

BALKAN BAROMETER AND SECURIMETER 2022*

Shifting Attitudes and Embracing Changes in Uncharted Waters

24 June 2022 at 10:00

Hotel Nhow Brussels Bloom,
Rue Royale 250, 1210 Brussels

Agenda

09:30 – 10:00 — Welcome coffee and registration

10:00 – 10:25 — Introductory remarks

Ms. Majlinda BREGU
*Secretary General
Regional Cooperation Council*

Alessandra Viezzer
Deputy Head of Unit, DG NEAR, European Commission

Mr. Andrea Cascone
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Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation, Italy*

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*Counsellor
Permanent Representation of France to the EU*

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10:25 – 11:50 — Panel discussion: Rethinking (in)security in the Western Balkans: Moving forward for a brighter future

In a new reality created by the pandemic entering the third year and security challenges caused by the global political and economic crisis, the Balkan Barometer and SecuriMeter 2022 editions provide detailed insights into trends and evolution of what these specific trends mean on the ground. How to move forward when the socio-economic outlook is declining? What future for the region and what role regional cooperation is to assume in times to come?

Moderator:

Mr. Radu Magdin

Regional analyst, CEO at Smartlink Communications, Bucharest

Panellists:

Mr. Gentian Elezi

*RCC Consultant on Balkan Barometer and SecuriMeter 2022
Albanian Centre for Competitiveness and International Trade (ACIT)*

Mr. Dimitar Bechev

*Visiting Scholar (Central, Eastern and Southeastern Europe)
Carnegie Europe*

Ms. Valbona Zeneli, PhD.

*Chair, Strategic Initiatives Department
George C. Marshall European Center for Security Studies*

Mr. Dejan Jović

*Full-time professor (International Relations)
Faculty of Political Science, University of Zagreb*

Q&A Session

11:50 – 12:00 — Wrap – up

12:00 – 13:30 — Cocktail reception

* The event will be livestreamed on RCC social media channels