



***"Emerging Issues and Persistent Challenges" Seminar Series***

**Autumn Semester 2015-2016**

<b>Date</b>	<b>Guest Speaker</b>	<b>Topic</b>	<b>Position</b>
September 9	<b>Mr. Jini Sebakunzi</b>	<b><i>Transition from private sector to NGO....discovering challenges of International Development</i></b>	R20-Regions of Climate Action, East Africa Program Manager
September 23	<b>Mr. Dmitry Godunov</b>	<b><i>Practical Tips for the Aspiring Diplomats</i></b>	UNCTAD, Division on Technology and Logistics
October 7	<b>Mr. Nicholas Krohley</b>	<b><i>Shi'ite militarism in Iraq, and the regional influence of Iran</i></b>	Founder & CEO of Subaltern Research Services
October 21	<b>Judge Mauro Politi</b>	<b><i>Recent Activities of the Human Rights Committee</i></b>	Member of the UN Human Rights Committee; former Judge of the International Criminal Court
November 4	<b>Dr. Burkhard Varnholt</b>	<b><i>Thoughts about leadership in a changing global economy</i></b>	CIO of Bank Julius Bär; Founder of "Kids of Africa"
November 18	<b>Mr. Bohdan Nahajlo</b>	<b><i>The Ukrainian Crisis: Challenges and Lessons</i></b>	Independent International Political and Humanitarian Affairs Specialist; former Chief of the UN DPA Team in Ukraine; former senior policy adviser for the UNHCR
December 2	<b>Mr. Stefan Ziegler</b>	<b><i>Learning Alliance - A tool for networking</i></b>	Training Consultant and Humanitarian Practitioner

\*All classes are held in the Kennedy Room, de Sales building, from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m.

\*\* Attendance is mandatory and will be checked.

\*\*\* The personal assignment guidelines can be found here

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