Panel Discussion on Iran

Iran: Prospect for Change

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Welcoming remarks by the President of FEMO

François Colcombet, former Supreme Court Judge and Member of the French National Assembly

Policy on Iran

Time: 11:00 - 12:30

Moderator: Lincoln Bloomfield, Ambassador, Distinguished Fellow and Chairman Emeritus at the Stimson Center, former Assistant Secretary of State for Military Affairs

- Giulio Terzi, former Foreign Minister of Italy and Ambassador to the UN
- Linda Chavez, former Director of the White House public liaison
- Adam Ereli, Ambassador, former spokesperson of the U.S. Department of State and Ambassador to Bahrain
- **Robert Torricelli,** *Member of the U.S. Senate from 1997 to 2003; served 14 years in the U.S. House of Representatives*
- Paulo Casaca, Executive Director of the "South Asia Democratic Forum" based in Brussels, former member of European Parliament
- Maria S. Ryan, President and CEO of Cottage Hospital, Woodsville, New Hampshire

IRGC and Meddling in the Region

Time: 14:30 - 16:00

Moderator: Walid Phares, Expert, global terrorism and Middle Eastern affairs

- Raid Yassine, Ambassador of Yemen in Paris, former Foreign Minister of Yemen
- Charles Wald, General (Ret.), former Deputy Commander of U.S. European Command
- James Conway, General (Ret.), former Commandant of the U.S. Marine Corps
- **Frédéric Encel**, writer and scholar of geopolitics specialized on the Middle East;
- **Mohammed al-Sulami,** Head of International Institute for Iranian Studies
- Yves Thréard, Editorialist in Le Figaro

IRGC and Sanctions

Time: 16:05 - 17:35

Moderator: Lincoln Bloomfield, *Ambassador, Distinguished Fellow and Chairman Emeritus at the Stimson Center, former Assistant Secretary of State for Military Affairs*

- Robert Joseph, Ambassador, U.S. Special Envoy for Nuclear Nonproliferation and Under Secretary of State for Arms Control and International Security until 2007
- **Bruno Tertrais,** Deputy Director of the Fondation pour la Recherche Stratégique (FRS)
- Michael Pregent, Middle East analyst, Hudson Institute
- **Jean-Sylvestre Mongrenier,** membre of the Institut Thomas More and researcher at the l'Institut Français de Géopolitique (Université Paris VIII Vincennes-Saint-Denis)
- Eduard Lintner, former Deputy Minister of Interior of Germany

Protests in Iran and the Role of the Opposition

Time: 18:00 - 19:30

Moderator: **Mitchell Reiss,** *Ambassador, former Director of U.S. State Department Policy Planning and Special Envoy to the Northern Ireland Peace Process*

- Michael Mukasey, former U.S. Attorney General
- Louis Freeh, former Director of the FBI
- Sid Ahmed Ghozali, former Prime Minister of Algeria
- John Baird, former Foreign Minister of Canada
- **Struan Stevenson,** Coordinator for Change in Iran, former President of the European Parliament's Delegation for Relations with Iraq
- **Yves Bonnet,** former Governor and Head of France's Internal Security Service (D.S.T.)