



WARSAW STAGE

10:00 WELCOMING REMARKS

10:10 KEYNOTE SPEECHES & OPENING PANEL

11:00 HIGH-LEVEL PLENARY PANEL

| Winning the War Before the War: European Strategies for Ukraine

11:45

13:10 PANEL DISCUSSION

Increasing the Stakes: Should Europe Be Feared?

14:00 KEYNOTE SPEECH

PANEL DISCUSSION
The Next Chapter in EU Security Partnerships: NATO, Bilateral and Beyond

15:00 PANEL DISCUSSION

Leading or Lagging? Europe's Place in a Fractured Global Landscape

15:50 CONVERSATION

Too Little, Too Late? Reflections on Ukraine and the Western Resolve

16:15 PANEL DISCUSSION

Power Plays: Keeping the Global Energy Transition on Track in a World on Edge

17:10 PANEL DISCUSSION

Fortress Democracy: Building Europe's Shield from Within

17:50 PANEL DISCUSSION

From Lisbon to Yerevan: Envisioning Europe's Strategy for the Wider Neighborhood

18:30 FRANCE AS A PARTNER NATION RECEPTION

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CHICAGO STAGE

09:00 PANEL DISCUSSION
| Unfinished EU: the Next Enlargement Chapter
10:0011:25 TRACK OPENING
PANEL DISCUSSION
Levée en Masse 2.0: Can Europe Rebuild Its Military Power in the Land Dimension?

12:30 GENERAL PARTNER REMARKS

13:00 PANEL DISCUSSION
Multi-Domain Skies: Building Air Defenses for a Saturated Threat Environment14:00 PANEL DISCUSSION
Awakening the Giant: Can Europe's Industry and Finance Rise to the Challenge?15:00 INDUSTRIAL PANEL DISCUSSION
War by Wire: Balancing Manned and Unmanned Power on Tomorrow's Battlefield16:00 INDUSTRIAL PANEL DISCUSSION
Frontlines of the Industrial Innovation: Ukraine as Europe's Security Engine17:00 PANEL DISCUSSION
| Behind the Curtains: How to Respond to
18:00 Russia's Shadow War on the West?20:00 NIGHT OWLS SESSION
| Is Talking to an Aggressor Appeasement
21:30 or Necessity?

BRUSSELS STAGE

09:00 TOWN HALL DISCUSSION
| The Next-Gen Alliance: How AI and Deep Tech Are Redefining Transatlantic Security
10:0010:45 TOWN HALL DISCUSSION
| Protecting the Baltic: Energy Security, Joint Preparedness, and Regional Resilience
11:4512:00 ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSION
| Mining the Future: Clean Tech Competition and Africa's Place in Global Power Play
13:0013:10 TOWN HALL DISCUSSION
| GENERAL PARTNER REMARKS
14:20 Triple-A Energy Security for Europe: Autonomy · Adaptation · Affordability15:45 CONVERSATION
| Hope Under Pressure:
16:15 Belarus's Democratic Struggle16:30 KEYNOTE SPEECH
16:45 ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSION
| Europe and the Indo-Pacific: A Shared Security Horizon
17:4518:00 CONVERSATION
| Is Russia Winning or Loosing?
18:30 The State of Country and its Society20:00 NIGHT OWLS SESSION
| The Middle East – How Worse Can It Get?
21:30

MADRID ROOM

08:45 ROUNDTABLE
| The Next Chapter in EU Security Partnerships: NATO, Bilateral and Beyond
10:0011:00 EXECUTIVE DIALOGUE
| Nuclear Energy: Powering Central and Eastern Europe's Industrial Resilience and Strategic Sovereignty
12:3013:15 EXECUTIVE DIALOGUE
| Business as Usual? Europe's China Policy in the Shadow of the War in Ukraine
14:3015:00 EXECUTIVE DIALOGUE
| Division of Labor, Unity of Purpose: The U.S., Europe, and the Map of Strategic Enablers
16:1516:30 ROUNDTABLE
| The Role of Media in the Democratic Shield: Between Anarchy, Political Control and Foreign Interference
17:45



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MADRID ROOM

10:00 KNIGHT OF FREEDOM CEREMONY

11:10 PANEL DISCUSSION
| *The Unbroken: Fight for Democratic Sovereignty in a Hostile Neighborhood*

13:00 HIGH-LEVEL COVERSATION

13:40 PANEL DISCUSSION
| *Europe's Moment of Truth: Ukraine and the Consequences of Hesitation*14:30 PANEL DISCUSSION
| *Waves of Worries: Shallow Waters & Deep Threats of the Baltic Sea*15:20 PANEL DISCUSSION
| *What Doesn't Kill You Makes You Stronger? The Transatlantic Alliance Stress-Test*16:10 CONVERSATION
| *Beyond Fear: Legacy, Loss, and the Power of Speaking Out*16:40 PANEL DISCUSSION
| *Reset with Russia: What are the Odds of History Repeating Itself?*17:30 CONFERENCE CLOSING & COCKTAIL
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18:3009:00 PANEL DISCUSSION
| *Securing Europe: Transatlantic Strategies in a Time of War and Uncertainty*

11:30 GENERAL PARTNER REMARKS

12:00 PANEL DISCUSSION
| *Competitive Waters: Securing Europe's Seas and Reviving Its Shipyards*13:00 PANEL DISCUSSION
| *Europe's Nuclear Dilemma: Autonomy, Alliance, and Deterrence*14:00 CONVERSATION
| *Hard Lessons from the Front: Reforming Ukraine's Warfighting Edge*14:30 PANEL DISCUSSION
| *Smart, Dense, Defended: Asian Insights for European Strategic Infrastructure*15:45 JACK STRONG AWARD CEREMONY
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16:1509:00 PANEL DISCUSSION
| *Tariffs, Growth, and Guns: The Future of European and Global Security Economics*10:15 ROUNDTABLE
| *Connected but Protected: The Digital Pillar of Modern Democracy*11:30 ROUNDTABLE
| *Disrupt or Be Disrupted: Strategic Innovation for Security and Competitiveness*13:00 WSF-INNOVATION HUB
| *Dual Use, Cyber and GovTech Frontiers: Startups Powering Transatlantic Security*15:30 ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSION
| *From Evidence to Accountability: Prosecuting Russia for Crimes of Genocide*09:00 EXECUTIVE DIALOGUE OF MEMBERS OF PARLIAMENTS
| *Ukraine 2025 and Beyond: Parliamentary Strategies for Long-Term Support*11:15 EXECUTIVE DIALOGUE
| *Agents of Chaos: Russian and Belarusian Cognitive Warfare and Covert Action Against the West*13:15 EXECUTIVE DIALOGUE
| *Strategic Partnerships – Unleashing Private Sector Engagement In D*15:00 ROUNDTABLE
| *Bridging Expectations: Poland and Germany After the Power Shift*