



The Role of EU Presidency: Continuity and Change

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Agenda

10:00 Introductory Remarks: **Andrej Králik**, *Head, Press and Political Section, Representation of the European Commission in Bratislava*

10:10 – 11:10 **Panel I: European Dimension of Slovakia's V4 Presidency**

Peter Javorčík, *State Secretary, Ministry of Foreign and European Affairs, Slovakia*

Jiří Sýkora, *Public Relations Coordinator, International Visegrad Fund*

Moderator: **Tomáš Strážay**, *Head, Central and Southeastern Europe Program, RC SFPA*

11:10 – 11:30 Coffee break

11:30 – 13:00 **Panel II: V4 EU Presidencies: Past and Future**

Piotr Maciej Kaczyński, *Lecturer, European Institute of Public Affairs (EIPA), Maastrich*

Vladimír Bartovic, *Director, EUROPEUM Institute for European Policy, Prague*

Szilvia Tóth, *Coordinator, Department of Energy Security, Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade, Hungary*

Branislav Pavlovič, *Director, Department for the Preparation of the Slovak Presidency of the Council of the EU, Ministry of Foreign and European Affairs, Slovakia*

Moderator: **Vladimír Bilčík**, *Head, EU Program, RC SFPA*

Buffet lunch

