

Why Does Europe Hate **Speech**?

The Fallout From Mandating "Tolerance" And Silencing Concerns about Immigration and Sharia

TODAY, September 20, 2018, 8:15 A.M. ROOM 3 (Second Floor)

This side event will explore the political and policy fallout from OSCE Participating States' multiplying attempts to silence citizens' legitimate concerns with respect to immigration and the Islamic law known as Sharia.

It will include speakers from across the OSCE Region expressing specific concerns with respect to such so-called "hate speech" measures imposing mandatory tolerance.

In addition, speakers will recommend a way forward for Participating States that wish to conform better to their human dimension commitments such as tolerance and diversity — without violating commitments to freedom of expression, or sacrificing actual tolerance of diversity in the process.

The event is sponsored by the Center for Security Policy and organized by *Wiener Akademikerbund*.

Speakers

Poland: Member of Parliament Dominik Tarczynski

United States: Maj. Stephen Coughlin, US Army (res.)

United Kingdom: Katie Hopkins, Rebel Media

Canada: Christine Douglass-Williams, Mission Europa

Turkey: Uzay Bulut, The Gatestone Institute

Chair: Elisabeth Sabaditsch-Wolff, Wiener Akademikerbund



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