

Monday morning meeting

6 April 2025

Notes

Senior Management Team

- At the SMT meeting last week, besides the recurring items, the agenda included:
 - A presentation from Kristina on SIPRI's liquidity situation
 - SIPRI's internship policy
- At this week's meeting, SMT will discuss:
 - Cluster finances
 - The upcoming Governing Board meeting and materials to be prepared, including the KPSs and Risk assessment
 - SIPRI's updated fire safety procedures
 - Schedule of how and when SIPRI's policies should be reviewed by SMT throughout 2025

Director's Office

- A huge thanks to everyone who participated in the meeting with the young Swedish Diplomats.
- A gentle reminder to vote for the staff observer by Thursday, 10 April.

Outreach

- This week, Outreach and the MILAP team are finalizing the press release and launch materials which will be issued under embargo right after Easter. Thanks for being prepared for short turnover rates for reviews this week those of you who are involved. Great ongoing team effort!!!

Armament and Disarmament

- Sibylle is in Karlsruhe this week from 7 to 10 April attending the Responsible Quantum (RESQT) workshop hosted by the Karlsruhe Institute of Technology.
- Vitaly will be hosting an online training course as part of EUNPDC on "WMD Non-Proliferation and Disarmament: Evolving Challenges – Introductory Course for Students of Technical Disciplines". The course will take place from 8 to 11 April 2025. Lectures will be delivered by, Sibylle, Nivedita, Vladislav, Michal, and Vitaly.

Conflict, Peace and Security

- Barbara K. will be speaking at a public event Folk och Försvar organizes on deterrence on Friday, 11 April. FoF is doing a two-part series (one on deterrence as such, one on nuclear which will involve Tytti) because they were inspired by the SSC.
- Gretchen and Jair are in Dakar where they are organizing together with FES a dialogue meeting on the future of conflict management and peace operations.

Peace and Development

- Katongo is giving a lecture today, 7 April at Uppsala University for students in the CEMUS program. The lecture will focus on youth leadership in climate, peace, and security, showcasing some of the work we have done and are currently doing on youth, climate, peace and security.