

SHIELDING TOMORROW: CSDP AND DEFENCE DEVELOPMENTS IN CENTRAL EUROPE

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DATE OF THE CONFERENCE

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VENUE OF THE CONFERENCE

CEA - Diósgyőr auditorium
(Major Udvar Office Building, HU-1122 Budapest, Városmajor utca 12-14.)

CONCEPT

Presentation of the results of the research conducted by members of the research group entitled Common defence policy - the legal framework for the development of the European defence industry within the period between 1 August 2023 and 31 January 2024, which focuses on the key questions connected to the Common Security and Defence Policy in the light of the development of European defence industry.

The 'Shielding Tomorrow: CSDP and Defence Developments in Central Europe' conference is organised within the framework of the collaboration with the Ministry of EU Affairs in preparation for the Hungarian EU Presidency in 2024.

PARTNERS

Ferenc MádI Institute of Comparative Law,
Faculty of Law of the University of Miskolc,
Central European Association for Comparative Law,

09.30 - 10.00

**REGISTRATION
WELCOME COFFEE**

SECTION 1

Moderator: Prof. Dr. Paweł Czubik, Full Professor, Cracow University of Economics; Supreme Court of the Republic of Poland, Poland

10.00 - 10.10

OPENING SPEECH

Dr. Katarzyna Zombory, Senior Researcher, Central European Academy, Hungary

10.10 - 10.40

INTRODUCTION OF THE CEA PROGRAMMES

Prof. Dr. János Ede Szilágyi, Strategy Director, Central European Academy; Full Professor, University of Miskolc, Hungary

10.40 - 11.00

KEYNOTE SPEECH: CONSTITUTIONAL AND EUROPEAN LEGAL RULES FOR ARMAMENTS QUALITY AND PRESENTATION OF ALTERNATIVE PROCUREMENT WAYS FOR EU- AND NATO- STATES

Dr. Karl-Heinz Gimmler, CEO, Gimmler Law Company und Gimmler Logistics Foundation; Lieutenant Colonel (Res), German Armed Forces, Germany

11.00 - 11.20

THE EU'S COMMON SECURITY AND DEFENCE POLICY (CSDP) IN THE LIGHT OF NATIONAL DEFENCE POLICIES: WHAT IS THE WAY FORWARD?

Prof. Dr. Anna Éva Molnár, Full Professor, Public Service University - Ludovika, Hungary

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- 11.20 - 11.40 **DEVELOPMENT OF NEW MILITARY TECHNOLOGIES IN THE EU**
 Prof. ASzWoj Dr. Andrzej Pawlikowski, Brigadier General; University Professor; Director of the Strategic Studies Institute; University Ombudsman, War Studies University, Poland
- 11.40 - 12.00 **DISCUSSION**
- 12.00 - 13.30 **LUNCH BREAK**

SECTION 2

Moderator: Dr. János Székely, Associate Professor, Sapientia Hungarian University of Transylvania, Romania

- 13.30 - 13.50 **LEGAL BASIS OF CSDP WITH PARTICULAR EMPHASIZES ON THE ROLE OF CJEU**
 Dr. Krzysztof Masło, Assistant Professor, Cardinal Stefan Wyszyński University in Warsaw, Poland
- 13.50 - 14.10 **TRENDS AND DRIVERS OF EUROPEAN DEFENSE INDUSTRIAL COOPERATION FOR THE 2020S**
 Dr. Tamás Csiki Varga, Senior Researcher, Institute for Strategic and Defense Studies; Public Service University - Ludovika, Hungary
- 14.10 - 14.30 **DEVELOPING THE DEFENCE INDUSTRY: THE BUSINESS OF DEFENCE**
 Bálint Kovács, Assistant Professor, University of Szeged, Hungary
- 14.30 - 14.50 **FUTURE TECHNOLOGICAL BATTLEFIELD AND ITS DUAL-USE ASPECTS.**
 Dr. Jan Mazal, Colonel; Associate Professor, University of Defense, Czech Republic
- 14.50 - 15.10 **DISCUSSION**
- 15.10 - 15.40 **COFFEE BREAK**

SECTION 3

Moderator: Dr. Katarzyna Zombory, Senior Researcher, Central European Academy, Hungary

- 15.40 - 16.00 **DUAL-USE TECHNOLOGIES (CIVIL AND MILITARY); EMERGING AND DISRUPTIVE TECHNOLOGIES - FROM THE LEGAL PERSPECTIVE**
Dr. János Székely, Associate Professor, Sapientia Hungarian University of Transylvania, Romania
- 16.00 - 16.20 **THE USE OF ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE-ENABLED SYSTEMS BY MODERN ARMED FORCES AND RELATED CONCERNS**
Prof. Dr. Iztok Prezelj, Full Professor; Dean of the Faculty of Social Sciences, University of Ljubljana, Slovenia
- 16.20 - 16.40 **KEY LEGAL CHALLENGES FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF DEFENCE-ORIENTED AI SYSTEMS IN EUROPE**
Dr. Marko Jurić, Associate Professor, University of Zagreb, Croatia
- 16.40 - 17.00 **DISCUSSION**
- 17.00 - 17.10 **CLOSING OF THE DAY**
Prof. Dr. János Ede Szilágyi, Strategy Director, Central European Academy; Director, Ferenc Mádl Institute of Comparative Law; Full Professor, University of Miskolc, Hungary

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SECTION 4

Moderator: Dr. Karl-Heinz Gimmler, CEO, Gimmler law company und Gimmler Logistics Foundation; Lieutenant Colonel (Res), German Armed Forces, Germany

- 10.00 - 10.20 **CHALLENGES OF PRACTICAL SPACE OPERATIONS UNDER THE OST - SELECTED CASE STUDIES**
Attila Horváth, Lieutenant Colonel, Branch Head, Defence General Staff, Hungary
- 10.20 - 10.40 **THE ROLE OF THE UN AND EU IN REGULATING MILITARY AND DEFENSE USE OF OUTER SPACE**
Prof. ALK Dr. Katarzyna Malinowska, Associate Professor, Kozminski University, Poland
- 10.40 - 11.00 **UNMANNED MILITARY SYSTEMS - A TECHNOLOGY OF COUNTLESS POSSIBILITIES AND CHALLENGES**
Dr. Zvonko Trzun, Colonel, Associate Professor, University of Defense and Security, Croatia
- 11.00 - 11.20 **NAVIGATING THE LEGAL LANDSCAPE OF MILITARY UNMANNED PLATFORMS: FROM DEFINITIONS TO RESPONSIBILITY AND HUMAN RIGHTS**
Dr. Kaja Kowalczevska, Assistant Professor, University of Wrocław, Poland
- 11.20 - 11.40 **DISCUSSION**
- 11.40 - 13.10 **LUNCH BREAK**

SECTION 5

Moderator: Bálint Kovács, Assistant Professor, University of Szeged, Hungary

- 13.10 - 13.30 **CYBERWARFARE ATTACKS - SUBSTANTIVE LAW AND LEGAL DEFINITIONS**
Prof. Dr. Miha Šepec, Associate Professor, University of Maribor, Slovenia
- 13.30 - 13.50 **RELATION OF INFORMATION WARFARE TO OTHER SIMILAR TYPES OF WARFARES**
Dr. Stjepan Groš, Associate Professor, University of Zagreb, Croatia
- 13.50 - 14.10 **BETWEEN WAR AND PEACE: LEGAL ASSESSMENT OF HYBRID THREATS AND WARFARE**
Dr. Katarzyna Zombory, Senior Researcher, Central European Academy, Hungary
- 14.10 - 14.30 **MODERN TECHNOLOGIES AND TECHNICAL STANDARDS DEVELOPMENT**
Dr. Tomasz Kisielewicz, Assistant Professor, Warsaw University of Technology, Poland
- 14.30 - 14.50 **DISCUSSION**
- 14.50 - 15.20 **COFFEE BREAK**

SECTION 6

Moderator: Prof. Dr. János Ede Szilágyi, Strategy Director, Central European Academy; Director, Ferenc Mádl Institute of Comparative Law; Full Professor, University of Miskolc, Hungary

- 15.20 - 15.40 **SELECTED LEGAL ISSUES RELATED TO THE PROTECTION OF CRITICAL INFRASTRUCTURE**
Dr. Grzegorz Ociecek, Colonel; Retired Prosecutor of the National Prosecutor's Office; Assistant Professor, Cardinal Stefan Wyszyński University in Warsaw, Poland
- 15.40 - 16.00 **CYBER INCIDENTS AND RESPONDING TO THEM**
Prof. AWL Dr. Barbara Kaczmarczyk, Colonel; Vice-Rector; Associate Professor, General Tadeusz Kosciuszko Military University of Land-Forces in Wrocław, Poland
- 16.00 - 16.20 **DISCUSSION**
- 16.20 - 16.30 **CLOSING OF THE CONFERENCE**
Prof. Dr. János Ede Szilágyi, Strategy Director, Central European Academy; Director, Ferenc Mádl Institute of Comparative Law; Full Professor, University of Miskolc, Hungary

