The Danish Institute for International Studies (DIIS) and the Center for War Studies (CWS) at the University of Southern Denmark (SDU) have the pleasure of inviting you to a seminar on:

Cooperative Security and NATO's New Partnership Policy Monday, 10 June 2013, 09.00-15.30 Danish Institute for International Studies Main Auditorium Strandgade 71, ground floor, 1401 Copenhagen K

## Background

NATO's Strategic Concept identifies 'cooperative security' as one of NATO's three essential core tasks. It states that the promotion of Euro-Atlantic security is best assured through a wide network of partnerships with countries and organizations across the globe which share NATO's interest in a peaceful world. NATO's new partnership policy is meant to prepare the Alliance for a rapidly changing world where security challenges may come from far afield, and where solutions may require extensive cooperation with other states and organizations which NATO has not traditionally engaged with.

The conference will focus on several key challenges — and perhaps some opportunities — for how NATO may be able to use its new approach to partnerships in a way that can support the continuation of an international order based on dialogue and cooperation across ideological and cultural differences.

## **Speakers**

Nick Hækkerup, Minister of Defense for Denmark

Sten Rynning, Professor and Director, CWS, SDU

Ole Wæver, Professor, University of Copenhagen

Jakob Aarøe Jørgensen, PhD Candidate, CWS, SDU

Florence Gaub, Analyst, European Union, Institute for Security Studies

Karsten Jakob Møller, Senior Analyst, DIIS

Trine Flockhart, Senior Researcher, DIIS

Fabrice Pothier, Head of Policy Planning, Office of the Secretary General, NATO

Magnus Christiansson, Associate Lecturer, Swedish National Defense College

Thierry Legendre, Danish Ministry of Foreign Affairs

James Appathurai, Deputy Assistant Secretary General for Political Affairs and Security Policy,

Programme

**NATO** 

More details about the seminar are available on our website.

**Practical Information** 

The seminar will be held in English.

Participation is free of charge, but registration is required. Please use our <u>online registration form</u> no later than Friday, 7 June 2013 at 12.00 noon.

Please await confirmation by e-mail from DIIS for participation.

## Sincerely,

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