

„German Federal Elections 2013 and German-French Tandem in Europe“ *Implications for German-Czech Cooperation*

Programme

14th October 2013

Venue: The Mirror Hall, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Czech Republic, Prague

09:30 - 10:00 Registration

10:00 – 10:05 Welcome words
Michal Kořan, Deputy Director, Institute of International Relations, Prague

10:05 - 12:00 Panel I.
German Federal Elections 2013: Interpretation of Election Results and Their Importance for German Politics, for Europe and for German-Czech Cooperation

Chair: Werner Böhler, Director of the Konrad Adenauer Foundation, Prague

Nico Lange, Deputy Head of Department Politics and Consulting, Konrad Adenauer Foundation, Berlin

Michal Vít, Masaryk University, Brno

Stefan Heinlein, ARD-Studio Prague

Adam Černý, Hospodářské noviny

12:00 - 13:00 Buffet lunch

13:00 - 14:30 Panel II.
German Federal Elections and German-French Engine of European Union: Euro Crisis and EU Reform

Chair: Jaroslav Kurfürst, Director General of the European Section, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Czech Republic

Barbara Kunz, Head of “European Dialogue“ Section, Foundation Genshagen

Elsa Tulmets, CERI, Paris

Professor William E. Paterson, Aston University, Birmingham

Vladimír Handl, Institute of International Relations, Prague

14:30 - 15:00 Coffee break

15:00 - 16:30 Panel III.
Scenarios of Further Development of Energetic Dimension of German-French Tandem

Chair: Lenka Kovačovská, Head of Analyses and Forecasts in Energy, Ministry of Industry and Trade of the Czech Republic

Felix Christian Matthes, Öko-Institut, Berlin, Member of Energy Advisory Group of European Commission for Energy Roadmap 2050

Filip Černocho, Masaryk University, Brno

Jiří Horák, EU Affairs, ČEZ

16:30 Glass of wine