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The Swedish Ministry for Foreign Affairs in cooperation with the Stockholm International Peace Research Institute (SIPRI) is pleased to invite you to an event:

The CTBT: How will we prevent a new era of nuclear testing?

Monday, 13 February 2017, 15.00-16.30, coffee from 14.30 Ministry for Foreign Affairs Press Room, Fredsgatan 6, Stockholm (ID required)

The Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty is a fundamental pillar of the global nuclear disarmament and non-proliferation regime. It celebrated its 20th anniversary last year, but prospects for its formal entry into force remain uncertain. How can the international community prevent further nuclear testing in future?



Welcome

HE Ms Annika Söder State Secretary for Foreign Affairs

Keynote speech

HE Mr Lassina Zerbo Executive Secretary of the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty Organization (CTBTO)



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HE Mr Hans Blix Former Minister for Foreign Affairs of Sweden, Chairman of the Weapons of Mass Destruction Commission, Executive Chairman of the UN Monitoring and Verification Commission for Iraq, Director General Emeritus of the IAEA

Discussants



HE Ms Eva Walder Ambassador for Disarmament, Ministry for Foreign Affairs, Sweden



Mr Anders Ringbom Research Director for Nuclear Verification Techniques, Swedish Defence Research Agency (FOI)



Mr Tariq Rauf Director of the Disarmament, Arms Control and Non-Proliferation Programme, Stockholm International Peace Research Institute (SIPRI)

Moderator



Mr Dan Smith Director, Stockholm International Peace Research Institute (SIPRI)

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