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9:00-9:10 Words of welcome and brief introduction
Ramūnas Vilpišauskas, Director, Institute of International Relations and Political Science, Vilnius

9:10-9:35 Small states and international security institutions: Allies, partners, contributors
Andrew Cottey, University College Cork

9:35-10:00 Negotiating the international security architecture: Small states as silent bystanders?
Diana Panke, University of Freiburg

10:00-10:25 Small states and the new Trump era: Do the Nordic and Baltic states need a new shelter provider?
Baldur Thorhallsson, University of Iceland

10:25-11:00 Q&A session and discussion

11:00-11:20 Coffee break

11:20-11:45 Economic security, vulnerability and crises: Lessons from small economies
Magnus Feldmann, University of Bristol

11:45-12:10 How small states cope with external risks to economic security: Comparative analysis of Lithuania’s response to two external shocks
Ramūnas Vilpišauskas and Vytautas Kuokštis, Vilnius University

12:10-12:40 Q&A session and discussion

12:40-14:00 Lunch