

# Foresight in European Security Policy

## Panel 3

### **Foresight in the European Union: Key Applications**

#### **A Multi-disciplinary Conference on The Institutionalisation of Foresight In the European Union**

Series of events organised by the Institute for European Law (KU Leuven) | the European Trade Union Institute | the College of Europe (Bruges) | the Europaeum (founded by Oxford University)

### **Virtual\* Europaeum Panel**

**February 23, 2023, 14:00 to 16:00 CET**

This panel is the final session in the third of three events designed to examine the development of foresight in the EU, and how foresight informs decision-making.

The first two events, in Leuven (May 19-20, 2022) and Bruges (October 6-7, 2022) covered the history of the institutionalization of foresight, common elements of the framework across EU institutions, and the application of foresight to EU strategy on health, the world of work, external action, and support for the transformation of Africa.<sup>1</sup>

The goal of the Key Applications conference is to drill down into the use of foresight in three key EU functions: security, energy, and climate. Panels on energy and climate took place online in late 2022; this final session on security (rescheduled from November 30) will complete the functional discussions.

*\* The panel will take place on zoom. [Please use this link to register](#)*

<sup>1</sup> Leuven: <https://www.etui.org/events/how-does-anticipation-guide-decision-making-eu>; Bruges: <https://www.coleurope.eu/foresight>

# Programme

Time: CET

## Thursday 23 February

**13.45 – 14.00**      *Panelists join zoom for testing*

### **14.00 – 14.05**      **Welcome & Introduction**

Dr. Tracey Sowerby (Scholars Programme Director, Europaeum)

### **14.05 – 16.00**      **Panel 2: Foresight in European Security**

**Chair:** Adrienne Cheasty (Public Policy Advisor, Europaeum)

**Presentation by:**

- Diana Borcea (Department of War Studies, King's College London) / *Using Strategic Foresight to Anticipate Threats to European Security*

**Roundtable discussion** of experience with applying strategic foresight to security policy

- Sarah Bressan (Research Fellow, Global Public Policy Institute (GPPi), Berlin)
- Francesca Bosco (Senior Advisor, CyberPeace Institute, Geneva)
- Antonio Missiroli (Adjunct Professor, SAIS Europe and Sciences Po, Paris)
- Jamie Shea (President at the Centre for War Studies at the University of Southern Denmark, and Senior Advisor at the European Policy Centre)

### **16.00- 16.10**      **Concluding Words**

By the organisers, with discussion of plans for publication of outputs from the combined conferences

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