

Outlook for the MENA Region: What future for stabilisation and reconstruction?

Tuesday 21 January 2020 | 13:00 - 15:00 hours

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PROGRAMME

- 13.00 *Welcome and introductory remarks* by **Etienne BASSOT**, Director, Members' Research Service, EPRS, EP
- 13.05 *Keynote remarks* by **Brando BENIFEI**, Member of the European Parliament; Rapporteur on 'Post-Arab Spring: Way forward for the MENA Region' (2019)
- 13.25 *Presentations by*
-) **Prof Luigi NARBONE**, Director of the Middle East Directions Programme, Robert Schuman Centre for Advanced Studies, EUI
 -) **Prof Steven HEYDEMANN**, Chair of Middle East Studies at Smith College, Massachusetts, United States
- 14.00 *Roundtable discussion with*
-) **Perla SROUR-GANDON**, Policy Adviser on Middle East and Gulf Countries, CFSP, Secretariat of the Foreign Affairs Committee, DG EXPO, EP
 -) **Branislav STANICEK**, Policy Analyst on Middle East and North Africa, External Policies Unit, EPRS, EP
- Moderator: Dr Joanna APAP*, Strategy and Coordination Unit, EPRS, EP
- 14.30 *Questions and interventions from the floor*

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