

Past Events 2007

- 12 Dec. 2007: **République Démocratique du Congo et ses voisins - Les défis de l'intégration régionale en Afrique Centrale.**
-Conference - (restricted audience) -
- 6-7 Dec. 2007: **Global Europe: Strategy and Identity**
-Conference (restricted audience),
-location: Brussels,
-organisation: EGMONT.
- 30 Nov. 2007: **Panafrican Public Private Partnerships Initiative 2007-2012**
-Conference (restricted audience),
-location: Brussels,
-organisation: EGMONT in collaboration with Premier Cercle, European Commission and the Wall Street Journal.
- 28-29 Nov. 2007: **Security Sector Reform Africa**
-Conference (restricted audience).
- 26 Nov. 2007: **Presentation of the Joint Study (CEPS, EGMONT and EPC) on "The Treaty of Lisbon: Implementing the Institutional Innovations"**
-Presentation of a Joint Study - Read the,
-location: Brussels,
-organisation: EGMONT, CEPS and EPC.
- 19-20 Nov. 2007: **Japan - European Union: a strategic partnership in the making**
-Conference - - Opening for 10th Annual Conference on EU- Japan relations by Secretary General Jan Grauls,
-location: Brussels,
-organisation: EGMONT, ULB, KUL and ICU-International Christian University of Tokyo.
- 13-14 Nov. 2007: **Belgo-British Conference**
-Conference (restricted audience),
-location: London,
-organisation: EGMONT, the British Foreign Service and the British Council Brussels, the UK Foreign and Commonwealth Office and the Belgian Federal Public Service of Foreign Affairs.
You can download the [Belgo-British Conference 2006 report \(PDF 3.7MB\)](#).
- 18 Oct. 2007: **Albania on its Journey towards Euro-Atlantic Institutions**
-Conference with H.E. Prof. Dr. Bamir Topi, President of the Republic of Albania -,
-location: Brussels,
-organisation: EGMONT.
- 01-02 Oct. 2007: **Burundi, 2 Years after the Elections. Prospects and Challenges**
-Africa Briefing (restricted audience),
-location: Brussels,

- organisation: EGMONT in collaboration with CENAP and North-South Institute (NSI).
- 18 Sept. 2007: **Nigeria After the Elections**
 -Africa Briefing (restricted audience),
 -location: Brussels,
 -organisation: EGMONT.
- 15-17 Sept. 2007: **L'Europe avec vous: 1957-2007 Val Duchesse**: Mouvement Européen Belgique
 -Conference,
 -location: Brussels,
 -organisation: Mouvement Européen Belgique; Avec le soutien du Parlement européen, de la Chancellerie du Premier Ministre, du S.P.F. Affaires étrangères, de la région Bruxelles-Capitale, de l'Institut Egmont et de la Commune d'Auderghem.
- 10 Sept. 2007: **Kazakhstan-EU: The new realities**
 -Conference (restricted audience) with the Minister of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Kazakhstan, Mr. Marat Tazhin -
 -location: Brussels,
 -organisation: EGMONT.
- 4 Sept 2007: **Sri Lanka: the quest for Peace**
 -Conference with Hon. Rohitha Bogollagama, Minister of Foreign Affairs of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka -
 -location: Brussels,
 -organisation: EGMONT and the Embassy of the Democratic Socialist Republic of Sri Lanka.
- 12 July 2007: **La Roumanie européenne: défis, attentes et résultats**
 -Conference with H.E. Mr Adrian Cioroianu, Minister of Foreign Affairs of Romania -
 -location: Brussels,
 -organisation: EGMONT and the Embassy of Romania.
- 9 July 2007: **Diplomat Training: EU-BE-NATO relations regarding the Middle East Region and Northern African Countries**
 -Diplomat Training,
 -location: Brussels,
 -organisation: EGMONT.
- 4 July 2007: **Towards Stability in Ivory Coast?**
 -Africa Briefing (restricted audience),
 -location: Brussels,
 -organisation: EGMONT.
- 3 July 2007: **La défense européenne dans tous ses états**
 -Table ronde à l'occasion de la publication de l'ouvrage « La difesa europea » par M. Antonio Missiroli et M. Alessandro Pansa (restricted audience). | of Ambassador Dirk Wouters,
 -location: Brussels,
 -organisation: EGMONT, Institut Royal des Relations Internationales and CIPI – Fondation Privée.
- 22 June 2007: **The evolution of Chinese labour conditions**. Is China entering a new stage of socio-economic development?
 -Colloquium - -location: Brussels,
 -organisation: EGMONT, Brussels China Forum, Chinaworks.be and the European Institute for Asian Studies.

- 20 June 2007: **CCM Training: Congo - EUPOL**
 -Civil Crisis Management Training,
 -location: Brussels,
 -organisation: EGMONT and the Ministry of F.A.
- 19 June 2007: **CCM Training: Kosovo, post-UNMIK**
 -Civil Crisis Management Training,
 -location: Brussels,
 -organisation: EGMONT.
- 19 June 2007: **CCM Training: Institutional Aspects**
 -Civil Crisis Management Training,
 -location: Brussels,
 -organisation: EGMONT.
- 7 June 2007: **Europe and the Arab World**
 -International Conference - -location: Institut de Sociologie, ULB, 1050 Bruxelles,
 -organisation: EGMONT, ULB and CECID.
- 24-25 May 2007: **Workshop or Talking Shop? Globalization, Security and the Legitimacy of the G8**
 -Conference - -location: Brussels,
 -organisation: EGMONT, The Norman Paterson School of International Affairs (Ottawa), G8 Research Group (Toronto) and FES Brussels.
- 22 May 2007: **La consolidation de la paix, la diplomatie du développement et le renforcement de l'intégration régionale**
 -Conference avec M. Antipas Mbusa Nyamwisi, Ministre d'Etat chargé des Affaires Etrangères et de la Coopération Internationale de la RDC de M. Antipas Mbusa Nyamwisi, Ministre d'Etat chargé des Affaires Etrangères et de la Coopération Internationale de la RDC à *la Chambre de Commerce, d'Industrie et d'Agriculture Belgique-Luxembourg-Afrique-Caraïbes-Pacifique Bruxelles*,
 -location: Brussels,
 -organisation: EGMONT.
- 15 May 2007: **Chemical Weapons: Does Prohibition Work?** Organisation for Prohibition of Chemical Weapons 10th Anniversary
 -Conference - of Dr Jean Pascal Zanders - of Ms Annalisa Giannella, Council of the EU |,
 -location: Brussels,
 -organisation: EGMONT and OPCW.
- 14-15 May 2007: **What future for the European Union's new Energy Security policy?**
 -Seminar (restricted audience) - of Raphael Vermeir, Vice-Chairman OGP
 -location: Brussels,
 -organisation: EGMONT, FRIDE and the Gulf Research Center.
- 10 May 2007: **Democracy Building in a Diverse World** with Mr. Vidar Helgesen, Secretary-General of IDEA.
 -Conference - -location: Brussels,
 -organisation: EGMONT and IDEA.
- 3 May 2007: **2nd European Strategic Forum: Missions in Transition: Interlocking or Interblocking Security Policies**
 -Expert seminar (restricted audience),
 -location: Brussels,
 -organisation: EGMONT and FES.

- 27-29 April 2007: **Brussels Forum 2007**
 -High Level Meeting (restricted audience) - [Transcript opening session](#) with the Welcome address by Craig Kennedy, President, The German Marshall Fund of the United States, Introduction by Bob Bennett, Member, U.S. Senate and the Keynote Address by H.E. Guy Verhofstadt, Prime Minister, Belgium,
[- Closing remarks](#) by Minister De Gucht.
- 27 April 2007: **From Principle to Practice - Implementing the Responsibility to Protect**
 -Seminar (restricted audience) - [Transcript opening session](#) with the Welcome address by Craig Kennedy, President, The German Marshall Fund of the United States, Introduction by Bob Bennett, Member, U.S. Senate and the Keynote Address by H.E. Guy Verhofstadt, Prime Minister, Belgium | [Closing remarks](#) by Minister De Gucht.
[For other speeches, see: Brussels Forum](#),
 -location: Brussels,
 -organisation: EGMONT and the Embassy of Canada.
- 26 April 2007: **From Principle to Practice - Implementing the Responsibility to Protect**
 -Conference - by Ambas. L. Glasgow - of Mr Gareth Evans |,
 -location: Brussels,
 -organisation: EGMONT and the Embassy of Canada.
- 26 April 2007: **An Energy Policy for Europe**
 -Seminar - Debate (restricted audience),
 -location: Brussels,
 -organisation: EGMONT and DGAP.
- 20 April 2007: **Les 60 ans de l'IRRI et le 50ème anniversaire du Traité de Rome**
 -Conference - of Prime Minister Guy Verhofstadt -,
 -location: Brussels,
 -organisation: EGMONT (former IRRI-KIIB)
- 17 April 2007: **Union du Maghreb Arabe : bilan et perspectives**
 -Conference with Mr Ben Yahia, Secretary General of the Arab Maghreb Union -
 -location: Brussels,
 -organisation: EGMONT (former IRRI-KIIB).
- 15-16 March 2007: **5th European Business Summit on the occasion of 50 years of Europe**



- Conference,
 -location: Brussels,
 -organisation: EBSummit with the support of the EGMONT Institute.
- 20 Feb. 2007: **Religions meurtrières**, le dernier livre de S.E. l'Ambassadeur Elie Barnavi, Directeur du Musée de l'Europe
 -Conference –
- -location: Brussels,
 -organisation: EGMONT (former IRRI-KIIB).
- 13 Feb. 2007: **Alliance of Civilisations**
 -Conference (restricted audience) –
- -location: Brussels,
 -organisation: EGMONT (former IRRI-KIIB).

- 7/8 Feb. 2007: **Security and Development: the case of Afghanistan**
 -Seminar (restricted audience) –
 • by Minister Armand De Decker,
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 • by Mr Karel De Gucht, Minister of Foreign Affairs of Belgium,
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 • by Mr Pierre Vaesen, Director of the Policy Group, Cabinet of Minister Armand De Decker,
 -location: Brussels,
 -organisation: EGMONT (former IRRI-KIIB).
- 7 Feb. 2007: **The World Bank 'Multi-Country Demobilization and Reintegration Program' (MDRP)**
 -Workshop (experts only),
 -location: Brussels,
 -organisation: EGMONT (former IRRI-KIIB) and the DG for Development Cooperation.
- 22 Jan. 2007: **The latest developments in the Middle East region**
 -Conference lunch (restricted audience) with H.E. Mr. Amr Moussa, Secretary General of the League of Arab States –
 • -location: Brussels,
 -organisation: EGMONT (former IRRI-KIIB).
- 17 Jan. 2007: **The future of European Foreign Policy.**
 -Seminar (restricted audience),
 -location: Brussels,
 -organisation: EGMONT (former IRRI-KIIB).
- 12-14 Jan. 2007: **Confrontation and Conviviality: Negotiating World Views, Spiritualities and Everyday Lives in Colonial and Postcolonial Congo.**
 -Research workshop,
 -location: Schaeffergården and Nationalmuseet in Copenhagen,
 -organisation: the workshop is held in conjunction with the travelling exhibition Traces of Congo which is currently on display at the National Museum of Denmark in Copenhagen. Jointly hosted by Schaeffergården Norwegian-Danish Cultural Centre and the Ethnographic Collections of the National Museum of Denmark, the event is made possible through a generous grant from the Nordic Culture Fund, with additional support from EGMONT -Royal Institute of International Relations, Belgium.