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## PROGRAM

### “Geopolitics and Economic Developments for Europe”

**Tuesday, 30<sup>th</sup> of May 2017**

**10.00 – 13.00h**

**Hotel Dubrovnik Zagreb**

- 10.00 h      Welcome Speeches:  
**Michael Lange, Ph.D.**  
Konrad-Adenauer-Stiftung, Zagreb  
**Prof. Lidija Kos Stanišić, Ph.D.**  
Dean of the Faculty of Political Science, University of Zagreb
- 10.20 h      Opening lecture: “Contemporary Geopolitical Issues”  
**Asst. Prof. Marta Zorko, Ph.D.**  
Vice-Dean of the Faculty of Political Science, University of Zagreb
- 10.40 h      Lecture: “The Geopolitics of Energy”  
**Prof. Vlatko Cvrtila, Ph.D.**  
Dean of the University of Applied Science “VERN” and Member of the Homeland Security Council of the President of Croatia
- 11.00 h      Lecture: “Current Challenges of Energy and Climate Policy in the EU”  
**Frank Umbach, Ph.D.**  
Research Director of the European Centre for Energy and Resource Security, King’s College, London; Associate Senior Fellow, Centre for European Security Strategies (CESS) GmbH, Munich
- 11.20 h      **Panel-Discussion:**  
**“Strategic Resources and the Future Development for Europe”**



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Panelists:

**Frank Umbach, Ph.D.**

Research Director of the European Centre for Energy and Resource Security, King's College, London

**Prof. Luka Brkić, Ph.D.**

Faculty of Political Science, University of Zagreb

**Asst. Prof. Mišo Mudrić, Ph.D.**

Faculty of Law, University of Zagreb

**Asst. Prof. Robert Mikac, Ph.D.**

Faculty of Political Science, University of Zagreb

**Darko Pavlović, Ph.D.**

Research Associate; Advisor to the President of the Board, PLINACRO (Gas Transmission System Operator)

**Anđelko Brezovnjački, M.Sc.**

Member of Matica Hrvatska (Matrix Croatica)

Moderator: **Asst. Prof. Marta Zorko, Ph.D.**

- 12.20 h Q & A – Discussion with Audience
- 12.40 h Conclusions
- 13.00 h Coffee and Snacks

- Working languages: English – Croatian –  
(with simultaneous interpretation)