



# India and China in the Indo-Pacific Region: A New Balance of Power

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*Room 316, University of Warsaw Library, Dobra street 56/66*

9.45 - 10.00 Registration

10.00 – 10.15 Opening Remarks

- Dr. Łukasz Zamecki, Vice-Dean of the Faculty of Political Science and International Studies, University of Warsaw
- Prof. Jakub Zajączkowski, Director of the Institute of International Relations, the Faculty of Political Science and International Studies, University of Warsaw

10.15-12.00 Panel I: India's and China's international strategies in Indo-Pacific Region

- Prof. Bogdan Góralczyk, University of Warsaw, **China in the Asia-Pacific Region: Assertive Power or Responsible Stakeholder?**
- Prof. Zeng Xiangyu, Sichuan University, **China as an Indian Ocean Stakeholder**
- Prof. Gurpreet S. Khurana, National Maritime Foundation, **India's National Security Strategy: Shaping the Indo-Pacific Region in the Context of India-China Maritime Interface**
- Dr. Bernhard M. Beitelmair-Berini, Heidelberg University, **India-China Relations in the Indo-Pacific - India's Competing Grand Strategic Perspectives**

**Chair: Prof. Jakub Zajączkowski, University of Warsaw**

12.00-12.45 Lunch

12.45-14.30: Panel II: New Balance of Power in the Indo-Pacific Region

- Prof. Zhang Li, Sichuan University, **US - South Asia/Indo-Pacific Thrusts and Implications for Regional Security: the Chinese Perspective**
- Prof. Chintamani Mahapatra, Jawaharlal Nehru University, **Dynamics of the Emerging Balance of Power in the Indo-Pacific: India, China and USA**
- Prof. Edward Haliżak, University of Warsaw, **U.S.-China Bipolarism: Implications for the Indo-Pacific Regional Balance of Power**
- Prof. Liu Jiawei, Sichuan University, **Quad and its Future Scenario: the Chinese Perspective**
- Prof. Arvind Kumar, Manipal Academy of Higher Education, **Implications of Quad for the Indo-Pacific Region: the Role of India**

**Chair: Dr. Dorota Heidrich, University of Warsaw**