

## Programme

# Overcoming Dayton?

## The 1995 General Framework Agreement for Peace in Bosnia and Herzegovina – Results and Alternatives

### International Conference

**Tuesday, 21 June 2005**

- Conference Venue:** Carl Friedrich von Siemens Foundation  
Suedliches Schlossrondell 23  
80638 Muenchen-Nymphenburg
- Conference Language:** English
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<b>10:30 hrs</b>	<b>Opening and Welcome</b>
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**Roland Schoenfeld**, Vice-President, Southeast Europe Association, Leipzig

**Marc Weller**, Director, European Centre for Minority Issues, Flensburg

<b>11:00 hrs</b>	<b>Panel I: Ten Years After: Assessing Achievements and Shortcomings of the Dayton Process</b>
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**Focus on:**

- *rebuilding post-war Bosnia - major achievements, shortcomings and problems*
- *sustainability of Bosnia and Herzegovina as a state: can the system created by the Dayton Agreement be reformed or will it have to be replaced?*
- *models for post-conflict multi-ethnic societies (options of autonomy, constitutional and administrative solutions, good governance, equal vs. equitable representation etc.)*

**Speakers:**

**Nikola Radovanovic**, Minister of Defence of Bosnia and Herzegovina, Sarajevo

**Miroslav Mikes**, Vice Chairman, Council of People of the Republika Srpska, Banja Luka

**Johannes Haindl**, Ambassador, Special Envoy for Southeast Europe and Turkey, German Federal Foreign Office, Berlin

**Srdjan Dizdarevic**, President, Helsinki Committee for Human Rights in Bosnia and Herzegovina, Sarajevo

**Chair:**

**Marie-Janine Calic**, Professor for History of East and Southeast Europe, University of Munich

**13:00 hrs**

**Lunch** on invitation of the Carl Friedrich von Siemens Foundation

<b>14:00 hrs</b>	<b>Panel II: Economic Challenges and Regional Implications</b>
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**Focus on:**

- *Sustainability and reform of the economic system*
- *how to enhance the economic reform and privatization agendas?  
How to fight organised crime and corruption?*
- *Policies and exit-strategies of the international actors*
- *How to enhance the Stabilisation and Association Process –  
strategies and instruments for B&H;*
- *How to deal with growing donor fatigue?*
- *regional implications (especially Croatia and Serbia and  
Montenegro; impact of the upcoming Kosovo status process and  
other regional developments)*

**Speakers:**

**Lawrence E. Butler**, Ambassador, Principal Deputy High Representative, Office of the High Representative for Bosnia and Herzegovina, Sarajevo

**Kirk Mildner**, Regional Representative, KfW Entwicklungsbank, Frankfurt am Main

**Chair:**

**Roland Schoenfeld**, Vice President, Southeast Europe Association, Leipzig

**16:00 hrs****Coffee Break**

<b>16:30 hrs</b>	<b>Panel III: International Approaches: How to Implement the Reform Agenda in Bosnia</b>
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**Focus on:**

- *how could the Dayton System be reformed?*
- *how to enhance ownership?*
- *how can the Bosnian legislature be encouraged to overcome the Dayton system?*
- *will the signatory countries (Bosnia, Croatia and Serbia and Montenegro) agree to any change of the Dayton Agreement and how can they be convinced to accept a reform?*
- *what role would the international actors be ready to play?*
- *Bosnia and beyond -- What lessons can be learnt for other regions?*

**Speakers:** **Osman Topcagic**, Director, Directorate for European Integration, Council of Ministers, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Sarajevo

**Igor Radojicic**, MP, National Assembly of Republika Srpska, Banja Luka

**Sumantra Bose**, Reader in Comparative Politics, London School of Economics, London

**Helene Holm-Pedersen**, Advisor, Western Balkan Task Force, Directorate General for External and Politico-Military Affairs, General Secretariat, Council of the European Union, Brussels

**Chair:** **Marc Weller**, Director, ECMI, Flensburg

**18:30 hrs** **End of the Conference**

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