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Security in Asia

3 days – 3 seminars

Wednesday 6 May–Friday 8 May 2009 Norwegian Institute for Defence Studies (IFS) Skippergata 17c, Oslo

The Norwegian Institute for Defence Studies has the pleasure of inviting you to a series of seminars on Asian security policy. The seminar series is part of IFS' long-term Asia research programme.

The seminar on 8 May is organised in collaboration with the Norwegian Institute of International Affairs (NUPI).

Topics for discussion:

- o Chinese and Indian security strategies
- o Russia's relations with major Asian powers
- o India-Pakistan-Afghanistan: regional security strategies

To sign up for one or several seminars, e-mail <u>info@ifs.mil.no</u> or call (+47) 23 09 77 00. For further questions, please contact Liv Nuland at <u>lnuland@ifs.mil.no</u>, or phone (+47) 23 09 77 26.

Welcome!

Best regards,

Rolf Tamnes Director, IFS

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Programme Wednesday 6 May–Friday 8 May 2009 Institute for Defence Studies (IFS) Skippergata 17 C, Oslo

Wednesday 6 May

Moderator: Øystein Tunsjø, IFS

15:00–15:30 "China's naval nationalism"

Robert Ross, Professor at Boston College and Associate Professor, John

King Fairbank Center, Harvard University

15:30–16:00 Q&A

Thursday 7 May

Moderator: Ingerid M. Opdahl, IFS

10:00–10:15 Introduction: **Espen Barth Eide**, Deputy Minister of Defence (TBC)

10:15–11:15 "Russian resurgence, China-Russian relations and security in East

Asia"

Robert Ross

"Indo-Russian relations"

Krishnappa Venkatshamy, Research Fellow, Institute for Defence

Studies and Analysis (IDSA), New Delhi

11:15–11:30 Coffee break

11:30–12:30 Q&A

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Moderator: Saira Basit, IFS

10:00–11:45 "India's regional strategies: Pakistan and Afghanistan"

Krishnappa Venkatshamy, Research Fellow, Institute for Defence

Studies and Analysis (IDSA), New Delhi

"Pakistan's regional strategies"

Laila Bokhari, Research Fellow, Norwegian Institute of International

Affairs (NUPI)

11:45–12:00 Coffee break

12:00–12:45 Q&A