Foundation Institute for Strategic Studies

is pleased to invite you to:

the international conference:

“Changes in the Architecture of Security in the Middle East – Current State and Perspectives for the Future”

16th April 2015, Cracow

Place of the meeting: M. Bobrzyński Room, Collegium Maius, Jagiellonian University, Jagiellońska 15 street, Cracow

The main organizer: Foundation Institute for Strategic Studies

The conference is organized in cooperation with:

The Embassy of the Republic of Poland in Jordan,

Institute of the Middle and Far East Studies, Faculty of International and Political Studies of the Jagiellonian University,

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Program:

11:00 – Welcoming remarks:

Anna Szymańska-Klich – Chairman of the Board, Foundation Institute for Strategic Studies

Prof. Krzysztof Kościelniak – Director, Institute of the Middle and Far East Studies, Faculty of International and Political Studies of the Jagiellonian University

Krzysztof Bojko – Ambassador of the Republic of Poland in Jordan

11:25 – 12:45 Panel I: “Is it possible to extinguish the political fire in the Middle East?”

Prof. Shlomo Avineri – The Hebrew University of Jerusalem, former Director-General, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Israel

Dr. Jawad Anani – Former Deputy Prime minister of Jordan, Former Minister of Foreign Affairs

Prof. Przemysław Waclaw Turek – Institute of the Middle and Far East Studies, Faculty of International and Political Studies of the Jagiellonian University

Moderator – prof. Adam W. Jelonek – Institute of the Middle and Far East Studies, Faculty of International and Political Studies of the Jagiellonian University

12:45 – 13:00 Coffee break
13:00 – 14:30 Panel II: “Will the Middle East become a permanent exporter of terrorist threat?”

**Senator Bogdan Klich** – senator, Former Minister of Defence of The Republic of Poland

**Gen. Mike Herzog** – independent expert

**Gen. Mohammad Farghal** – Director General, Center for Strategic Studies at the King Abdullah II Academy for Defense Studies

**Dr. Asem Al-Burgan** – University of Jordan in Amman

**Moderator – dr Łukasz Fyderek** – Institute of the Middle and Far East Studies, Faculty of International and Political Studies of the Jagiellonian University

The conference will be held in English

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