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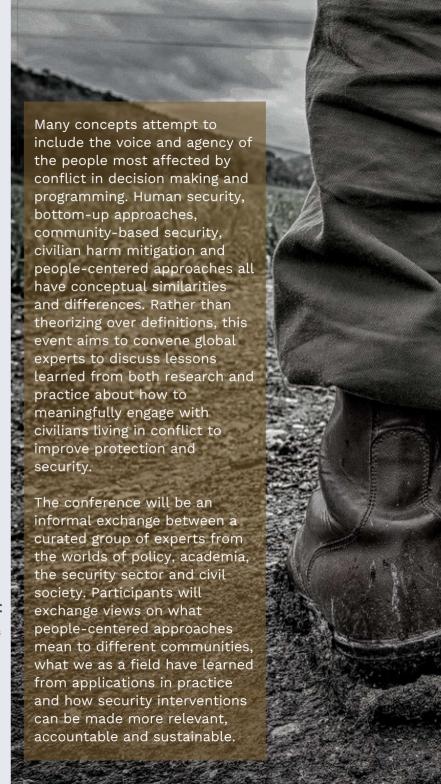


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Description Session

9:00-9:30: Arrival & registration Visit the registration desk for your badge and more details about the day's program.

Enjoy a plant-based lunch buffet.

Network with your fellow conference attendees.

Dutch MFA (Lex Gerts), MoD (Lars Walrave), and DCAF (Victoria Walker), joined by civil society activists; Facilitator: Hans Rouw, PAX 9:30-10:15: Welcome and setting the An opening panel will kick off the conference with a discussion about their PoC efforts, ambitions and definitions of success. Civil society activists from various conflict contexts will provide their own perspectives on the meaning and significance of people-centered security.

> SIPRI (Pauline Poupart), CIVIC (Dan Mahanty) and DCAF (Victoria Walker); Facilitator: Carrie Huisman, PAX Panelists will pitch key research findings concerning people-centered security and provide recommendations about what kinds of approaches work and why.

11:15-11:45: Coffee break Network with your fellow conference attendees.

11:45-13:00: How can we create more Zeijden); Facilitator: Hans Rouw, PAX programmatic space for engaging Expert practitioners and policymakers will discuss how to effectively work with both the supply and demand sides of security, exploring how security actors in fragile settings?

to foster constructive engagement, manage risks and adapt to dynamic circumstances and needs.

Dutch MFA (Martiin Beerthuizen), the Iraqi Al-Amal Association (Ilham Makki), Geneva Call (Hisham Khadhraoui) and PAX (Wilbert van der

USA DoD (Office of the Under Secretary of Defense for Policy), Dutch MoD (Directorate of International Affairs), and PAX (Marc Garlasco);

Facilitator: Erin Bijl, PAX Experts involved recent developments in PoC policy in the USA and in the Netherlands will contribute recommendations on how to

implement the new policies and discuss implications for civilians.

Facilitated by Hans Rouw and Carrie Huisman, PAX

This open session will ask all participants to contribute additional best practices, emerging opportunities or recommendations that are practical enough to reflect both institutional realities and bold enough to meaningfully respond to needs on the ground.

Join all attendees for a catered networking reception to close the event. Note that additional relevant guests and colleagues are welcome.

recommendations for people-centered approaches to security

17:00-18:30: Reception and networking

10:15-11:15: What does the evidence tell

us about people-centered approaches to

14:00-15:30: People-centered approaches

in military operations: the Civilian Harm

16:00-17:00: Interactive session to refine

Mitigation and Response Action Plan

scene

security?

13:00-14:00: Lunch break

15:30-16:00: Coffee break



About PAX's PoC Program

The protection of civilians living in conflict is at the heart of our work. To achieve this, PAX and its partners carry out research, facilitate inclusive dialogue, convene expert events, advise policymakers and provide specialised training and guidance to security actors in various contexts around the world.

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