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DISCUSSION AND PRESENTATION OF THE  
BOOK:

## **THE BALTIC SEA REGION: HARD AND SOFT SECURITY RECONSIDERED**

That will take place on 22 November 2016 from 14:00 at the  
Hotel Bergs (Elizabetes 83/85, Glass Hall, 6th floor)



### **OPENING REMARKS:**

14.00-14.10

✦ Andris Sprūds, Director, Latvian Institute of International Affairs

### **KEYNOTE:**

✦ Atis Lejiņš, Member of the Parliament

### **HARD SECURITY ASPECTS IN THE BALTIC SEA REGION**

14.10-15.20

**Gabriel Bernier**, Head of Defence Policy Section,  
NATO;  
**Wojciech Lorenz**, Senior Research Fellow at the  
Polish Institute of International Affairs;  
**Henrik Praks**, Research Fellow of the International  
Centre for Defence and Security, Estonia;  
**Mika Aaltola**, Programme Director of Finnish Institute  
of International Affairs;

Moderator: **Ilvija Bruģe**, Research Fellow at the  
Latvian Institute of International Affairs

### **SOFT SECURITY ASPECTS IN THE BALTIC SEA REGION**

15.30-16.40

**Kai-Olaf Lang**, Senior Fellow of the EU/Europe  
Research Division at the German Institute for  
International and Security Affairs, Germany;  
**Anke Schmidt-Felzmann**, Research Fellow at the  
Swedish Institute of International Affairs;  
**Viljar Veebel**, Research Fellow at the University of  
Tartu;  
**J. Peter Burgess**, Professor and Chair of Geopolitics  
of Risk at the Ecole Normale Supérieure, Paris, and  
Adjunct Professor at the Center for Advanced Security  
Theory, University of Copenhagen

Moderator: **Māris Andžāns**, Research Fellow at the  
Latvian Institute of International Affairs

### **CLOSING REMARKS:**

16.40

✦ Werner Rechmann, Coordinator Friedrich-Ebert-Stiftung Baltic

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