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On-line Seminar

“Understanding the influence of climate change on Justice and Home Affairs”

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Contact person: [REDACTED]

Seminar language: English

Connection via Webex - link to be shared before the event

Panellists' interventions (15' each) are followed by Agencies reactions (5' each). The remaining time is left for questions and discussion.

Time (CET)	Agenda point	Presenter(s)
09:15 - 09:20	Opening remarks	Fabrice Leggeri, Executive Director of Frontex
09:20 - 10:50	Climate change - how does it foster organised crime and terrorism? Moderator: [REDACTED] (RAU, Frontex)	[REDACTED], Senior Advisor at Adelphi <i>Presentation of the report “Insurgency, Terrorism and Organised Crime in a Warming Climate. Analysing the Links Between Climate Change and Non-State Armed Groups” (2016) updated with more recent research.</i> [REDACTED], Research Fellow at Clingendael <i>Violent extremism and terrorism with a regional focus on the Middle East. What climate change means for ISIS and other jihadist groups and how it affects security issues in the region?</i>

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		<p>██████████, Senior Strategic Analyst at The Hague Centre for Strategic Studies</p> <p><i>Weaponization of water and water-related security risks in relation to organized crime, and its impact for Europe.</i></p> <p>Follow up interventions: Europol, Eurojust, EMCDDA, Frontex</p> <p>Discussion</p>
10:50 - 11:00	Break	
11:00 - 12:30	<p>Climate change and the security of women and children</p> <p>Moderator: ██████████ (IPU, Frontex)</p>	<p>██████████, Gender and Sustainable Development Special Adviser, Global Gender Office, International Union for Conservation of Nature</p> <p><i>Understanding gender-based violence and gender barriers to meeting the climate resilience goals.</i></p> <p>██████████, Senior Attorney at Center for International Environmental Law and Affiliated Researcher at Northern Institute for Environmental and Minority Law</p> <p><i>Intervention title TBC</i></p> <p>██████████, Environmental Social Science Research Fellow at Oxford Environmental Change Institute</p> <p><i>Vulnerability drivers of climate change for women and children. Why are these distinct from those for men? How it affects adaptation strategies?</i></p> <p>Follow up interventions: FRA, EIGE, Frontex</p> <p>Discussion</p>
12:30 - 13:15	Lunch break	
13:15 - 14:45	<p>Climate and migration - how to prepare for the challenge ahead?</p> <p>Moderator: ██████████ (RAU, Frontex)</p>	<p>██████████, Professor of Geography at the University of Neuchâtel, Switzerland, vice-president of the Swiss Federal Commission on Migration</p> <p><i>Migration and climate change - what do we know? What can we expect? Overview of the environmental change - migration nexus, key issues at stake, concepts and methods most adequate to address these relationships.</i></p> <p>██████████, Head of Unit EU & Global Affairs/Senior Research Fellow at Clingendael</p> <p><i>Political dimension of the research and policies on climate, migration and security. How political sensitivities and diverging</i></p>

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		<p><i>interests between countries of origin and arrival hinders the agreement on meaningful policies to address climate-related migration issues and environmental peacebuilding?</i></p> <p>██████████, Researcher at Diversity Development Group</p> <p><i>Challenges and debates surrounding legal recognition of persons displaced as a result of environmental disasters and solutions reached in certain EU states.</i></p> <p>Follow up interventions: EASO, Frontex</p> <p>Discussion</p>