

Seminar
in the Framework of the Austrian EU Presidency

**POST-CONFLICT PEACEBUILDING:
TOWARDS A COMPREHENSIVE APPROACH IN
STATE AND INSTITUTION BUILDING**

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International Peace Academy



36th International Peace Academy Vienna Seminar on Peacemaking and Peacekeeping

Sunday, May 28

till 13:30	Check in at the Hotels
14:30 – 15:00	Transport from the hotels to the National Defence Academy
15:00 – 15:30	Introduction Remarks by the Program Chairs Terje Rød-Larsen, President, International Peace Academy (conf.) General Raimund Schittenhelm, Commandant, Austrian National Defence Academy (conf.) Ambassador Jiri Grusa, Director, Diplomatic Academy Vienna (conf.)
15:30 – 17:00	Keynote presentations: <i>Post-Conflict Peacebuilding – towards a Comprehensive Approach in State and Institution Building</i> Chair: General Raimund Schittenhelm, Commandant, Austrian National Defence Academy Keynote Speakers: <i>From Peacekeeping to Peacebuilding: a View from the UN</i> Lieutenant-General Randhir Kumar Mehta, Military Adviser, Department of Peacekeeping Operations, United Nations (conf.) <i>The EU as an Actor in Peacebuilding</i> H.E. Amb. Robert Cooper, Director General for External and Politico-Military Affairs, Council of the European Union (conf.) Intervention: Othmar Karas, European Parliament, Vice Chairman, Group of the European People's Party (Christian Democrats) and European Democrats (conf.) Discussion
17:00 – 18:30	Reception hosted by the National Defence Academy at the Officers' Mess
18:30 –	Transport to the hotels

Monday, May 29

Great Hall, Diplomatic Academy Vienna

09:00 – 10:45 **Panel One: *Taking Stock: Theories and Concepts of Peacebuilding***

Chair: Terje Rød-Larsen, President, International Peace Academy

Panel: *The Evolution of Peacebuilding as a Concept*

Dr. Elizabeth Cousens, Vice President, International Peace Academy (conf.)

From Intervention to Exit Strategies: Setting Practical Parameters for Peacebuilding

Renata Dwan, Peacekeeping Best Practices Unit, United Nations Department of Peacekeeping Operations (conf.)

Discussion

10:45 – 11:15 **Break**

11:15 – 13:00 **Panel Two: *Stabilisation: From Security to Democracy***

Chair: Prof. Melanie A. Sully, Diplomatic Academy Vienna (conf.)

Panel: *The Security Gap in Peacebuilding: SSR, DDR and Rule of Law*

Brigadier General Horst-Heinrich Brauss, Head, CivMil Cell, Brussels (conf.)

Developing Civil Societies: Democratization and Legitimacy

H.E. Amb. Christian Strohal, Director, OSCE Office for Democratic Institutions and Human Rights (conf.)

Discussion

13:00 – 14:00 **Lunch**

14:00 – 15:00 **Introduction to the Breakout Groups 1 – 3**

Chair: General Raimund Schittenhelm, Commandant, Austrian National Defence Academy

Presenters:

1. *Developing Capacities in Security Governance Actors and Institutions*

Alan Bryden, Deputy Head Research, Geneva Centre for the Democratic Control of Armed Forces (conf.)

2. *The Politics of Peacebuilding: Current Trends*

Marc de Bourcy, Strategic Planning Unit, Executive Office of the Secretary-General, United Nations (conf.)

3. *Peacebuilding without Peace: When Armed Conflict Persists*

Brigadier General Karl-Alexander Wohlgemuth, Military Adviser, UNAMA (conf.)

15.00 –

Breakout Groups 1 – 3

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Alan Bryden, Deputy Head Research, Geneva Centre for the Democratic Control of Armed Forces (conf.) and Moderator Anja Ebnoether, Assistant Director, Geneva Centre for the Democratic Control of Armed Forces (conf.)

2. *The Politics of Peacebuilding: Current Trends*

Marc de Bourcy, Strategic Planning Unit, Executive Office of the Secretary-General, United Nations (conf.) and Moderator Vanessa Hawkins Wyeth, Program Officer, International Peace Academy (conf.)

3. *Peacebuilding without Peace: When Armed Conflict Persists*

Brigadier General Karl-Alexander Wohlgemuth, Military Adviser, UNAMA (conf.) and Moderator Richard Gowan, Center on International Cooperation, New York University (conf.)

18:30 –

Departure for Reception and Dinner given by the Austrian Federal Ministry of Defense at the Museum of the Military History

EU-Presidency Book launch of the

Annual Review of Global Peace Operations

on the occasion of the

International Day of United Nations Peacekeepers

Words of Welcome

Brigadier General Wolfgang Wosolsobe, Policy Director, Austrian Federal Ministry of Defence (conf.)

Address on behalf of the Austrian Federal Ministry of Defence

General Roland Ertl, Chief of Defence Staff, Austrian Federal Ministry of Defence (conf.)

Address on behalf of the United Nations Department of Peacekeeping Operations

Lieutenant-General Randhir Kumar Mehta, Military Adviser, Department of Peacekeeping Operations, United Nations (conf.)

Introduction of the Annual Review of Global Peace Operations

Richard Gowan, Center on International Cooperation, New York University (conf.)

Tuesday, May 30

Great Hall, Diplomatic Academy Vienna

09:00 – 10:45 Panel Three: *The Peacebuilding Commission: Actors, Roles and Responsibilities*

Chair: Dr. Elizabeth Cousens, Vice President, International Peace Academy (conf.)

Panel: *The New Peacebuilding Architecture*

Dr. Abiodun Williams, Director, Strategic Planning Unit, Executive Office of the Secretary-General, United Nations (conf.)

Donor Coordination and Commitment in Peacebuilding

Ms. Sarah Cliffe, Head, Low Income Countries Under Stress Initiative, The World Bank (conf.)

Discussion

10:45 – 11:15 Break

11:15 – 13:00 Panel Four: *Unintentional Consequences of Peacebuilding*

Chair: Dr. Helmut Böck, Head, Department for International Organizations, Austrian Federal Ministry for Foreign Affairs (conf.)

Humanitarian and Social Effects

Andreas Halbach, Regional Representative, International Organization for Migration (conf.)

Crime and Corruption

Mark Shaw, Chief, Criminal Justice Reform Unit, United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime

13:00 – 14:00 Lunch

14:00 – 15:00 Introduction to the Breakout Groups 4 – 6

Chair: Brigadier General Dr. Walter Feichtinger, Head, Institute for Peace Support and Conflict Management, NDA (conf.)

Presenters:

4. *Women and Civil Society in Peacebuilding*

Annette Lyth, Programme Manager, Peace and Security, United Nations Development Fund for Women (conf.)

5. *Donor Coordination and Commitment in Peacebuilding*

Sarah Cliffe, Head, Low Income Countries Under Stress Initiative, The World Bank (conf.)

6. *Local Ownership in Peacebuilding*

Dr. Funmi Olonisakin, Director, Conflict, Security, and Development Group at King's College, London

15:00 –

Breakout Groups 4 – 6

4. Women and Civil Society in Peacebuilding

Annette Lyth, Programme Manager, Peace and Security, United Nations Development Fund for Women (conf.) and Moderator Elisabeth Kögler, Department for Human Rights, Austrian Federal Ministry for Foreign Affairs (conf.)

5. Donor Coordination and Commitment in Peacebuilding

Sarah Cliffe, Head, Low Income Countries Under Stress Initiative, The World Bank (conf.) and Moderator Dr. Konstantin Huber, Unit for International Financial Institutions, Austrian Federal Ministry of Finance (conf.)

6. Local Ownership in Peacebuilding

Dr. Funmi Olonisakin, Director, Conflict, Security, and Development Group at King's College, London and Moderator Amy Scott, Associate, International Peace Academy (conf.)

18:30 –

Departure for Reception and Dinner given by the Austrian Federal Ministry for Foreign Affairs

Address on behalf of the Austrian Federal Ministry for Foreign Affairs

H.E. Amb. Johannes Kyrle, Secretary-General, Austrian Federal Ministry for Foreign Affairs (conf.)

Wednesday, May 31

Great Hall, Diplomatic Academy Vienna

09:00 – 10:30 Plenary Session: *Conclusions from Breakout Groups 1 – 6*

Chair: Brigadier General Dr. Walter Feichtinger, Head, Institute for Peace Support and Conflict Management, Austrian National Defence Academy (conf.)

Rapporteurs: from Breakout Groups 1 – 6

Discussion

10:30 – 11:00 *Break*

11:00 – 12:15 **Concluding Panel: *Future Trends in Peacebuilding***

Chair: Terje Rød-Larsen, President, International Peace Academy

Keynote Speakers

Future Trends in Peacebuilding: the UN perspective

N.N., Head, Peacebuilding Support Office, United Nations

Future Trends in Peacebuilding: the EU perspective

H.E. Amb. Stefano Sannino, Directorate A, DG External Relations, European Commission

Future Trends in Peacebuilding: an independent perspective

Dr. Fred Tanner, Deputy Director, Geneva Centre for Security Policy (conf.)

Discussion

12:15 – 12:30 **Conclusions**

12:30 – Departure