

The Danish Institute for International Studies (DIIS) and the Danish Defence Academy have the pleasure of inviting you to a seminar on:

NATO after the Pivot
American and European Perspectives on NATO's Future
Friday, 24 May 2013, 9.00-11.00
Danish Institute for International Studies
Main Auditorium
Strandgade 71, ground floor, 1401 Copenhagen K

Background

The United States declared in its 2012 Strategic Guidance Document that the United States necessarily would 'pivot' towards Asia. Although the administration have since changed the word 'pivot' to 'rebalance', the document has led to intense debate in Europe about what the implications for Europe might be, and especially how a 'rebalancing' might influence the future of NATO. It seems that the move is regarded differently from the two sides of the Atlantic, and European responses have so far expressed a degree of uncertainty about whether Europe should 'pivot with the United States' or 'stay at home' taking on a greater responsibility for security challenges in close proximity to Europe.

The seminar is a joint arrangement between DIIS and the Danish Defence Academy. The three prominent speakers all have extensive insights on NATO's future role and strategy, and American and European roles in implementing it.

Speakers

Robert Dorff, Dean, Kennesaw State University

[Jamie Shea](#), Deputy Assistant Secretary General, NATO

Mark Laity, Head of Strategic Communication, SHAPE, NATO

[Trine Flockhart](#), Senior Researcher, DIIS

Programme

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 [online registration form](#) no later than Thursday, 23 May 2013 at 12.00 noon.

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

Sincerely,

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