

**Inter-Parliamentary Conference for the Common Foreign and Security Policy and
 the Common Security and Defence Policy (CFSP/CSDP)**

**Zagreb, 2 - 4 March 2020
 Programme**

Monday, 2 March 2020

15.00 – 19.00	Arrival of delegations and registration at the hotels
18.30	Departure from the hotels to the dinner venue
19.00 – 21.00	Dinner hosted by Mr Miro Kovač, Chair of the Foreign Affairs Committee, and Mr Igor Dragovan, Chair of the Defence Committee of the Croatian Parliament
	<i>Venue: Mimara Museum, Rooseveltov trg 5</i>
21.15	Return to the hotels

Tuesday, 3 March 2020

	Meeting of the Presidential Troika and the European Parliament
7.30	Departure by bus from the hotels
8.00 – 08.30	Meeting of the Presidential Troika and the European Parliament <i>Venue: "Panorama" Hall, 17th floor, The Westin Zagreb</i>

	Meeting of the Heads of Delegation
8.00	Departure by bus from the hotels
8.30 – 9.30	Meeting of the Heads of Delegation <i>Venue: "Kristalna dvorana" Hall, ground floor, The Westin Zagreb</i>

	Meetings of the political groups
9.15	Departure by bus from the hotels
9.45 – 10.20	Meetings of the political groups <i>Venue: The Westin Zagreb</i>



10.00 Departure by bus from the hotels to the conference venue for other participants
Venue: The Westin Zagreb

10.30 – 10.55 **Opening session**

Introductory remarks:

Mr Miro Kovač, Chair of the Foreign Affairs Committee of the Croatian Parliament

Mr Igor Dragovan, Chair of the Defence Committee of the Croatian Parliament

Mr David McAllister, Chair of the Foreign Affairs Committee of the European Parliament

Welcome address:

Mr Gordan Jandroković, Speaker of the Croatian Parliament

11.00 – 12.30 **SESSION I: Global challenges for a resilient and influential Europe**

Chair: Mr Miro Kovač, Chair of the Foreign Affairs Committee of the Croatian Parliament

Keynote speaker:

Mr Gordan Grlić Radman, Envoy of the Prime Minister of the Republic of Croatia, Minister of Foreign and European Affairs of the Republic of Croatia

Debate

12:45 – 14.00 Lunch at the conference venue

14.15 – 16.30 **SESSION II: A credible European perspective for the Western Balkan countries**

Chair: Mr Miro Kovač, Chair of the Foreign Affairs Committee of the Croatian Parliament

Keynote speakers:

Mr Tonino Picula, Member of the Committee on Foreign Affairs of the European Parliament

Ms Željana Zovko, Member of the Committee on Foreign Affairs of the European Parliament

Ms Genoveva Ruiz Calavera, Director for the Western Balkans in the European Commission's DG NEAR

Debate



16.30 – 17.00	Coffee break
17.00 – 18.00	<p>WORKSHOP 1: Eastern Partnership after 2020 <i>Venue: "Kristalna dvorana" Hall, ground floor, The Westin Zagreb</i></p> <p>Moderator: Mr Domagoj Hajduković, Vice-Chair of the European Affairs Committee of the Croatian Parliament Speaker: Mr Michael Gahler, Member of the Committee on Foreign Affairs of the European Parliament</p> <p>WORKSHOP 2: PESCO: the challenge of coherence of EU defence initiatives and the role of European and national Parliaments <i>Venue: "Opera" Hall, 17th floor, The Westin Zagreb</i></p> <p>Moderator: Mr Anđelko Stričak, Vice-Chair of the Defence Committee of the Croatian Parliament Speakers: Ms Nathalie Loiseau, Chair of the Subcommittee on Security and Defence of the European Parliament Mr Arnaud Migoux, Head of Sector for Security and Defence Policy, European External Action Service Brigadier Zdravko Perajica, Head of Department for NATO and EU, Ministry of Defence of the Republic of Croatia</p> <p>WORKSHOP 3: The role of women in peace and security <i>Venue: "Panorama" Hall, 17th floor, The Westin Zagreb</i></p> <p>Moderator: Ms Hannah Neumann, Member of the European Parliament Speaker: Colonel Sandra Jonjić, Ministry of Defence of the Republic of Croatia</p>
18.00	Return by bus to the hotels
19.45	Departure by bus to the dinner venue
20.15 – 22.15	<p>Dinner hosted by Mr Miro Kovač, Chair of the Foreign Affairs Committee of the Croatian Parliament, and Mr Igor Dragovan, Chair of the Defence Committee of the Croatian Parliament</p> <p><i>Venue: Vatroslav Lisinski Concert Hall, Trg Stjepana Radića 4</i></p>
22.15	Return by bus to the hotels



Wednesday, 4 March 2020

08.30 Departure by bus from the hotels to Hotel Westin
Venue: The Westin Zagreb, Kršnjavoga 1

09.00 – 10.45 **SESSION III: Strengthening European defence cooperation and industry**

Chair: Mr Igor Dragovan, Chair of the Defence Committee of the Croatian Parliament

Keynote speakers:

Mr Damir Krstičević, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Defence of the Republic of Croatia

Mr Timo Pesonen, Director-General for Defence Industry and Space, European Commission

Mr Pawel Herczynski, Acting Deputy Secretary General for CSDP and crisis response, European External Action Service

Debate

11.00 – 11.30 **Presentation of summary conclusions of the workshops**

Chair: Mr Miro Kovač, Chair of the Foreign Affairs Committee of the Croatian Parliament

Mr David McAllister, Chair of the Foreign Affairs Committee of the European Parliament

Short presentations by the three moderators

11.30 – 12.30 **Urgency debate**

Chair: Mr Miro Kovač, Chair of the Foreign Affairs Committee of the Croatian Parliament

Mr David McAllister, Chair of the Foreign Affairs Committee of the European Parliament

12:30 – 13:15 **Adoption of Conclusions**

Chair: Mr Miro Kovač, Chair of the Foreign Affairs Committee of the Croatian Parliament

Mr David McAllister, Chair of the Foreign Affairs Committee of the European Parliament

13.15 – 14.30 Lunch at the conference venue



14:35 – 16:00

SESSION IV: Exchange of views with the High Representative of the Union for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy/Vice-President of the European Commission on the priorities of the Common Foreign and Security Policy and the Common Security and Defence Policy

Chair: Mr Miro Kovač, Chair of the Foreign Affairs Committee of the Croatian Parliament

Mr David McAllister, Chair of the Foreign Affairs Committee of the European Parliament

Keynote speaker:

Mr Josep Borrell Fontelles, High Representative of the Union for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy/Vice-President of the European Commission

Debate

16.05

Closing remarks by the Chairpersons

Return by bus to the hotels

Departure of the delegations

