

CAN EUROPE DEVELOP AN AUTONOMOUS DEFENSE CAPACITY?



Lecture by prof. Stephen G. Brooks, Dartmouth College (US)

Could Europeans develop an autonomous defense capacity if there was a complete U.S. withdrawal from Europe? This is the pertinent question professor Stephen G. Brooks will address in his lecture.

To answer the question professor Brooks will discuss both the constraints of Europe's "strategic cacophony", the profound, continent-wide divergences across all the domains of national defense policies, and the fact that America provides a long series of military contributions that will be structurally very

difficult, time-consuming, and expensive for Europe to provide for itself.

Professor Brooks is professor at Dartmouth College and one of the leading experts on international security and US Grand Strategy.

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Reception after the lecture