AGENDA
THE 2022 MOSCOW NONPROLIFERATION CONFERENCE

1–3 December 2022

DAY 1: Thursday, 1 December 2022

19.00–21.00

THE 2022 MNC OPENING RECEPTION

DAY 2: Friday, 2 December 2022

08.00–08.45

REGISTRATION. WELCOME COFFEE

08.45–09.00

OPENING REMARKS

09.00–10.15

PLENARY SESSION I: *NPT's Next 50 Years: Old and New Challenges to the "Cornerstone" Treaty and Its Regime*

10.15–10.30

VIDEO ADDRESS: *Arms Control and Nonproliferation Policy Priorities of the Russian Federation at the Time of Changes in the Global Security Architecture*

- Sergey **LAVROV**, Foreign Minister of the Russian Federation

10.30–11.00. **COFFEE BREAK**

11.00–12.15

PLENARY SESSION II: *The AUKUS Submarine Deal: Possible Implications for the Nuclear Nonproliferation Regime*

12.15–12.30. **COFFEE BREAK**

12.30–13.45

PLENARY SESSION III. *A WMD-Free Zone in the Middle East: Taking Stock and Moving Forward*

13.45–15.00. **LUNCH**

15.00–16.15

PLENARY SESSION IV: *Preparing for the 2026 NPT Review Conference*

16.15–16.45. **COFFEE BREAK**

16.45–18.15

PLENARY SESSION V. *The Cuban Missile Crisis at 60: Lessons for Today*

18.15–18.30. **TECHNICAL BREAK**

18.30–19.45

PLENARY SESSION VI. *Reducing Risk of Nuclear War: Possible Measures Amid Deepening Geopolitical Divide*

19.45–21.45. **RECEPTION**

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DAY 3: Saturday, 3 December 2022

08.15–08.45

WELCOME COFFEE

08.45–09.45

PLENARY SESSION VII. *Is Restoration of the JCPOA Still Possible and What Would It Take?*

09.45–10.00. **COFFEE BREAK**

10.00–11.00

PLENARY SESSION VIII. *Why We Should Be Optimistic about the Future of the CTBT?*

11.00–11.30. **COFFEE BREAK**

11.30–12.45

PLENARY SESSION IX. *The 25th Anniversary of the Additional Protocol and Challenges to the IAEA Safeguards System*

12.45–14.00. **LUNCH**

14.00–15.15

PLENARY SESSION X. *Prospects for the Nuclear Power in the Middle East*

15.15–15.45. **COFFEE BREAK**

15.45–17.15

PLENARY SESSION XI. *Preventing Escalation and Tensions Reduction on the Korean Peninsula*

17.15–17.45. **COFFEE BREAK**

17.45–18.45

PLENARY SESSION XII. *Why I'm Concerned about Nuclear Risks?*

18.45–19.45

PLENARY SESSION XIII. *Does Arms Control Have a Future?*

19.45–20.00

CLOSING REMARKS