



The Centre for European Studies and the Institute of European and Russian Studies invite you to a public lecture with:

Sven Biscop

On the Topic

NATO, the EU and the Upcoming Riga Summit: Rebalancing the Partnership

Under the general heading of ‘transforming’ the Alliance, the upcoming Summit in Riga in November has an ambitious agenda for NATO: a global partnership, more common funding of assets and operations, and a role in peacebuilding and reconstruction. However this will not suffice to break out of the current malaise in NATO, as the underlying problem is not addressed: the eternal EU-NATO debate. And where does this leave Canada?

Prof. Dr. Sven Biscop is a senior research fellow in the Royal Institute for International Relations in Brussels, a think tank associated with the Belgian Ministry of Foreign Affairs, and is professor of European security at Ghent University. He sits on the academic board of the EU’s European Security and Defence College and co-organizes the Higher Studies in Security and Defence with Belgium’s Royal Defence College. The Centre for European Studies at Carleton University is pleased to host Dr. Sven Biscop as a visiting scholar.

Where: Dunton Tower 1304, Carleton University

When: Wednesday, July 26th, 2006

Time: 12:00-1:00 p.m.

(Light lunch will be provided)

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