



"The Trump Administration and Nuclear Dangers"

Welcome to a seminar with Barry Blechman, Stimson Center, on the Trump Administration and the Nuclear Strategy and Policies. Our guest Barry Blechman¹ has nearly fifty years of distinguished service in national security, in both the public and private sectors. He is an expert on political and military policies, military strategy, and defense budgets and industries. Blechman has worked in the Departments of State and Defense, and at the Office of Management and Budget.

Barry will cover policies toward North Korea, Iran, and Russia, as well as the nuclear posture review, which is currently ongoing. He will put the nuclear issues into a broader context -- their general approach to world affairs and these particular regions.

- Barry Blechman's Op-Ed in USA Today on Russia's Nuclear Weapons Program: <https://www.stimson.org/content/barry-blechmans-op-ed-usa-today-russias-nuclear-weapons-program>
- Barry Blechman on Cost and Logistics of Increasing Nuclear Arsenal: <http://edition.cnn.com/2017/10/11/politics/nuclear-arsenal-trump/index.html>
- Barry Blechman Quoted in Sinclair Broadcasting Article on Trump Pressuring China: <http://wila.com/news/nation-world/experts-warn-trump-against-alienating-china-over-north-korea>

Time: Friday 17 November, 9:00-11.30am. Coffee served from 8:30.

Place: Gripen (202), Försvarshögskolan, Drottning Kristinas väg 37, Stockholm

Participants/invitees: This is a personal invitation. RSVP by 13 November October to gunilla.thulin@fhs.se

Welcome

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