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Thursday, May 15

Afternoon	Arrival of participants
19.00-20.00	Welcome on the terrace of the Rocca and local food tasting (Bertinoro Center)
20:30-21.00	Key Note Speech, Mirco Zuliani, Deputy SACT NATO, Norfolk
21.00-23:00	Welcome Dinner in the Rocca (Sala Caligari)

Friday, May 16

09:00-09:30 WELCOME ADDRESS AND CONFERENCE INTRODUCTION (Old Church)

Carla Salvaterra, University of Bologna, Bologna
Paolo Zurla, University of Bologna, Bologna
Ettore Greco, Istituto Affari Internazionali, Rome
Mirco Zuliani, Deputy SACT NATO, Norfolk

09:30-11:00 **PLENARY SESSION I^A**
TRENDS IN INTERNATIONAL POLITICS: THE WEST AND THE REST (Old Church)

Chair: Sonia Lucarelli, University of Bologna

Panelists: Ranabir Samaddar, Mahanirban Calcutta Research Group, Calcutta
Eugenia Baroncelli, University of Bologna, Bologna
Matthew Evangelista, Cornell University, Washington D.C.
Christopher Browning, Warwick University, Birmingham
Jean Pierre Maulny, Institute de Relations Internationales et Strategiques, Paris

Open discussion

11:00-11:15 Coffee break

11:15-13:00 **WORKING GROUPS: FIRST SESSION**

WG1: Asia-Pacific: Trends (Sala Affrescata)

Chair: Gareth Price, Chatham House, London

Paper-givers: Andrea Goldstein, Organization for Economic and Cooperation Development, Paris
Antonio Fiori, Korea Foundation Endowment Chair, University of Bologna, Bologna

Discussants: Axel Berkowsky, University of Pavia, Pavia
Hussain Athar, London School of Economics and Political Science, London

Rapporteur: Federico Casprini, Consultant NATO ACT

Open discussion

WG 2: Greater Middle East and North Africa: Trends (Sala Rossa)

Chair: Steven Heydemann, United States Institute of Peace, Washington, DC

Paper-givers: Memhud Karakullukcu, Vice-Chairman and President, Global Relations Forum, Istanbul
Tewfik Aclimandos, Chair of Contemporary History of the Arab world, College de France, London

Discussants: **Soli Özel**, Kadir Has University, Istanbul
Ruth Hanau Santini, Università L'Orientale, Naples

Rapporteur: **Alessandro Marrone**, Istituto Affari Internazionali, Rome

Open discussion

WG3: Sub-Saharan Africa: Trends (Sala Museo)

Chair: **Arrigo Pallotti**, University of Bologna, Bologna

Paper-giver: **Giovanni Carbone**, University of Milan, Milan
Kwesi Aning, Kofi Annan International Peacekeeping training Center, Accra

Discussants: **Luis Simon**, Vrije University, Brussels
Nicoletta Pirozzi, Istituto Affari Internazionali, Rome

Rapporteur: **Bastian Giegerich**, International Institute for Strategic Studies, London

Open discussion

13:00-14:30 **Lunch Buffet**

14:30-15:45 **WORKING GROUPS: SECOND SESSION (same rooms as above)**

WG1: Asia-Pacific: Security Challenges

Facilitator **Giovanni Grevi**, Fundaciòn para las Relaciones Internacionales y el Diálogo Exterior, Madrid

WG 2: Greater Middle East and North Africa: Security Challenges

Facilitator **Nathalie Tocci**, Istituto Affari Internazionali, Rome

WG 3: Sub-Saharan Africa: Security Challenges

Facilitator **Christian Moelling**, Stiftung Wissenschaft und Politik, Berlin

15:45-16:00 **Coffee break**

16:00-17:30 **WORKING GROUPS, THIRD SESSION (same rooms as above)**

WG1: Asia-Pacific: Implications for NATO

Facilitator **Giovanni Grevi**, Fundaciòn para las Relaciones Internacionales y el Diálogo Exterior, Madrid

NATO Discussant **Jeffrey Reynolds**, Strategic Issues & Engagements, NATO HQ SACT, Norfolk

WG 2: Greater Middle East and North Africa: Implications for NATO

Facilitator **Nathalie Tocci**, Istituto Affari Internazionali, Rome

NATO Discussant **Mehmet Kinaci**, NATO HQ SACT, Norfolk

WG 3: Sub-Saharan Africa: Implications for NATO

Facilitator **Christian Moelling**, Stiftung Wissenschaft und Politik, Berlin

NATO Discussant **Jean-Francois Guillaume**, DPOLAD, NATO HQ SACT, Norfolk

20:30 **Dinner - Bertinoro Restaurant (Enoteca Bistrot Colonna)**

21.30 **Keynote speech, Massimo Livi Bacci**, University of Florence, Florence

Saturday, May 17

09:00-10:00 **REPORTS BY WORKING GROUPS (Sala Iacopo da Bertinoro)**

Chair **Dick Bedford**, Allied Command Transformation, Norfolk

Rapporteurs **Federico Casprini**, Consultant NATO ACT
Alessandro Marrone, Istituto Affari Internazionali, Rome
Bastian Giegerich, International Institute for Strategic Studies, London

10:00-11:30 **ROUND TABLE: THE BLACK SEA REGION AND EURO-ATLANTIC SECURITY (Sala Iacopo da Bertinoro)**

Chair **Jean Pierre Darnis**, Istituto Affari Internazionali, Rome

Speakers **Arcady Moshes**, Finnish Institute of International Affairs, Helsinki
Albert Bininashvili, Columbia University, Washington DC
Stefano Bianchini, University of Bologna, Bologna
Marcin Terlikowsky, Polish Institute of International Affairs, Warsaw
BGen. Matthew Brand, DCOS SPP, NATO HQ SACT, Norfolk

Rapporteur: **Federico Catapano**, NATO HQ SACT, Norfolk

Open discussion

11.30-11.45 **Coffee break**

11.45-13.30 **PLENARY SESSION** **CONFRONTING FUTURE CHALLENGES: NATO'S COOPERATIVE SECURITY (Sala Iacopo da Bertinoro)**

Chair **Ettore Greco**, Istituto Affari Internazionali, Rome

Speakers **Camille Grand**, Fondation pour la Recherche Stratégique, Paris
Vittorio Emanuele Parsi, Università Cattolica, Milan
Mirco Zuliani, Deputy SACT NATO, Norfolk
Eva Gross, EU Institute for Security Studies, Brussels

Open discussion

13:30-14:30 **Buffet Lunch and departure**

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