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# **Czech-Korean Conference**

Prague, Monday 21st June 2010, 10.00 – 16.30

International conference organized by:

Institute of International Relations, Prague
Institute of Foreign Affairs and National Security (IFANS), Seoul

Venue:

Mirror Hall Czernin Palace, Ministry of Foreign Affairs Loretánské nám. 5, CZ-118 00 Prague 1 – Hradčany

Working language: English

09.30 - 10.00 Registration

# 10.00 – 10.30 Opening Ceremony Opening Speeches

- Hynek Kmoníček, Czech Deputy Minister of Foreign Affairs of the Czech Republic
- Soon Chun Lee, Chancellor, Institute of Foreign Affairs and National Security (IFANS), Seoul
- Petr Drulák, Director, Institute of International Relations (IIR), Prague

# 10.30 – 12.00 PANEL 1: Relations between the Republic of Korea and Czech Republic Chair: Rudolf Fürst, Research Fellow, Institute of International Relations (IIR), Prague

• Jun Hae Won, Assistant Professor of the Department of European and African Studies, IFANS:

Korean-Czech bilateral ties

• Michal Vodrážka, University of California, San Diego, KDI School of Public policy and Management, Seoul:

Surging Tiger, Sleepy Lion: 20 years of Czech – South Korean Relations

#### Discussions:

- Ko Jae Nam, Professor and Director-General of the Department of European and African Studies, IFANS
- Vladimír Beroun, University of Economics, Prague, Seoul National University





12.00 - 13.00 Lunch Break

## 13.00 – 14.20 PANEL 2: Korean Security Issues

Chair: Ko Jae Nam, Professor and Director-General of the Department of European and African Studies, IFANS

• Soon Chun Lee, Chancellor, IFANS:

The Korean Peninsula and its Security Issues

• Choi Kang, Professor and Director-General of the Department of American Studies, IFANS:

Issues and Concerns in and around the Korean Peninsula

#### Discussions:

- Vít Střítecký, Research Fellow, Institute of International Relations (IIR), Prague
- Nikola Hynek, Research Fellow, Institute of International Relations (IIR), Prague

14.20-14.40 Coffee Break

### 14.40–16.00 PANEL 3: Czech Republic and EU Foreign Policy

Chair: Choi Kang, Professor and Director-General of the Department of American Studies, IFANS

• Mats Braun, Research Fellow, Institute of International Relations (IIR), Prague:

The EU's global role-changes and challenges with the Lisbon Treaty

• Petr Pavlík, University of Economics, Prague:

Czech economic transformation and EU accession process

#### Discussions:

- Ko Jae Nam, Professor and Director-General of the Department of European and African Studies, IFANS
- Jun Hae Won, Assistant Professor of the Department of European and African Studies, IFANS

#### 16.00-16.30 Final Briefing and Concluding Remarks

- Ambasador of the Czech Republic: Jaroslav Olša jr.
- Ambassador of the Korean Republic: Gabriel Oh

16.30 Glass of Wine





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by Thursday 17th June 2010 at the latest.