

## Neighborhood relations as a field of cooperation or conflict. Contradictory interests of Germany and Poland in the Eastern neighborhood of the European Union.

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| <b>11.04.2019</b> |  |
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| 9.00 – 9.30       | <p><b>Opening remarks:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Prof. dr hab. Stanisław Sulowski (the Dean of the Faculty of Political Science and International Studies, the University of Warsaw)</li> <li>• Prof. Dr. Wolfram Hilz (the Director of the Institute of Political Science and Sociology, the University of Bonn)</li> <li>• Dr hab. Jakub Zajączkowski (the Director of the Institute of International Relations, the University of Warsaw)</li> </ul>                           |
| 9.30 – 11.00      | <p><b>Session I: Germany and Poland: similarity and divergence of interests in Eastern policy)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Prof. Dr. Wolfram Hilz (The EU and its concept of Neighborhood“ )</li> <li>• Dr hab. Maciej Raś (Poland’s perspective)</li> <li>• Dr Shushanik Minasyan (Germany’s Eastern challenge))</li> </ul> <p><b>Discussion</b></p> <p><u>Moderation:</u> Dr hab. Rafał Ulatowski</p>   |
| 11:00 – 11:30     | <p><b>Coffee break</b></p>   |
| 11:30 – 13:00     | <p><b>Session II: Eastern neighbours of the European Union: the potential for partnership and competition</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dr Szymon Kardaś (The eye of Sauron: the Russian factor and its influence on the EU-EaP countries' relations)</li> <li>• M.A. Tamar Lortkiphanidze (Place and role of Georgia in the EaP)</li> <li>• Dr Paweł Stawarz (Armenia and Azerbaijan in the ENP)</li> </ul> <p><b>Discussion</b></p> <p><u>Moderation:</u> Dr Shushanik Minasyan</p> |

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| 9:30 – 11:00      | <p><b>Session III: Overcoming the contradictions between German and Polish approaches to the EU's Eastern policy</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dr hab. Rafal Ulatowski (Energy policy)</li> <li>• M.A. Fabian Schöppner (Conflict management in the post-Soviet area)</li> <li>• Dr hab. Aleksandra Gasztold (The US's influence on Polish-German cooperation in the field of Eastern policy)</li> </ul> <p><b>Discussion</b></p> <p><u>Moderation:</u> Dr hab. Maciej Raś</p> |
| 11:00 – 11:30     | <p><b>Coffee break</b></p>  |
| 11:30 – 13:00     | <p><b>Session IV: Polish-German „round table“ of experts: Polish-German partnership for the "Eastern dimension" of the EU - possibilities of implementation</b></p> <p>Dr hab. Aleksandra Gasztold, Dr hab. Maciej Raś, Dr hab. Rafał Ulatowski, Dr Szymon Kardaś, Dr Shushanik Minasyan, Dr Paweł Stawarz, M.A. Fabian Schöppner</p> <p><b>Discussion</b></p> <p><u>Moderation:</u> Prof. Dr. Wolfram Hilz</p>   |
| 13:00 – 13.30     | <p><b>Conclusions:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Prof. Dr. Wolfram Hilz</li> <li>• Dr hab. Maciej Raś</li> </ul>   |