

The Conference

In the last two decades China has progressively increased its involvement in United Nations PKOs, up to the extent that today it is the main troop-contributing country among the permanent members of the Security Council. Italy, on the other hand, has offered its steady engagement since the very beginning of UN PKOs. Indeed, its approach has come to be known as the "Italian way to peacekeeping". The conference aims at: discussing, in a comparative way, the Italian and Chinese experiences; distilling lessons learned and identifying current challenges and trends. The conference will see the participation of **Staffan de Mistura**, Under-secretary of State, Italian Ministry of Foreign Affairs, and **Gianluigi Magri**, Under-secretary of State, Italian Ministry of Defense.

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Invitation & Agenda

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Agenda - Thursday 7 June

- 09:30 Registration of the participants
- SESSION 1: PRC AND ITALY: DRIVERS OF PARTICIPATION
- 10:00 Welcome speeches
Professor Maria Chiara Carrozza, Rector of the Scuola Superiore Sant'Anna, Pisa, Professor Andrea de Guttery, Scuola Superiore Sant'Anna, Pisa, Professor Li Jing, Chinese Director of Confucius Institute, Pisa
Representative of the PRC Embassy in Italy, Rome
- 10:45 Coffee Break

Thursday 7 June

- 11:15 Keynote Address - Professor Gianluigi Magri, Under Secretary of State, Ministry of Defense, Rome
- 11:30 Confucianism and Peacekeeping: the Chinese "approach" to PKOs - Mr. Xu Xiaobing, Vice Dean for International Programs, Director, International Programs Office, KoGuan Law School, Shanghai Jiao Tong University
- 11:30 Reasons for Italy's active engagement in PKOs: political and moral implications - Professor Alessandro Polsi, University of Pisa
- 11:45 Debate
- 12:15 Lunch Break
- SESSION 2: PRC AND ITALY'S ENGAGEMENT IN PKOS
- 13:15 Italy's participation in PKOs: figures and trends - Dr. Fabrizio Coticchia, Scuola Superiore Sant'Anna, Pisa
- 13:30 China's participation in PKOs: figures and trends - Professor Hu Jiayang, Shanghai Jiao Tong University, PRC
- 13:45 What reasons lie behind the decision to work in a PKO? The psycho-social profile of the Chinese troops and police forces - Professor Zonglin Zhang, Vice-Director of Office of Letters and Calls of Beijing Community of Communist Party of China and Beijing Municipal People's Government.
- 14:00 What reasons lie behind the decision to work in a PKO? The psycho-social profile of the Italian troops and police forces - Professor Fabrizio Battistelli, Director of Department of Social Sciences, Sapienza University, Rome
- 14:15 Parliamentary involvement with military missions abroad: experiences in Europe - Professor Luc F.M. Verhey, University of Maastricht
- 14:30 Coffee Break
- 14:45 Decision making process and modalities of financing national participation to a PKO: the Chinese practice - Dr. Qian Tao, Scuola Superiore Sant'Anna, Pisa; Assistant Professor, the Capital University of Economics and Business, Beijing
- 15:00 Decision making process and modalities of financing national participation to a PKO: the Italian practice - Dr. Filippo Cinoglossi, Responsible for the Department of Foreign Affairs of the Study Centre of the Italian Chamber of Deputies, Rome
- 15:15 Q&A
- SESSION 3: RECENT TRENDS AND CHALLENGES IN PK AND PB OPERATIONS – THE HRs DIMENSION
- 15:45 Mainstreaming gender issues and fighting against sexual abuses in PKOs: what has been done so far by Italy and PRC? - Miss Mariangela Bizzarri, Director of Gender Consult, Milan
- 16:00 Human rights violations in peacekeeping operations: issues of international responsibility - Dr. Emanuele Sommario, Scuola Superiore Sant'Anna, Pisa
- 16:15 Q&A

Friday 8 June

- SESSION 4: TRAINING FOR INTEGRATED PK OPERATIONS: THE GATEWAY TO SUCCESSFUL MISSIONS?
- 9:00 Training the police components: Chinese experiences at a glance - Jiayin Li, PK Police Division, Ministry of Public Security, P.R. China
- 9:20 Training the military component: Italian experiences at a glance - General Pierluigi Monteduro, Stato Maggiore Esercito
- 9:35 Training police component: the Italian experiences - Gen. Umberto Rocca, Director of COESPU, Vicenza
- 9:50 Training the civilian component: the European experiences - Mr. Radek Khol, Crisis Management and Planning Directorate, CSDP Policy, Concepts and Capabilities, External Action Service Council of the EU
- 10:05 Q&A
- 10:30 Coffee Break
- SESSION 5: RECENT TRENDS AND CHALLENGES IN PK AND PB OPERATIONS
- 10:50 Keeping the Peace at Sea: Chinese and Italian Practices in Anti-Piracy Operations - ITN V.A. (ret.) Fabio Caffio, Expert of Law of the Sea, IT MOFA, Service for Legal Affairs, Rome
- 11:05 Crimes committed by peacekeepers and principles of criminal jurisdiction: notes on territoriality, extraterritoriality, complementarity between national jurisdictions and the ICC - Professor Alberto di Martino, Scuola Superiore Sant'Anna, Pisa
- 11:20 The legal framework applicable to national personnel deployed in PKOs: the Italian Experience - Dr. Giulio Bartolini, University of Rome
- 11:35 The legal framework applicable to national personnel deployed in PKOs: the Chinese Experience - Professor Zhu Lijang, China University of Political Science and Law, PRC
- 11:50 United Nations and regional peacekeeping operations: from competition to cooperation - Professor Andrea de Guttery, Scuola Superiore Sant'Anna, Pisa
- 12:05 From peacekeeping to stabilisation: the local counterparts' capabilities development paradigm - Dr. Annalisa Creta, Scuola Superiore Sant'Anna, Pisa
- 12:20 Q&A
- 12:50 Lunch Break
- SESSION 6: CONCLUSIONS
- 14:00 Bolstering the Sino-Italian cooperation in PKOs: the way ahead - H.E. Staffan De Mistura, Under Secretary of State, Minister of Foreign Affairs, Rome
- 14:15 Closing Speech - Title TBC - Representative of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, P.R. China