

# TOGETHER ON SECURITY AND DEFENCE

## 4th Annual Meeting of Slovak Defence and Security Community

Park Hotel Tartuf, Beladice, April 11<sup>th</sup> - 12<sup>th</sup>, 2019

### CONFERENCE PROGRAMME

#### Thursday (April 11<sup>th</sup> 2019)

**18.30**

Welcome drink

**19.00–21.30**

Gala dinner

Speeches:

**Monika Masariková**, Director of the Slovak Security Policy Institute (confirmed)

**Zuzana Čaputová**, President-elect of the Slovak Republic (invited)

**Mikuláš Dzurinda** President of the Wilfried Martens Centre for European Studies (confirmed)

**21.30–24.00**

Wine tasting with informal discussion

#### Friday (April 12<sup>th</sup> 2019)

**8.00–9.30**

Breakfast

**10.00–11.45**

Keynote speech:

**Róbert Ondrejcsák**, State Secretary of the Ministry of Defence of the SR (confirmed)

1<sup>st</sup> Panel Discussion:

#### **Acquisition of the military technique and its impact upon the enhancement of defence capabilities of Armed Forces of Slovakia**

Moderator: **Juraj Krúpa**, Security and Defence programme director, SSPI (confirmed)

- **Ľubomír Galko**, member of Slovak parliament, SAS (confirmed)
- **Lieutenant-General Pavel Macko**, expert on defence, SPOLU (confirmed)
- **Jaroslav Nad'á**, expert on defence, OĽANO (confirmed)

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## 11.45-13.00

Lunch

## 13.00-14.45

Opening speech:

**Jan Majtan**, Director of the Cyber Security Section, Deputy Prime Minister's Office for Investments and Informatization of the SR (confirmed)

2<sup>nd</sup> Panel Discussion:

### **Innovations in defence capabilities**

Moderator: **Marian Majer**, Chief Advisor and Head of Cabinet of the State Secretary of the Ministry of Defence of the Slovak Republic (confirmed)

- **Peter Dostál**, Director of Aliter Technologies (confirmed)
- **Fridrich Matejík**, Director of IBM Slovakia (confirmed)
- **Ivan Rohal**, Director of BAE Systems for Slovakia (confirmed)

## 14.45-15.15

Coffee and cake  
(informal discussion)

## 15.15 - 17.00

Opening speech:

**František Ružička**, State Secretary of the Ministry of Foreign and European Affairs of the Slovak Republic (confirmed)

3<sup>rd</sup> Panel Discussion:

### **#WeAreNATO and #WeAreEU: How to create a coherent communication strategy in Slovakia's environment**

Moderator: **Monika Masariková**, Director of Slovak Security Policy Institute (confirmed)

- **Katarína Cséfalvayová**, Chairwoman at Foreign Affairs Committee, member of Slovak parliament (confirmed)
- **Imrich Babic**, Head of Strategic Communication Unit at Ministry of Foreign and European Affairs of the Slovak Republic (confirmed)
- **Andrej Matišák**, Deputy Chief of Foreign Desk and Reporter at Pravda daily (confirmed)