhaven National Laboratory | George Perkovich, Carnegie Endowment | **Panel paper for discussion:** Nuclear Weapons Stability or Anarchy in the 21st Century: China, India, and Pakistan |
|              |                                                                            | **Title:** Prospects for Indian and Pakistani Arms Control and Confidence Building Measures      | Zachary Davis, Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory | Ashley Tellis, Carnegie Endowment | **Panel paper for discussion:** Prospects for Indian and Pakistani Arms Control and Confidence Building Measures |
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3:10–5:00 p.m.  Panel 4: Nuclear Developments in the Middle East

**Title:** Nuclear Proliferation in the Middle East and Key Determinates of Nuclear Developments in the Middle East  
**Speaker:** Douglas Frantz, Senate Foreign Relations Committee  
**Commentator:** Patrick Clawson, Washington Institute for Near East Policy

**Panel papers for discussion:**  
- After Iran: Prospects for Nuclear Proliferation in North Africa  
- Nuclear Proliferation Prospects in the Middle East to 2025  
- Off and Running: The Middle East Nuclear Arms Race

**Title:** The First Blink: Kissinger and Nixon Give Israel’s Nuclear Weapons Program a Pass  
**Speaker:** Victor Gilinsky, former Commissioner 1976-1982, U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission  
**Commentator:** Sasha Polakow-Suransky, Council on Foreign Relations