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OUR MISSION
Promoting global governance for sustainable peace

The international system abounds with contradictions

States are competing hard for advantage and populism is undermining collective action institutions and mechanisms. Democratic spaces are shrinking while inequalities are widening. Military expenditures are growing fast while the United Nations budget is cut. International norms, in particular, human rights, are disregarded. The Internet is becoming a jungle where data is hacked and fake news spread. International justice if being questioned. And we are losing the race against global warming.

Existing international institutions are not always capable of producing solutions

International collaboration is increasingly difficult. However, the challenges the world faces – climate change, terrorism, migration, cyber insecurity and other transnational issues – require a collective response.

Our world is not headed in the right direction

This situation is not conducive to peace. It stokes existing conflicts and leads to new ones.

Our observation:
Lasting peace will only be achieved through adapted and effective global governance to address international issues.

Our work:
The Forum bridges this governance gap by advancing concrete solutions in areas that need them most.

The Forum considers peace as more than the simple suspension of war

Peace is made up of all the solutions that help reduce international tensions: cooperation to fight climate change and mitigate resource scarcity, institutions to channel power rivalries and better administer global public goods, regulation to address abuses of power and globalization-induced inequality, as well as intergenerational bridges and gender equality to create more peaceful societies.

The Forum brings together state and non-state actors for collective action

International and regional multilateral organizations with universal membership have legitimate mandates for the creation of rules and mechanisms to solve transnational problems. The Forum supports and complements existing systems, picking up the slack when these institutions cannot act or when the solutions proposed are inadequate.
A YEARLY FORUM
Gathering collective action stakeholders around solutions

A global governance Forum
Since its inaugural edition in 2018, the Forum has placed global governance at the top of the international agenda, to breathe new life into collective and multilateral action.

An open Forum
In both form and function, the Forum is more than a traditional international summit, fair, or conference. It strives on openness, down to the venue itself, where the various debate spaces aren’t separated by walls, and a silent arena system fosters open dialogue between all participants.

A multi-stakeholder Forum
The yearly Forum gathers stakeholders across all categories to facilitate the creation of hybrid coalitions by bringing together old and new actors of global governance such as states and multilateral organizations, but also NGOs, companies, development agencies, foundations, philanthropies, religious groups, associations, think tanks, universities, and civil society at large.

A project-oriented Forum
Innovative solutions to current governance issues are at the heart of Forum. The entire debate program is built around these initiatives. The Forum showcases and supports concrete projects. They are either normative – instruments of law, standards and good practices – or capacity-building – new institutions, mechanisms and innovations.

An international policy Forum
States, international and regional organizations are crucial to the solutions the Forum aims to promote. Not only is their participation necessary, but it is also a testament to the Forum role as a complement to existing initiatives and actors.

A universal Forum
The Forum is free and open to all stakeholders involved in tackling key modern challenges.

"The Paris Peace Forum’s objective is to gather thought leaders, think tanks, companies, governments from around the world towards a joint agenda." Emmanuel Macron, Conference of Ambassadors, 27 August 2019
### KEY FIGURES

**THE SECOND EDITION OF THE PARIS PEACE FORUM**

**WILL TAKE PLACE ON 12 AND 13 NOVEMBER 2019 AT LA GRANDE HALLE DE LA VILLETTE, PARIS.**

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#### Themes

- **Peace and security**
- **Development**
- **Environment**
- **New technologies**
- **Inclusive Economy**
- **Culture and Education**
HIGHLIGHTS

OPENING CEREMONY
Tuesday 12 November at 9:30
The Forum’s Opening Ceremony will present the scope of the event’s project-oriented program, with opening speeches by heads of state and government, of which Emmanuel Macron.

PRESS CONFERENCE
Wednesday 13 November at 14:00
Press-only event to present the 10 new projects – chosen from a selection of 115 – that will benefit from the Forum’s support for a year.

IMPLEMENTATION SESSION
Wednesday 13 November at 10:15
At the heart of the Forum’s activity, this session will present the Scale-up Committee’s work over the past year, supporting 10 governance projects and improving their impact.

CLOSING CEREMONY
Wednesday 13 November at 16:00
The Forum’s culmination will reveal the new list of Scale-up projects to all participants, and will present the past two days’ governance achievements.

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3 PeaceGames

UNPRECEDENTED
The Forum will host three PeaceGames organized with Körber-Stiftung and Foreign Policy magazine.

INTERACTIVE
These PeaceGames will simulate three crises set in 2030 covering challenges such as climate disasters, resource militarization, and environmental migration, which participants will be tasked with resolving.

MULTI-STAKEHOLDER
This multi-stakeholder simulation will gather experts from foreign ministries, think tanks, international organizations, companies, and civil society to find peaceful outcomes to scenarios through reflection, creativity and cooperation.

PARTICIPATORY
More than 300 candidates answered the call for participation sent to all Forum participants.
THE PROGRAM
Going beyond simple discussions to provide solutions

Interactive, multi-stakeholder debates
The Forum’s program consists of 80 multi-stakeholder contradictory debates on key topics, covering current and concerning issues, and built around the 115 showcased projects. The debate formats (pleas, masterclasses, hearings, talks, conversations, and launches) are designed to bring participants together and foster direct interaction between political actors, citizens, and all stakeholders involved in finding and implementing solutions to these global challenges.

Specific global governance challenges
These challenges are drawn directly from the issues raised by the showcased projects, such as the governance of artificial intelligence, the protection of biodiversity, enabling development through culture, the war on drugs, cybersecurity, the private sector and the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals, as well as humanitarian law enforcement.

Structuring initiatives presented at the 2018 Forum by coalitions of actors will launch the second phase of their action to further realize their achievements.

Discussions on governing governance
These discussions will cover topics such as anti-globalization and the rise of populism, ensuring the social sustainability of environmental efforts, the state of multilateralism in 2019, as well as increasing Global South representation in international organizations.

Tributes to past initiatives
Building a better future by learning from the past. Events such as the 30th anniversary of the Fall of the Berlin Wall, the 70th anniversary of the Geneva Conventions and the 100th anniversary of the International Labor Organization (ILO) will be celebrated and discussed.

Thematic tracks
The thematic tracks are designed to guide journalists through the Forum, enabling them to experience its highlights (debates, projects, pitches, initiative launches) according to their topics of interest (gender equality, citizens and government, etc.).

IMPLEMENTATION OF THE PARIS CALL PRINCIPLES AND VALUES: CONCRETE INITIATIVES
Since the launch of the Paris Call for Trust and Security in Cyberspace on 12 November 2018, the community supporting this multi-stakeholder initiative has been working towards translating its commitment to a safer cyberspace into concrete action. States, companies, and civil society have already brought about several achievements. The Forum is an opportunity to highlight some of these achievements and exchange best practices.

INAUGURATION OF THE FORUM ON INFORMATION AND DEMOCRACY
In 2018, the Forum hosted 12 heads of state and government to support Reporters Without Borders’ International Initiative on Information and Democracy. This initiative led to the signing of the International Partnership on Information and Democracy at the United Nations General Assembly in 2019. The 2019 Forum will echo this milestone by once more bringing all stakeholders together for the launch of the Forum on Information and Democracy, which will further develop norms and standards around the enforcement of information-related democratic guarantees.
THE SPEAKERS
A wide range of expertise

Speakers from around the world
The Forum brings together several hundred renowned speakers and moderators from all over the world and from different backgrounds, such as local and national governments, international organizations, NGOs, large companies, philanthropies, universities, and the media. This multilateral approach ensures a balance in sectors, themes, and geographical areas represented. Every single speaker – from high-level personalities to global governance experts and civil society stakeholders – will engage in open dialogues.

Heads of state and government
Several heads of state and government will take part in all types of sessions. They will discuss initiatives with participants and project leaders from around the world, and engage with intellectuals, think tankers and experts during masterclasses, pleas, hearings, and conversations.

Heads of international organizations
Numerous heads or representatives of international and regional organizations will share their knowledge and expertise on global governance challenges.

Civil society stakeholders
Several actors from civil society organizations of all sizes share and compare ideas and initiatives to provide concrete solutions to cross-border challenges.

We cannot accept current levels of inequalities. We must put people back at the center of policy making in order to bring concrete results for people and places left behind.
Gabriela Ramos, Member of the Steering Committee of the Paris Peace Forum

HEADS OF ORGANIZATIONS
Angel Gurria | OECD
Peter Maurer | ICRC
Louise Mushikiwabo | OIF
Gabriela Ramos | OECD
Guy Ryder | ILO

PHILANTHROPISTS
His Excellency Sheikha Hind Bint Hamad Al Thani | Qatar Foundation
Ranjit Barthakur | The Balipara Foundation
Mo Ibrahim | Mo Ibrahim Foundation
Tom Kaplan | American collector
Martin Tisné | Luminate

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Lindsay Coates | BRAC USA
Christophe Deloire | RSF
Ingrid Levavasseur | Activist
Rouba Mhaissen | Sawa Foundation
Trisha Shetty | SheSays
Melati Wijsen | Bye Plastic Bags

HIGH-LEVEL PERSONALITIES
Pascal Lamy | Paris Peace Forum
Jean-Pierre Raffarin | Former French Prime Minister
His Highness the Aga Khan | AKDN
Mary Robinson | The Elders
AN IDEA INCUBATOR
Putting the spotlight on those who implement concrete actions

Improving the collective response

In a difficult context for multilateralism and collective action, the Forum continues to demonstrate that it is still possible to advance concrete projects and launch new initiatives by increasing collaboration between States, international organizations, and civil society. Beyond bringing these stakeholders together around discussions and debates, the Forum aims to inspire new ideas and foster their progressive development.

Building international synergies

Selected projects are not only given the opportunity to showcase their initiatives – as is often the case at trade fairs and conferences – but they are at the very heart of the Forum.

Indeed, the Forum is devised as a global village dedicated to action, featuring a community of project leaders committed to finding and implementing concrete solutions.

Space for Solutions

An area dedicated to selected projects. Not only will project leaders be able to present their solutions to Forum participants, but they will also be able to exchange ideas and learn from other projects.

Space for Achievements

The Forum is a long-term initiative. The idea is not only to highlight projects, however important they may be, but to strengthen and support them in their implementation and development.

“The selected projects represent a wide variety of solutions to make this planet a better place.”
Justin Vaïsse, Director General of the Paris Peace Forum
SHOWCASED PROJECTS
Developing concrete and innovative solutions

A universal call for projects
Each Spring, the Forum launches a call for projects, which is open to organizations worldwide. In 2019, following its second call for projects, the Forum received 720 applications from 115 countries. A total of 115 projects were selected to be showcased at this year’s Forum. These governance projects are part of one of the Forum’s major themes and are implemented in one or more of the world’s regions, thus covering an extensive geographical diversity. Most of the projects are implemented on a global scale or on several continents simultaneously, while 17 projects are implemented in Africa, 14 in Latin and Central America, 13 in Asia, and 8 in the Middle East.

A broad range of stakeholders
These 115 governance projects are carried by different types of organizations. In particular, 38 projects are initiated by NGOs, 27 by international organizations, 13 by companies, 11 by states, 6 by think tanks, 5 by foundations, and 1 by a media outlet.

The Selection Committee
Projects showcased at the Forum are chosen by the Selection Committee, which consists of experts from leading international institutions such as the World Bank, the Council on Foreign Relations, Ifri, Körber-Stiftung, the Mo Ibrahim Foundation, the MIT Enterprise Forum, UNDP and Sciences Po Paris.

Actions speak louder than words
Selected project leaders present their solutions at the Forum, which is designed to realize, develop and promote them. They can reach thousands of collective actions stakeholders by showcasing their initiatives in the Space for Solutions, as stands or pitches, by discussing their proposals with experts and leaders from around the world in the Space for Debates, or even by meeting partners that share their ideas and objectives in the various networking areas.

WOMEN’S EMANCIPATION
Several projects presented at the Forum this year aim to strengthen women’s economic and financial independence, in order to remove barriers to their participation in all fields of life (UN Women’s Women’s Buy from Digital Platform for Smallholder Farmers in Mali; the World Bank’s Girls’ Education and Women’s Empowerment and Livelihood; OECD’s NiñaSTEM Pueden). The Forum will also offer the opportunity to discover the UN Women’s Generation Equality Forum, a major gathering of international gender equality actors.

ROLE OF THE PRIVATE SECTOR IN ACHIEVING THE SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS
Companies have a role to play in this global initiative (UNDP’s The Lion’s Share; Socio-Ecological Union’s Ecosystems, companies, sustainable development: Rating in protection the Earth; ADP Groupe’s Biodiversity in Airport Areas). The promotion of green growth is highlighted in projects that focus on green investments (Global Green Growth Institute’s National Financing Vehicles: Increasing the flow of climate finance) and the sharing of expertise (OECD’s The Knowledge Partnership for Sustainable and Inclusive Infrastructure).
YEAR-LONG SUPPORT FOR PROJECTS
Advancing promising governance initiatives

Customized support
At the end of each Forum, 10 projects are chosen from the 100+ projects showcased during the event. The projects will benefit from implementation support for a full year. The Forum provides them with recommendations and helps them reach their goals in the following areas: policy and advocacy, communication and visibility, partnership and funding, and organization.

The Scale-up Committee
The Scale-up Committee, which provides year-long support, consists of experienced and influential personalities who represent organizations from the Forum’s community such as the World Bank, BNP Paribas, the European Commission, INSOR, Institut Montaigne, OECD, and the United Nations.

ANTARCTICA 2020
Antarctica2020’s diplomatic efforts led to the inclusion of Antarctica and Southern Ocean protection in the Joint Declaration between China and France and the EU-China Declaration.

KUMEKUCHA: IT’S A NEW DAWN
The project team streamlined its initiative and can now better demonstrate its findings, impact and uniqueness. Awarded at the 2019 SDGs in Action Film Festival, Kumekucha gained recognition among its peers and launched a trauma-informed initiative with the Kenyan police.

AU-EU YOUTH COOPERATION HUB
The Hub successfully launched a Call for Proposals: pilot project CSOs were selected through a youth-inclusive process. In November, the Hub’s second session gathered Young Leaders and CSOs, with results to be presented at the Forum.

LABEL EUROPÉEN SUR LE PARTAGE DE LA VALEUR
Synopia fine-tuned its label’s rationale and methodology: the first indicators of the newly named ‘Four Leaf label’ were designed. Synopia was also introduced to key stakeholders in Europe. Alongside A2 Consulting and Epsor, it is now launching its label’s pilot phase.

CLIMATE RESILIENT ZERO-BUDGET
NATURAL FARMING IN ANDHRA PRADESH
ZBNF now reaches over 500,000 farmers. It benefits from international recognition as an innovative agroecology model contributing to SDG implementation and greenhouse gas mitigation.

LEVERAGING VISUAL AND STATISTICAL ARGUMENT TO COMBAT TORTURE
Alongside legal research, interviews were conducted in Europe and Mexico to feed a documentary. The project also collaborates on the replication of the inmate survey, recently highlighted as a model of good practice by the UN Committee against Torture.

DIGITAL DEMOCRACY CHARTER
In 2019, Canada, the European Union, France, the United Kingdom and the United States published white papers or policy frameworks that include the DDC’s priorities. The project team was introduced to high-level stakeholders and seized new opportunities to shape political agendas in key countries.

RANKING DIGITAL RIGHTS
RDR successfully launched its 2019 Index and promoted it in Europe. The project team was introduced to key European stakeholders. RDR currently seeks to further engage with funders and investors to update its methodology and strengthen its research stream.

INTERNATIONAL GENDER CHAMPIONS
Since its creation, the network has expanded to New York, Vienna, Nairobi and The Hague. The Forum supported IGC’s advocacy, liaising it with relevant stakeholders. IGC’s French Hub will be launched at the Forum.

THE WORLD BENCHMARKING ALLIANCE
The WBA was introduced to key actors to prepare the launch of its first benchmarks. Its sustained advocacy and coalition building efforts led to its recognition as the reference tool to assess corporate action and accountability on the SDGs.
A HYBRID ORGANIZATION
Ensuring a multilateral initiative’s independence

An independent organization

The Paris Peace Forum Association was established under French Law as a ‘Loi 1901’ association on 9 March 2018 and is governed by three bodies: the Executive Committee, the Steering Committee, and the Circle of Partners.

How much does it cost?

The Forum’s total annual budget is close to €6 million. This sum is nearly entirely covered by non-governmental partners, the vast majority of which are private. For the most part, these partners are French and foreign companies, foundations, philanthropists and development agencies.

The Executive Committee

This Committee consists of representatives of the eight Founding Members who ensure the Forum’s universality. The Executive Committee is responsible for the Forum’s overall organization and implementation.

“Multilateral is the centerpiece of global governance. Let’s bring all actors on board to give it fresh impetus.”
Nora Müller, Vice President of the Paris Peace Forum

The Steering Committee

This Committee consists of Consisting of 16 highly qualified governance personalities who ensure the Forum’s expertise. The Steering Committee provides recommendations on the Forum’s general organization and strategic orientations.

The Circle of Partners

This Circle brings together the Forum’s benefactors, institutional and media partners. The Circle of Partners makes recommendations on the Forum’s strategic orientations.
THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE
Ensuring the forum’s universality

Pascal LAMY
President of the Paris Peace Forum
Board member
Mo Ibrahim Foundation

Nora MÜLLER
Vice president of the Paris Peace Forum
Executive Director of International Affairs
Körber-Stiftung

Vanessa SCHERRER
Vice president of the Paris Peace Forum
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President
RIS New Delhi

Thierry DE MONTBRIAL
President
Institut français des relations internationales (Ifri)

André PARANT
Deputy secretary-general
The Ministry for Europe and Foreign Affairs
THE STEERING COMMITTEE
Ensuring the Forum’s expertise

Trisha SHETTY India | Founder | Shesays NGO | President of the Steering Committee

Igor YURGENS Russia | Chairman of the Management Board of the Institute for Contemporary Development | Vice president of the Steering Committee

Fauziya ALI Kenya | Founder and President of Women in International Security-Horn of Africa

Haifa Dia AL-ATTIA Jordan | Vice president Growth and Regional Expansion, Luminus Education

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Renato FLORES Brazil | Member of the board of the Getulio Vargas Foundation

Patrick GASPARD USA | President of Open Society Foundations

Kristalina GEORGIEVA Bulgaria | Managing Director of the International Monetary Fund

Vasu GOUNDEN South Africa | Founder and Executive Director of the African Center for the Constructive Resolution of Disputes (ACCORD)

Rouba MHAISSEN Lebanon | Founder and Director of the Sawa Foundation

Stewart PATRICK USA | Director of the Program on International Institutions and Global Governance at the Council on Foreign Relations

Gabriela RAMOS Mexico | OECD Chief of Staff and Sherpa to the G20

Kenichiro SASAE Japan | President of the Japan Institute of International Affairs

Martin TISNÉ United Kingdom | Managing Director of Luminate

Yenny WAHID Indonesia | Director of The Wahid Institute

Huiyao ‘Henry’ WANG China | Founder and President of the Center for China and Globalization
# THE CIRCLE OF PARTNERS

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THE PROGRAM OF DEBATES

OPENING CEREMONY
Tuesday 12 November: 9:30 – 10:15 | Agora 1
The prestigious Opening Ceremony will begin promptly at 9:30am, with a word of welcome from Trisha Shetty, President of the Paris Peace Forum Steering Committee, and featuring: Ursula VON DER LEYEN (President-Elect of the European Commission), WangQISHAN (Vice President of the People’s Republic of China), Félix TSHISEKEDI (President of the Democratic Republic of Congo), Emmanuel MACRON (President of the French Republic).

PROJECTS HEARING: BRIDGING THE GAP BETWEEN PEOPLE AND GOVERNMENT
Tuesday 12 November: 10:30 – 11:15 | Agora 2
Within the framework of the project hearings, several high-level personalities will form a jury to which project leaders will present innovative initiatives aiming at bringing citizens and politicians closer together. Following a short presentation by each project leader, jury members will be invited to take the floor and share their assessment and comments both on the project itself and on the broader governance issues it raises.
Speaker: Edna JAIME

MEETING OF THE ALLIANCE FOR MULTILATERALISM
Tuesday 12 November: 10:30 – 11:45 | Auditorium
The Alliance for Multilateralism is a network of Foreign Ministers committed to promoting a law-based international order. The Alliance meeting on digital governance aims to foster the necessary dialogue between states, relevant international organizations, businesses, and civil society. The development of digital technology has a wide array of consequences in the economic and technological fields but also in the social and political fields. This meeting will highlight concrete initiatives.
Speakers: Christophe DELOIRE, Pekka HAAVISTO, Subrahmanyam JAISHANKAR, Julian KING, Jeppe KOFOD, Jean-Yves LE DRIAN, Heiko MAAS, Cédric O, Nicolas PETROVIC, Marietje SHAAKE, M. Han SOEKJOO, Martin TISNÉ, Jimmy WALES
RISE OF THE SOUTH: TOWARDS A MORE BALANCED GLOBAL GOVERNANCE SYSTEM

Tuesday 12 November: 11:00 – 12:00 | Agora 1

Over the years, Global South countries have requested several reforms to the existing multilateral system, to no avail. South-South platforms have therefore developed and strengthened. However, our globalized world such as ours, Southern challenges are in fact global and shared. How can we build a more inclusive architecture and update and strengthen the North-South dialogue and partnership?

Speakers: Paul BIYA, Namhong HOR, Mohamed IBRAHIM, Mohan KUMAR, Louise MUSHIKIWABO, His Excellency Hossam ZAKI

INAUGURATION OF THE FORUM ON INFORMATION AND DEMOCRACY

Tuesday 12 November: 11:30 – 12:30 | Amphitheatre

The 2018 Paris Peace Forum hosted 12 Heads of States and Governments to sustain the international Initiative on Information and Democracy, led by Reporters Without Borders (RSF). This initiative led to the signature of the Partnership on Information and Democracy at the 2019 UN General Assembly. The 2019 Paris Peace Forum will echo this milestone in convening again all actors – NGOs, governments, medias and platforms – for the launch of a new multilateral and multi-stakeholder organization to further develop norms and standards to uphold democratic safeguards on information: the Forum on Information and Democracy.

Speakers: Nighat DAD, Christophe DELOIRE, Can DUNDAR, Shirin EBADI, Hauwa IBRAHIM, Joon Hyung KIM, Jean-Yves LE DRIAN, Egils LEVITS, Linas LINKEVIČIUS, Claudia LUCIANI, Fernando VALENZUELA

BEYOND POVERTY: SDGS FOR ALL – INCLUDING THE BOTTOM MILLIONS

Tuesday 12 November: 12:00 – 13:00 | Auditorium

Today, almost 800 million people around the world live in extreme poverty with less than $1.90 a day. Living in destitution is often made worse because many programs such as safety nets and social protection, along with access to public goods like clean water, adequate health care and primary education, do not reach the poorest. How do we, national governments, international institutions and non-profits, refocus our response to the SDGs and shift our approaches so that we can ensure that no one is left behind?

Speakers: Hassan ALI KHAIRE, Youssef CHAHED, Lindsay COATES, His Excellency Bandar HAJJAR, Enrico LETTA, Rémy RIOUX

FIRST ANNIVERSARY OF THE PARIS CALL FOR TRUST AND SECURITY IN CYBERSPACE: BUILDING A MULTI-STAKEHOLDER APPROACH TO CYBERSECURITY

Tuesday 12 November: 12:15 – 13:15 | Agora 1

On 12 November 2018, the President of the French Republic launched the Paris Call for Trust and Security in Cyberspace. For the first time, this initiative gathered actors of different sectors – states, companies, and civil society organizations – who pledged to work together to strengthen relevant international standards and ensure online individual rights are respected. How can we continue to promote a resolutely multi-stakeholder approach to cyberspace regulation?

Speakers: Frédérick DOUZET, John FRANK, Eugene KASPERSKY, Jean-Baptiste LEMOYNE, Cédric O, Gabriela RAMOS

ACCELERATING INNOVATION IN EDUCATION IN THE AGE OF AI

Tuesday 12 November: 12:45 – 13:30 | Amphitheatre

Speakers: Irina BOKOVA, Her Excellency Sheikha HIND BINT HAMAD AL THANI, François TADDEI
ADVANCING CYBERSTABILITY: FINAL REPORT OF THE GLOBAL COMMISSION ON THE STABILITY OF CYBERSPACE

*Tuesday 12 November: 13:15 – 14:00 | The Stage*

The Global Commission on the Stability of Cyberspace (GCSC) was launched in February 2017 at the Munich Security Conference. It has been supported the governments of the Netherlands, France, and Singapore, as well as industry and civil society partners, and facilitated by The Hague Centre for Strategic Studies and the EastWest Institute. Its mission has been to develop proposals for norms and policies to enhance international security and stability in cyberspace. As international negotiations on these issues resume, how can the final GCSC report, the product of a multi-stakeholder process, be used to encourage responsible state and non-state behavior in cyberspace?

Speakers: Stef BLOK, Michael CHERTOFF, Marina KALJURAND, David KOH, Jean-Yves LE DRIAN, Latha REDDY

STILL NOT EQUAL: HOW TO MAKE THE GENERATION EQUALITY FORUM OF JULY 2020 A TRANSFORMATIONAL MOMENT

*Tuesday 12 November: 14:00 – 15:00 | Auditorium*

Earlier this year, France and Mexico agreed to host the Generation Equality Forum in 2020. This Forum, convened by UN Women and organized in close partnership with civil society, aims to celebrate the 25th anniversary of the adoption of the Beijing Platform for Action, and give new impetus to the women’s rights initiatives born from this conference. This session will take stock of the current situation, share examples of good practices that can be replicated or scaled-up as well as put forward further commitments, in preparation for this global women’s rights milestone.

Speakers: Anita BHATIA, Martha DELGADO, Mildred NZAU Alexandra PALT, Marlène SCHIAPPA, Annette YOUNG

Upholding humanity even in times of war: The Geneva Conventions at 70

*Tuesday 12 November: 14:00 – 15:00 | Agora 1*

The adoption of the Geneva Conventions 70 years ago is an example of effective multilateralism in times of adversity. While the ineluctability of war was not ignored, it was nevertheless a striking manifestation of the need to limit the consequences and practices of wars in order to preserve our shared humanity. The face of conflicts may be ever-changing, but the norms agreed then seem to be still as relevant today. What lessons were learned from the past? What will it take to uphold human dignity in current and future wars, including those no longer fought by humans?

Speakers: Sidiki KABA, Hoai Trung LE, Peter MAURER, Christine OCKRENT, Carlos RUIZ MASSIEU

As one: Culture for Peace and a Culture of Peace

*Tuesday 12 November: 14:15 – 15:15 | Agora 3*

What is the best way to promote culture and its accessibility? Culture carries with it a distinct set of ideas, behaviors or intellectual portrayals of the very spirit which imbues its people’s arts and humanities. As an embodiment of the people, culture possesses the unique ability to transcend the challenges which often foster aggression and create division, particularly following times of conflict, where striving towards a historically-faithful restoration of culture contributes to the process of peace and healing.

Speakers: Paul ADAMSON, Hasini HAPUTHANTHRI, Mazen HAYEK, Luca JAHIER, Bariza KHIARI

Launch of the OECD Observatory of Civic Space

*Tuesday 12 November: 14:15 – 15:15 | The Stage*

Citizens need to be informed, organize and express their opinions to engage meaningfully with their governments in the design of policies and services that meet their needs. However, civic freedoms are under serious threat in 111 countries, according to Civicus. The OECD launches an Observatory of Civic Space
to support countries to promote and protect civic space. It will collect data on the most effective legal, policies and implementation frameworks, act as a knowledge-sharing platform among practitioners, and develop international standards and encourage governments to align their policies to them.

This launching event will feature key actors in this field to discuss the state of civic space in the world and how to enhance it.

Speakers: Marcos BONTURI, Patrick GASPARD, Angel GURRIA, Katju HOLKERI, Dhananjayan SRISKANDARAJAH

**ALARMISM IS NOT ENOUGH: CHALLENGING THE STATUS QUO ON ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION**
*Tuesday 12 November: 14:30 – 15:15 | Amphitheatre*

One of the ills of our era is the overconsumption that threatens our ecosystem. Plastic pollution in particular, reflects a widespread tendency to disregard our environment, so much so that by 2050, the oceans could contain more plastic than fish, as per the Ellen MacArthur Foundation/WEF report. This reminds us of the need to consider the fragility of our limited resources, but also our duty – especially towards younger generations – to act immediately through an ecological consensus, and increased awareness. What can be done to reduce or more effectively prevent the degradation of our planet?

Speakers: Jean-Marc BOURSIER, Vanessa SCHERRER, Melati WIJSEN

**IMPLEMENTATION OF THE PARIS CALL PRINCIPLES AND VALUES: CONCRETE INITIATIVES**
*Tuesday 12 November: 14:30 – 15:30 | Agora 2*

Since the launch of the Paris Call on 12 November 2018, this multi-stakeholder initiative’s community of supporters has worked to translate the Call’s commitment to a more secure and stable cyberspace into concrete actions. Many achievements have already been implemented, at the initiative of states, companies or members of civil society. The Paris Peace Forum is an opportunity to highlight some of these accomplishments and exchange good practices.

Speakers: Constance BOMMELAER, Marc HECKER, Alex KLIMBURG, Olaf KOLKMAN, Jacques KRUSE-BRANDAO, Sergio LOMBAN, Henri VERDIER

**ACTING TOGETHER FOR A WORLD FREE OF CHILD LABOR AND FORCED LABOR**
*Tuesday 12 November: 15:15 – 16:15 | Auditorium*

To this day, 40 million people worldwide are victims of contemporary forms of slavery and 152 million children work instead of going to school, sometimes in subsistence agriculture, but also to produce goods that are then exported. Alliance 8.7 brings together all actors, including governments, international organizations, NGOs and companies to end child labor, forced labor and human trafficking. What concrete solutions can this multilateral coalition provide to restore the dignity of people and ensure their fundamental rights are respected?

Speakers: Evelyn CHUMBOW, Angel GURRIA, Anousheh KARVAR, Willy KITOBO SAMSONI, Muriel PENICAUD, Guy RYDER

**ART OF DIALOGUE, DIALOGUE OF THE ARTS**
*Tuesday 12 November: 15:15 – 16:15 | Agora 1*

Culture and the arts are powerful agents of peace. The dialogue between cultural institutions, including private ones, is built on fostering personal relationships that transcend traditional diplomacy. As such, it is crucial to international understanding and cooperation. Museums, art collectors and cultural representatives can help further understanding and prosperity through art, overcoming age-old suspicions and the unstable nature of international relations. This panel explores the intersection of art and diplomacy.

Speakers: Steven ERLANGER, Anibal JOZAMI, Thomas S. KAPLAN, Marina LOSHAK, Her Excellency Nourabint MOHAMMED AL KAABI, Franck RIESTER
ALIGNING PRIVATE FINANCE WITH THE SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS

Tuesday 12 November: 15:30 – 16:15 | The Stage

In Paris, G7 members committed to defining a framework to better align private finance with the UN Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). On the occasion of the Paris Peace Forum, UNDP, OECD, the Ministry of Europe and Foreign Affairs, and their partners will announce the launch of a campaign and joint work on the alignment of finance with the SDGs. The protection of investors, savers and consumers against misleading SDG labels is at stake, with the objective of redirecting available financing capacities towards sustainable development.

Speakers: Bertrand BADRE, Jean-Baptiste LEMOYNE, Abdoulaye MAR DIEYE, Gabriela RAMOS

BRIDGING THE GULF: IMAGINING NEW MECHANISMS TO AVERT A WAR IN THE MIDDLE EAST

Tuesday 12 November: 15:30 – 16:30 | Amphitheatre

Tensions in the Middle East have risen to new heights. The region is wracked by devastating civil conflicts, proxy wars and inter-state tensions. The risk of an accidental outbreak of a broader conflict is particularly ominous. Any effort to prevent it will require opposing sides to open channels of communication and engage in dialogue on the issues that divide them. This panel will look at concrete ways to bring principal actors together in an inclusive process aimed at reducing tensions, and the potential longer-term security arrangements that can stabilize the region.

Speakers: Michel DUCLOS, Robert MALLEY, Sayed Kazem SADDJAPOUR, Abdulaziz SAGER

EMBARKING ON MISSION OCEAN TOGETHER: COME HELP SHAPE EU EFFORTS IN SCIENCE, INNOVATION AND PUBLIC POLICY

Tuesday 12 November: 15:30 – 16:30 | Agora 3

Healthy oceans, seas, lakes and rivers are crucial for our human societies and the future of our planet. They are the source of all life on Earth and our planet’s life-support system. However, the health of our oceans is under severe threat and they are not getting the attention they deserve, nor are their essential functions part of the public consciousness. How can a mission-driven approach contribute to solve one of the major challenges of our times through Research & Innovation and other EU programs and policies? In this interactive session, the Mission Board Healthy Oceans, Seas, Coastal and Inland Waters – a high-level advisory group to the European Commission chaired by Pascal Lamy – will pitch and discuss the scope of the future Innovation Mission under Horizon Europe with Forum participants.

Speakers: Vincent CAMPREDON, Antidia CITORES, Alan DEIDUN, Peter HEFFERNAN, Pascal LAMY, Darko MANAKOVSKI, Cristina PEDICCHIO

THE FOURTH ESTATE: MEDIA BETWEEN CITIZENS AND GOVERNMENTS

Tuesday 12 November: 15:45 – 16:30 | Agora 2

Media are considered the Fourth Estate of political systems. With their vast social influence, newspapers, blogs, radio stations and other outlets also serve as transmission belts between citizens and their governments. In this session, we want to look more closely at the media’s capacity to improve dialogue between different social groups and governing institutions. Join project leaders from around the world who will share their experiences with the media, especially regarding their role in accessing reliable information and achieving social inclusion.

Speakers: Awad ABIR, Fanta DIABY, Denise DRESSER, Jérémy SHAPIRO

COP15 KUNMING: LAST BOARDING CALL FOR BIODIVERSITY

Tuesday 12 November: 16:30 – 17:30 | Agora 1

Just one year away from the COP 15 in Kunming, one million species are threatened, with humans at the root of the vast majority of damage to lands and marine ecosystems. In 2020, China will host the next major international forum on biodiversity conservation, an event that requires active preparation of the agreement
to be signed. The Paris Peace Forum must serve as a preparatory platform to lay this foundation for the adoption of a new global framework for post-2020 biodiversity governance. To succeed, a paradigm of change in biodiversity governance is essential. Could multilateralism make a difference in Kunming?
Speakers: Runxiu HUANG, Her Excellency Razan KHALIFA AL MUBARAK, Ning LIU, Brune POIRSON, Jean-Pierre RAFFARIN, Yin Myo SU

THE FUTURE OF TRADE RULES
Tuesday 12 November: 16:30 – 17:30 | The Stage
With the creation of the WTO, the 1990s saw decisive progress in the development of world trade rules, helping consolidate economic globalization. Since then, geopolitical power shifts and the 2008 crisis have inflamed tensions between countries. So much so, that some of these rules are now being challenged and the very existence of the WTO is threatened. This high-level panel will attempt to determine whether a new consensus can be found to save the existing trade order.
Speakers: Arancha GONZALEZ, Shuli HU, Pascal LAMY, Bruno LE MAIRE, Tharman SHANMUGARATNAM, Alan WOLFF

SURVIVING CLIMATE WRATH: BUILDING RESILIENT INFRASTRUCTURE IN AN AGE OF GLOBAL WARMING
Tuesday 12 November: 16:30 – 17:30 | Auditorium
Half of the world’s infrastructure that will exist in 2050 is yet to be built. This presents us with unique challenges and unprecedented opportunities. The key challenge is that during their long lifecycle, all infrastructure systems will be exposed to a range of disasters including more frequent, severe and unpredictable extreme weather and climate events. The opportunity is that given the scale of investment, if we get it right, we can lock-in resilience for the long term. India, in collaboration with partner countries and the UN Office for Disaster Risk Reduction, is launching a Coalition for Disaster Resilient Infrastructure (CDRI). The Paris Peace Forum will be a unique platform to advance dialogue under the CDRI and engage a range of stakeholders with a view to identify specific areas where international cooperation and mutual exchange can promote disaster and climate resilient infrastructure. The message is clear: let’s invest in resilience!
Speakers: Azali ASSOUMANI, Antoine DENOIX, Koen DOENS, Kamal KISHORE, Onno RUHL, Laurence TUBIANA

LOOTED ART: TAKING AFRICAN CULTURAL HERITAGE RESTITUTION FORWARD
Tuesday 12 November: 16:45 – 17:45 | Amphitheatre
Culture is a key element of identity, as well as of mutual knowledge and understanding. While most of African cultural heritage remains outside the continent following colonization, the present moment represents a key opportunity to build new relationships, while repairing some of the damaged caused during the period. However, the restitution of cultural heritage raises political, legal, practical and ethical questions, and its implementation hinges on consensus. How can we work collaboratively towards new relational ethics? How can a restitution system which ensures the rightful/original owners keep control of their cultural artifacts and assets be designed? What should an effective process of repatriation of African works of art look like?
Speakers: Leopoldo AMADO, Inés DE CASTRO, Nathalie DELAPALME, Lazare ELOUNDOU ASSOMO, Andreas GORGEN, Achille MBEMBE

NOT JUST ENTERTAINMENT: ENABLING DEVELOPMENT THROUGH CULTURE
Tuesday 12 November: 16:45 – 17:30 | Agora 2
It is undeniable that culture has a major role to play in the sustainable development of countries and communities. First because engaging in cultural activities encourages the development of human skills and
openness to the world. But more concretely because cultural activities can become a driver of economic growth, while furthering the preservation, diffusion and renewal of cultural heritage. What can we learn from existing projects and initiatives around the world? Join us to find out!

Speakers: Her Excellency Assia BENSAŁAH ALAOUI, Bert KOENDERS, Stefano MANSERVISI, Xavier SIMONIN

GREENBACK AND GREEN BIAS: GETTING BUSINESS TO SUPPORT BIODIVERSITY

Tuesday 12 November: 16:45 – 17:45 | Agora 3

The private sector is often criticized for its excessive exploitation of natural resources – inescapably leading to their degradation – as well as generating negative externalities for the sake of profit. It is therefore difficult to minimize the role it can play in biodiversity conservation. Although there are several examples where the private sector is actively involved in biodiversity actions, today’s companies must be made more aware of the catastrophic consequences of biodiversity loss, and responsible for the conservation and economic use of biodiversity. How can we make businesses major players in the preservation of ecosystems worldwide?

Speakers: Siham BELHADJ, Mairead DUNDAS, Alexander FEDOROV, Maria Luisa SILVA, Eva ZABEY

THE FUTURES OF EDUCATION & THE OPEN ALLIANCE FOR THE FUTURE OF LEARNING (UNESCO AND CRI)

Tuesday 12 November: 17:45 – 18:30 | The Stage

UNESCO is pleased to introduce the Futures of Education initiative which is catalyzing a global debate to reimagine how knowledge and learning can shape desirable futures for humanity and the planet in a world of increasing complexity, uncertainty, and precarity. Highly complementary, the Open Alliance for the Future of Learning, co-led with the CRI (cri-paris.org), will inspire & empower students, educators and citizens across the world via events, online solutions and a growing network of local chapters to effectively shape together a thriving Learning Planet.

Speakers: Stefania GIANNINI, François TADDEI

THE LIFELINE OF ALL EVIL: STRANGLING ILLICIT FINANCIAL FLOWS

Tuesday 12 November: 17:45 – 18:30 | Agora 2

An estimated $1 trillion in illicit cash and capital leaves developing countries each year, fueling widespread discontent and conflicts rooted in poverty. Furthermore, huge inflows of illicit cash are also corroding the rule of law in established democracies. This panel showcases international efforts to curtail this flow of corrupt funds and return assets stolen from the societies that need them most.

Speakers: Paul ADAMSON, Bruno BRANDAO, Felix FERNANDEZ-SHAW, Juanita OLAYA GARCIA

DEFEATING THE DEADLOCK: TOWARDS A NEW CONSENSUS FOR MULTILATERAL ACTION

Tuesday 12 November: 17:45 – 18:45 | Agora 1

Climate change, new technologies, migration, global inequalities – many of the current global challenges require collective responses. At the same time, the multilateral order is under fire. Great power politics and nationalism are on the rise while support for international organizations is shrinking. In this session we will search for fresh ideas on how to reinvigorate multilateral action. Among other things, we will ask what is needed to overcome geopolitical deadlocks between states? What should the future multilateral system look like? And can ‘multistakeholderism’ be the answer?

Speakers: Amitav ACHARYA, Thomas PAULSEN, Nora MÜLLER, Latha REDDY, Mary ROBINSON, Martin TISNÉ

Hosted by Körber-Stiftung
DOHA DEBATES: LOSS OF TRUST - CAN WE THRIVE WITHOUT TRUST IN GOVERNMENTS?
Tuesday 12 November: 17:45 – 19:45 | Auditorium
Public trust in governments is near historic lows, as confidence plummets and belief in institutions’ basic fairness and functions erodes each day, according to global studies. Three quarters of all governments are mistrusted by their citizens. How can we restore trust? Or should we not? Should we move trust to new social initiatives and technologies instead of the old formal bodies of government?
Speakers: Brett HENNIG, Toni LANE CASSERLY, Prince Zeid RAAD AL HUSSEIN, Ghida RAKHRY

HOST WITH THE MOST: MUTUALLY BENEFICIAL REFUGEE INTEGRATION INITIATIVES
Tuesday 12 November: 18:00 – 18:45 | Agora 3
Most refugees worldwide are stuck in protracted situations, oftentimes as unsuitable for emergency relief as for longer term solutions. Enabling refugees to work in their host country is a way to address both the development needs of host communities and countries as well as the humanitarian needs of refugees. Long-term solutions aimed at providing adequate access to employment and education enhance independence, allowing refugees to better provide for themselves and their families, preserve dignity, and build a meaningful future. The panel will explore such mutually beneficial opportunities for economic growth.
Speakers: Jeannot AHOSSOU-KOUDIO, Paolo ARTINI, Paul Richard GALLAGHER Olivier LAVINAL, Rouba MHAISSEN, Britta SANDBERG

TEACHING HISTORY, TEACHING PEACE: CONFRONTING AND RECONCILING MEMORIES IN EUROPE
Tuesday 12 November: 18:00 – 19:30 | Amphitheatre
Teaching history is tantamount to building collective consciousness. With rampant manipulation of history and the reemergence of hate speech in public debate throughout Europe, teaching history can foster reconciliation between peoples. It is in this spirit that France and its partners suggest creating an Observatory on History Teaching in Europe. How can teaching history contribute to peace on the European continent and elsewhere?
Speakers: Antoine ARIAKOVSKY, Gabriella BATTAINI-DRAGONI, Jean-Michel BLANQUER, Amélie DE MONTCHALIN, Tatiana JEAN, Blandine SMILANSKY

HOW DO WE SHARE USEFUL DATA? THE PROMISED LAND OF DATA COMMONS
Tuesday 12 November: 18:45 – 19:45 | Agora 2
Competition, privacy and security concerns are challenging how governments, NGOs and entrepreneurs harness data and AI for good. Initiatives like Global Data Commons and others aims to address these challenges by lowering barriers to data collection, sharing and use through legal, operational and ethical frameworks. Specifically, the data commons can help deliver on the SDGs, and the discussion will start from a concrete question: how can NGOs share nature conservation data among themselves and beyond?
Speakers: Yolanda LANNQUIST, Frédéric LAUNAY, Justin VAÏSSE, Henri VERDIER, Jimmy WALES

AU-EU YOUTH HUB: KICKSTARTING NEW APPROACHES WITH YOUTH IN THE DRIVING SEAT
Tuesday 12 November: 19:00 – 19:45 | Agora 1
The first Hub session (November 2018) was dedicated to building innovative projects based on the priorities presented by Youth at the AU-EU Abidjan Summit. The second Hub session (November 2019) kick-started project implementation, enabling the 42 youth from the Hub to engage with 7 selected Civil Society Organizations leading the pilot projects. During this session, the AU-EU Youth Hub will report on the year of support from the Scale-Up Committee and present concrete roadmaps for each pilot project.
Speakers: Pierre BUYOYA, Jean CONSTANTINESCO, Koen DOENS, Arancha GONZALEZ, Tijjani MUHAMMAD-BANDE, 6 AU-EU Youth Cooperation Hub Young Experts
DIGITAL DEMOCRACY CHARTER: FOR THE WELLBEING OF DEMOCRATIC SOCIETY

Wednesday 13 November: 9:00 – 9:45 | Agora 2

The session will explore the leading efforts taken by governments around the world to address digital threats to democracy in the age of digital platforms and surveillance commerce. Building on the work the Paris Peace Forum has done supporting the Digital Democracy Charter, this discussion will focus attention on a public policy agenda that includes data privacy, competition, content moderation, election security and more. The panel will feature the perspectives of pioneering leaders in the public sector.

Speakers: Karen MELCHIOR, Ben SCOTT, Henri VERDIER, Steve WOOD

KICKING THE HABIT: RETHINKING THE WAR ON DRUGS

Wednesday 13 November: 9:00 – 9:45 | Agora 3

While the war on drugs has been going on for decades, the supply and use of drugs have still not declined. Meanwhile, the destructive impact of drug use and trafficking is growing in key areas such as the economy, development, security, environment, public health, and human rights. Finding durable solutions requires transnational and cross-sectoral cooperation to lift taboos surrounding drugs and strengthen the capacity of local actors to implement concrete action. What are the better alternatives?

Speakers: Ann FORDHAM, Camila RUIZ SEGOVIA, Khalid TINASTI

LEARNING FROM THE PAST, LOOKING TO THE FUTURE: 30-YEAR ANNIVERSARY OF THE FALL OF BERLIN WALL

Wednesday 13 November: 9:00 – 9:45 | Amphitheatre

As part of the Paris Peace Forum, the Institut français des relations internationales (Ifri) is organizing a debate on the lessons to be learned from the fall of the Berlin Wall in both Europe and Asia. What were the hopes and promises when the wall fell? Has it led to a new world order or a new world disorder? Thirty years later, how has the international system evolved? And what are the prospects for European security, and transatlantic and Euro-Asian relations?

Speakers: Andrei GRACHEV, Thomas GOMART, Daniela SCHWARZER, Yoichi SUZUKI, Hubert VEDRINE

BRAIN DRAIN: MAKING BETTER USE OF THE WORLD’S TALENT

Wednesday 13 November: 9:00 – 10:00 | The Stage

With a competitive market and the emergence of new technologies, such as big data and AI, the demand for skilled talent has increased significantly worldwide. The current combination of human capital flow and the shortage of talent have led to a global race for experts that could affect international relations. Global talent governance is of the utmost importance if we are to meet current and future needs. Therefore, how can we establish a mechanism to improve the conversation, coordination and cooperation around global talent? How can we explore the global governance innovation for the talent mobility in the future world?

Speakers: Jean-Christophe DUMONT, Martin GEIGER, Frank LACZKO, Mabel MIAO, Henry (Hui-yao) WANG, Rui YANG

CAN YOU BE A GREEN GILET JAUNE? ENSURING THE SOCIAL SUSTAINABILITY OF ENVIRONMENTAL EFFORTS

Wednesday 13 November: 9:00 – 10:00 | Agora 1

In the wake of the yellow vests movement in France, the need for global policies – in particular on climate change – that are socially acceptable to all has become urgent. This debate has been cast as the tension between ‘end of the world’ and ‘end of the month’. Tending to the first preoccupation is vital to the future of mankind, while tending to the second is vital to the first. If we want to ensure the social sustainability of climate efforts, the two political objectives will have to be reconciled, and the two constituencies – sometimes overlapping –
will have to agree on new policies. Beyond climate, the Gilets Jaunes and the community of global governance activists share many concerns, like fiscal justice, that offer a platform for political discussion.

Speakers: Michel COLOMBIER, Sylvie KAUFFMANN, Ingrid LEVASSEUR

THE FUTURE IS FEMALE: ACHIEVING WOMEN’S ECONOMIC EMPOWERMENT

*Wednesday 13 November: 9:00 – 10:00 | Auditorium*

Women’s economic empowerment is a key condition to achieving sustainable development. Despite efforts to change perspectives such as the SDGs, women continue to be underrepresented in all economic areas. They are underprivileged when it comes to owning land or controlling production assets. In many developing countries in particular, women have little or no access to the labor market. How do we change this situation? Join this session alongside several top female decision-makers to discuss how to strengthen the role of women in the global economy.

Speakers: Miren BENGOA, Hervé EKUE, Marjeta JAGER, Kareen RISPAL, Yenny WAHID

ANTICIPATION IS KEY: COUNTERING THE IMPACTS OF CLIMATE CHANGE

*Wednesday 13 November: 10:00 – 10:45 | Amphitheatre*

It is the combination of structural vulnerability and lack of population preparedness that causes major disasters, not natural hazards themselves. As a result, climate change increases the vulnerability of local communities more exposed to climate risks, ecosystem degradation, reduced water and food availability, and livelihood changes. How can we ensure that communities, countries and regions have the prevention, mitigation, adaptation and response mechanisms in place to reduce the intensity of impacts and preserve livelihoods and development?

Speakers: Marie-Anne KINI, Anne LE MORE, Matt LURIE, Odile RENAUD-BASSO, Frank RIJSBERMAN

DURABLE PEACE: BUILDING BETTER PEACE PROCESSES THROUGH PARTNERSHIPS

*Wednesday 13 November: 10:00 – 10:45 | Agora 2*

It is essential to rethink the way peace processes are designed and structured. Additionally, it is time to move from peace processes guided by short-term milestones, mechanically leading to negative peace, to long-term solutions that can generate positive peace. Only better ownership of peace processes by civilians in conflict zones and increased diplomatic force from all stakeholders can yield tangible results. How can better funding and the use of new technologies make peace processes more sustainable and effective?

Speakers: Jean-Marie GUEHENNO, Hilde HARDEMAN, Salman SHAIKH, Scott WEBER

UNMUTE DEMOCRACY – USE YOUR RIGHT TO INFORMATION

*Wednesday 13 November: 10:00 – 10:45 | Agora 3*

People’s right to have a say – Is it a virtue or a curse? It might be a curse if the information required to make a reasoned argument is not available! The right to information bridges the information gap between the state and citizens. It amplifies citizens’ voice and pushes the State’s unmute button. Facilitated by digital means, it increases outreach and legitimacy. This panel discusses how SDG 16.10.2 facilitates constructive state-citizen dialogue and expands both sides’ scope of action.

Speakers: Shaukat ALI YOUSAFZAI, Rosa GONZALEZ, Hasini HAPUTHANTHRI, Toby MENDEL, Azmat Hanif ORAKZAI

MAKING IT WORK: THE 2018 SCUP PROJECTS, 1 YEAR LATER

*Wednesday 13 November: 10:15 – 11:00 | The Stage*

Through its scale-up initiative, the Paris Peace Forum aims to advance the most promising governance projects. This noteworthy session will reflect on the first year of operation of the Scale-up Committee (SCUP). SCUP members and project representatives will be invited to assess the progress made by projects,
as well as the impact of the SCUP in enabling such progress. Areas for improvement will also be explored, prior to selecting the new class of supported projects.

Speakers: Paulina MURPHY, Alejandro PONCE, Joseph POWELL, Trisha SHETTY, Alexandre STUTZMANN

**BORDERS IN A ‘BORDERLESS’ WORLD**
Wednesday 13 November: 10:15 – 11:15 | Auditorium

After the fall of the Iron Curtain, the world has seen unprecedented levels of interconnectedness. Globalization and transnational flows of people, goods, capital, and information were expected to render borders less and less important. 30 years later, the opposite seems to have happened: Around the world, borders are heavily protected, contested, or even unilaterally redrawn. In this session we will explore the (renewed) role of borders in a seemingly borderless world. How should states and international organizations deal with the conflicting demands of open and secure borders? In what ways do we have to change our approach to borders in times of accelerating globalization?

Speakers: Benedetta BERTI, Pia FUHRHOP, Thomas GREMINGER, Elisabeth VON HAMMERSTEIN

**A FUSION OF SOLUTIONS: TOWARDS COMMON PRINCIPLES ON ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE?**
Wednesday 13 November: 10:15 – 11:15 | Agora 1

The way AI technologies, systems and platforms are designed, deployed and used is reshaping the social dynamics of our human society, opening a wide range of ethical and political questions. Citizens and civil society groups have alerted on its dangers and asked for regulation. Initiatives have flourished from around the world – from agencies, countries and multilateral bodies. This panel will try to foster the convergence of these initiatives so as to move to the next step of governance in the coming years.

Speakers: Anne BOUVEROT, Kersti KALJULAID, Gabriela RAMOS, Sasha RUBEL, Nicolas THERY, Zee Kin YEONG

**GIVING WAR THE RED CARD: ACHIEVING PEACE THROUGH SPORT**
Wednesday 13 November: 11:00 – 11:45 | Amphitheatre

Sport, and olympism in particular, is known as a way to promote a culture of peace, social responsibility, understanding, and respect. The instrumental role of sport is best exemplified by the ancient Greek tradition of the Olympic Truce. The concept of the Olympic Truce was revived by the International Olympic Committee in the 90s and has since received backing from the UN. This session will reflect on the influence of sport in international relations, on the existing support framework for global observance of the Olympic Truce, and the ways it could be developed in the near future.

Speakers: Pascal BONIFACE, Guy DRUT, Mirjana IVKOVIC, Ion LAZARENCO, Seung Min RYU

**GLOBAL PROBLEM, LOCAL SOLUTION: COMMUNITY-LEVEL APPROACHES TO PREVENT EXTREMISM**
Wednesday 13 November: 11:00 – 11:45 | Agora 2

There is an urgent need to improve community engagement and inter-agency cooperation regarding the prevention and countering of radicalization, which ultimately leads to violence. By improving its knowledge and capacity to prevent and fight radicalization, civil society can become even more of a partner in the search for durable solutions. On top of recognizing civil society’s crucial contribution to this issue, how can we encourage community-level approaches through innovative bottom-up strategies?

Speakers: Fauziya ABDI ALI, Jeppe ALBERS, Nuriia KARAKULOVA, Rym MOMTAZ

**IN YOUTH ELITE WE TRUST? YOUNG LEADER PROGRAMS AROUND THE WORLD**
Wednesday 13 November: 11:00 – 11:45 | Agora 3

Countless organizations around the globe bring together thousands of ‘young potentials’ in their leadership networks. Their main objectives are to create bonds across nations and sectors, and to equip these young leaders with the skills required to make positive change in their respective communities (and their career).
But young leader networks are also criticized for being elitist, exclusive, and for suffering from the Matthew effect. Join this session to discuss how such programs should be designed, how selection processes can be fair and transparent, and how these networks can benefit people beyond their membership.

Speakers: Valérie DEKIMPE, Mandakini GAHLOT, Evgeny GONTMAKHER, Benjamin MWAPE, Fleur PELLERIN

THE FUTURE OF TRUST AND TRANSPARENCY IN CYBERSECURITY

Wednesday 13 November: 11:15 – 12:00 | The Stage

In today’s ultra-connected world, the role and responsibility of cybersecurity has changed, as well as matter of trust for the industry. Kaspersky, being a pioneer of a transparent security through its Global Transparency Initiative, invites vendors to discuss a further development of a digital trust to the long-term success of organizations, as well as evolution of transparency and its impact on cybersecurity landscape.

Speakers: Eugene KASPERSKY, Anton SHINGAREV

REHAB: SHAPING A MORE EFFECTIVE RESPONSE TO DRUG TRAFFICKING WORLDWIDE

Wednesday 13 November: 11:30 – 12:30 | Agora 1

Global evidence, UN reports and scientific literature indicate that the ‘war on drugs’ has failed to achieve its objectives of eliminating or reducing the production, consumption and trafficking of illegal drugs. Furthermore, it has created major negative consequences, mostly unintended, impacting economic, social and cultural sectors. These include mass incarcerations; a thriving illegal drug market; the spread of infectious diseases; the lack of access to pain relief medication; and gross human rights violations. The panel covers essential areas where cooperation between stakeholders can lead to shaping an effective, humane and cost-effective response to drugs.

Speakers: Gunilla CARLSSON, Martha DELGADO, Ruth DREIFUSS, Svante MYRICK, Mohammad-Mahmoud OULD MOHAMEDOU, Alexander SOROS

CLEANER AND GREENER: MAKING OUR CITIES MORE SUSTAINABLE

Wednesday 13 November: 12:00 – 12:45 | Agora 3

With their dense populations, cities are consuming the majority of environmental resources. Testing innovative ways to be more environmentally conscious in populous urban areas necessarily includes having an impact on consumption patterns. This discussion will therefore go beyond answering how cities can evenly deliver quality sustainable public equipment and services. Indeed, this session will explore ways of rethinking the relationship between urbanites and their cities’ politics as well as sharing best practices across continents.

Speakers: Ananta GANJOO, Carolina GUIMARÃES, Daniel GUIRAUD, Sigita STRUMSKYTE

HANDLE WITH CARE: LOCAL GOVERNANCE AND CONFLICT PREVENTION IN FRAGILE STATES

Wednesday 13 November: 12:00 – 12:45 | Auditorium

Group-based grievances arising from inequality, exclusion and feelings of injustice increase the risk of instability and conflicts. Vulnerable groups, including religious and ethno-cultural minorities, indigenous groups and women and girls are subject to various forms of exclusion in political, economic and social domains. Fostering more secure, peaceful and resilient societies requires that these exclusions be addressed through participatory, community-led development processes. This panel explores how local governance and community engagement can support the efforts of multilateral and national actors in building resilience and preventing conflicts in fragile environments.

Speakers: Aïchatou BOULAMA KANE, Franck BOUSQUET, Christian KRAMER, Najmuddin NAJM, Nabila RAMDANI
REGULATING AI BY CONSENT: INVOLVING CITIZENS IN THE SHAPING OF ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE RULES

Wednesday 13 November: 12:00 – 12:45 | Amphitheatre

As the world becomes increasingly interconnected, the deployment of Artificial Intelligence in our economic, political, and social systems has caused much anxiety while decisions made by governments, corporations and large institutions have become less accessible to citizens. In this context, a strategic and inclusive discussion on the modalities of global governance in the era of Artificial Intelligence must be opened, before exploring new models and more advanced policies with which to tame the AI beast.

Speakers: Matt HOULILAN, Jan KLEIJSSEN, Xin LI, Nicolas MIAILHE, Salwa TOKO

PLAYING AS A TEAM: COMPANIES, GOVERNMENTS AND NGOS WORKING TOGETHER TO ACHIEVE THE SDGS

Wednesday 13 November: 13:00 – 13:45 | Agora 3

With the introduction of the Sustainable Development Goals, the United Nations have helped shift the global narrative on development. No longer a topic focusing solely on alleviating poverty and increasing production, development now focuses on social and environmental impacts. Today, the leadership challenge is clear: it will be impossible to achieve the SDGs without accelerating a concerted effort from businesses, governments and civil society. On a practical level, how can we close the trust gap between these actors, and foster partnership instead?

Speakers: Kate GARVEY, Gerbrand HAVERKAMP, Arnaud PINCET, Susan WILDING, Daphne YONG-D’HERVE

REINFORCED PARTNERSHIPS AGAINST THE TRAFFICKING OF CULTURAL GOODS AND ITS USE TO FINANCE TERRORISM

Wednesday 13 November: 13:00 – 13:45 | Agora 2

Cultural heritage represents an essential value for humankind and as such, is recognized as factor of unity to be developed and safeguarded. On top of sporadic destructions, cultural heritage is permanently targeted by trafficking networks. The proceeds of the theft and subsequent resale of this heritage support criminal and terrorist groups. The organization of a roundtable discussion dedicated to reinforced partnerships against the trafficking of cultural goods is an opportunity to hold an exchange between relevant stakeholders. The discussion also aims to identify useful tools, such as available instruments to fight money laundering and counter the financing of terrorism, and areas in which technical assistance would be needed.

Speakers: Corinne CHARTRELLE, Sophie DELEPIERRE, David HOTTE, Olivier LUYCKX, Paolo MONTORSI

IN DEFENSE OF PLURALISM: INCLUDING MINORITIES IN DIVERSE SOCIETIES

Wednesday 13 November: 13:30 – 14:15 | Agora 1

Within the framework of the project hearings, several high-level personalities will form a jury to which project leaders will present innovative solutions for more inclusive economies. Following a short presentation by each project leader, jury members will be invited to take the floor and share their assessment and comments both on the project itself and on the broader governance issues it raises.

Speakers: Sônia GUAJAJARA, Roberta MEDDA-WINDISCHER, Meredith PRESTON MCGHIE

FAKE NEWS NO MORE: TACKLING ONLINE DISINFORMATION AND HATEFUL CONTENT

Wednesday 13 November: 13:45 – 14:30 | Amphitheatre

While the challenges presented by the spread of violent, extremist, and harmful content online may be daunting, a strong and coordinated global action and concrete steps can turn online expression into a tool to strengthen worldwide democracy. With the Internet becoming the main source of information for citizens around the world, traditional media will also need to fundamentally change their approach. This panel will
discuss the importance of a global response to steer online freedom of speech away from fake news and harmful content.
Speakers: Jane COOMBS, Olaf KOLKMAN, Cédric O, Benjamin RHODES, Martin TISNÉ

SHINE BRIGHT: A BETTER FUTURE WITH INNOVATION IN EDUCATION
Wednesday 13 November: 13:45 – 14:45 | Auditorium
Political preoccupation often leads to education being deprioritized despite it bearing significant weight on the course of the future and constituting a human right. As such, educational policy, principles, and standards should remain robust, innovative and in tune with the times, reflective of the full scope of the communities education reaches, while ensuring no one is left in darkness. Given this, in order to avoid propagating or cementing biased or unfair attitudes which will shape the world around us for entire generations, topics such as inclusivity and gender parity – often flagged as areas of improvement across society – must be promoted and provided in education systems across the world.
Speakers: Haifa Dia AL-ATTIA, Nicolas BAUQUET, Delphine DORSI, Ahmad HASNAH, Myo Thein GYI

AGE IS BUT A NUMBER: INCLUDING YOUTH IN DECISION-MAKING PROCESSES
Wednesday 13 November: 14:00 – 14:45 | Agora 3
In all regions of the world, youth face rising unemployment, insecurity, and decreasing social welfare. Although they are social actors with the necessary skills and abilities to constructively solve their own problems, there is too often a failure or even a refusal to recognize the benefits of their participation in the processes and decisions shaping their future and well-being. This panel will discuss ways to make youth participation meaningful. Let’s allow youth-led projects to show us how to walk the talk.
Speakers: Machaille AL-NAIMI, Edwin Edwin Mulimi NANYENDO, Yasmine OUIRHANE, Stefan PFALZER, Noëlla RICHARD

HEALING THE UNIFORM: INVOLVING THE POLICE IN KUMEKUCHA’S UNIQUE TRAUMA-INFORMED PEACEBUILDING APPROACH
Wednesday 13 November: 14:00 – 14:45 | Agora 2
Green String Network (GSN)’s Kumekucha approach on trauma-informed peacebuilding transforms communities to models of peaceful coexistence. With the support of the Forum’s Scale-up Committee (SCUP), GSN streamlined its unique proposal and expanded it to new sectors and regions. In collaboration with the Kenyan Police, it developed Muamko Mpya: Healing the Uniform, an unprecedented new trauma-informed policing initiative, which can and should be integrated in the work of peers across the world.
Speakers: Koen DOENS, Ahmed FAMAU AHMED, Evelyn NJERI MBUGUA, Jaspher NYAUMA OMBATI

PRESS CONFERENCE
Wednesday 13 November: 14:00 – 15:00 | The Stage
Press-only event to present the 10 new projects – chosen from a selection of 115 – that will benefit from the Forum’s support for a year.
Speakers: Pascal LAMY, Trisha SHETTY, Justin VAÏSSE

MY COUNTRY FIRST! ANTI-GLOBALIZATION AND THE QUESTIONING OF COLLECTIVE ACTION
Wednesday 13 November: 14:30 – 15:30 | Agora 1
The past years have seen growing discontent and outward questioning of global elites and global institutions – including traditional multilateral bodies. A wave of political sentiment putting forward national sovereignty, protectionism and nationalism has swept the planet, putting in question not only future global governance efforts, but also existing international rules and mechanisms. In a world where challenges are
increasingly interconnected and require collective action, how can we take these voices into account? How do we rebuild faith in the global architecture in the age of ‘my country first’?
Speakers: Julius KREIN, Sophie PEDDER, Luis RUBIO, Igor YURGENS

A SPACE GOVERNANCE ODYSSEY: REGULATING SPACE TRAFFIC BEFORE THE CRASH
Wednesday 13 November: 14:45 – 15:45 | Amphitheatre
While still the domain of a few sovereign states and their defense ministries in particular, space is attracting private actors who are active in launching and deploying constellations made up of thousands of satellites each. This overcrowding of already busy orbits will force authorities to improve the regulation and traffic rules in space. If they don’t tend to that common, the risks of collision and interference will become unsustainable, threatening current activities vital for Earth and harming the prospect of progress for mankind. If creating the equivalent of an ICAO is not within reach yet, at least a multi-stakeholder process could be started to bring rules of the road to outer space.
Speakers: Carine CLAEYS, Xavier PASCO

ACADEMYATI: AN EXEMPLAR OF QATAR FOUNDATION’S THRIVING 2.0 EDUCATION
Wednesday 13 November: 15:00 – 15:45 | The Stage
Qatar Foundation is excited to introduce Academyati as the first progressive school in Qatar under the umbrella of QF’s Pre-University Education program. Academyati recognizes that every child has their own talents, interests, strengths and needs, and therefore provides tailored, creative, and nurturing learning through its innovative curriculum and personal plans for each student. Academyati’s principles align with that of QF: the provision of innovative quality education enabling all students to reach their full potential by customizing their learning experiences.
Speakers: Al Nuaimi BUTHAINA, Al-Haijri MARYAM, Aysegul SERT

GEO-ENGINEERING CLIMATE: SHORTCUT TO COOLING THE PLANET OR PLAYING WITH FIRE?
Wednesday 13 November: 15:00 – 15:45 | Agora 2
The climate crisis is real. More than 20 years after the signing of the Kyoto Protocol, states and private actors have failed to curb climate change – with devastating consequences. Greenhouse gas removal or solar radiation management are sometimes heralded as the long-awaited quick fixes. But geoengineering comes with many uncertainties regarding its effectiveness and unintended side effects. Should we interfere with natural systems at such large scale? Does geoengineering present a moral hazard? Or is it the miracle cure we have been waiting for?
Speakers: Kerry ADLER, Elizabeth BURNS, Stewart PATRICK, Kai Uwe Barani SCHMIDT

IN FULL TRANSPARENCY: ACCESS TO INFORMATION TO COUNTER CORRUPTION
Wednesday 13 November: 15:00 – 15:45 | Agora 3
Corruption entails a lack of transparency, human rights violations, and inequality. As such, fighting this crime is a priority on the international agenda. However, corruption cannot be defeated through institutional action alone. Effective access to information is one way of guaranteeing that citizens uphold their rights, as is the use of innovative approaches and digital tools to facilitate accountability, transparency, and the prevention of corruption in supply chains. How can both approaches be combined to give citizens a central role in the fight against corruption?
Speakers: Taimur JIHAGRA, Pierre HEILBRONN, Mirma JAMMAL, Maria Alejandra VESGA
CLOSING CEREMONY

Wednesday 13 November: 16:00 | Agora 1

From a carefully selected group of 120 initiatives presented at the Forum, 10 projects will be chosen to receive support from the Scale Up Committee throughout the year. Those chosen will be announced at this conclusive moment of the annual Forum.

Speakers: Trisha SHETTY, Justin VAÏSSE
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