

## Making Transatlantic Relations Work in the Post-Lisbon Era

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8.30-9.00: Breakfast

9.00-10.30 am: **Russia: the challenge of finding the (common) right balance**

Chair: *Fiona Hill*, the Brookings Institution  
*Marie Mendras*, French Ministry of Foreign Affairs  
*Michael McFaul*, National Security Council  
*Ivan Krastev*, Centre for Liberal Strategies  
*Strobe Talbott*, the Brookings Institution

10.30-11.00: Coffee Break

11am-12.30pm: **Iran's double challenge to Europe and the US**

Chair: *Laurie Dundon*, Bertelsmann Foundation  
*Rolf Nikel*, Office of the German Chancellor  
*Richard Nephew*, U.S. Department of State  
*Nicola Pedde*, Italian Institute for Global Studies  
*Suzanne Maloney*, the Brookings Institution

12.30-2pm: Lunch

2-3.30pm: **The triangular relationship: US-Europe-China**

Chair: *Mark Leonard*, European Council on Foreign Relations  
*Robert von Rimscha*, Federal Foreign Office of Germany  
*Evan Medeiros*, National Security Council  
*François Godement*, European Council on Foreign Relations  
*Richard Bush*, the Brookings Institution

3.30-4pm: Coffee break

4-5.30 pm: **AfPak: how to avoid a transatlantic divorce**

Chair: *Ralf Fücks*, the Heinrich Böll Foundation  
*Jasmine Zerini*, French Ministry of Foreign Affairs  
*Vali Nasr*, U.S. Department of State  
*Dan Korski*, European Council on Foreign Relations  
*Bruce Riedel*, the Brookings Institution