53rd OAS POLICY ROUNDTABLE

“Mediation and Dialogue in the Americas in the 21st Century”

Friday, November 8, 2013
2:30 PM
Hall of the Americas
17th Street and Constitution Avenue
Washington, D.C. 20006

PROGRAM

2:30 pm  Welcoming remarks by José Miguel Insulza, Secretary General, Organization of American States (OAS)

2:45 pm  Presentation of the United Nations Guidance for Effective Mediation by Stephen Jackson, Team Leader and Senior Political Affairs Officer, Mediation Support Unit, Policy and Mediation Division, Department of Political Affairs, United Nations

2:55 pm  Presentation of the Practical Guide on Democratic Dialogue por:
- Christopher Hernández-Roy, Director of the Department of Sustainable Democracy and Special Missions, OAS
- Gerardo Noto, Democratic Governance Team Leader, Regional Bureau for Latin America and the Caribbean, UNDP

3:05 pm  Discussion panel
- Ambassador Luigi R. Einaudi, Distinguished Visiting Fellow, Institute for National Strategic Studies, National Defense University and former OAS Secretary General
- Ambassador Francesc Vendrell, Adjunct Professor of International Relations, The Paul H. Nitze School of International Studies, John Hopkins University, and former Personal Representative of the UN Secretary-General

3:50 pm  Question and answer session

4:10 pm  Closing remarks by Kevin Casas-Zamora, Secretary for Political Affairs, OAS

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