Mobilizing People and Power in Russia

Monday 5 June

09:00-09:30 Arrival, tea and coffee

09:30 - 11:00 Session 1: Social and political mobilization

- To what extend is the Russian leadership seeking to mobilize the wider population?
- What does political mobilization mean?
- What are the leadership's main tools for achieving political and social mobilization?

Speakers:
Wayne Allensworth, Independent Analyst
Donald Jensen, Senior Fellow, Center for Transatlantic Relations, Johns Hopkins School of Advanced International Studies
Chair: Alena Ledeneva, Associate Fellow, Russia and Eurasia Programme, Chatham House

11:00-11:15 Coffee break

11:15 - 12:45 Session 2: Military and security aspects of mobilization

- What is the role of the Russian National Guard?
- How are national command and control mechanisms changing?

Speakers:
David Pendall, Colonel, US Army Europe
Henry Plater Zyberk, Editor, Russian Defence and Security Review & Ukrainian Defence and Security Review
Chair: Andrew Monaghan, Director of Research on Russia and Northern European Defence and Security, Changing Character of War Programme, Pembroke College, Oxford

12:45 close

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