

Session Program

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Nuclear Weapons in a Changing World: From Deterrence to Arms Control

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13:00

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Session | Location: Stockholm University, Frescativägen, 114 19 Stockholm, Sweden | Convener: Sanne Verschuren

13:00–13:10 Upload Pending? Tradeoffs, Uncertainty, and Damage-Limitation in a Multipolar Age

Speaker
Tyler Bowen

13:10–13:20

From Precision to Existential Risk: Hypersonic Weapons and the Erosion of the Conventional–Nuclear Divide

Speaker
Mr Tahir Azad

13:20–13:30

Legitimizing the Bomb: US Efforts to Manage Public Information about Nuclear Weapons after World War II

Speaker
Jennifer Erickson

13:30–13:40 Limit to Win It: A Typology of Competitive Arms Control Practices

Speaker
Samuel Seitz

13:40–14:15 15 minutes of discussant comments and Q&A Session

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