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The International Crisis Group's Global Briefing is an exclusive two-day high-level event that will focus on major conflict flashpoints across the globe. Invited participants will have an opportunity to go beyond the headlines in discussions with more than 40 of Crisis Group's field-based staff, senior staff, and Board members on the drivers of these conflicts and innovative strategies for their mitigation.

DATE & LOCATION

The fifth annual Global Briefing will be held Thursday 23 - Friday 24 October 2014 at The Hotel in Brussels, Belgium.

AGENDA & FORMAT

The Global Briefing's two-day program consists of four plenary sessions and

eight break-out panels that will provide timely insights on the lessons of 2014 and key issues for the year ahead. The complete agenda is available on our dedicated Global Briefing website.

REGISTER NOW

All interested participants must apply to attend. Limited places are available and applicants are encouraged to register their interest at their earliest convenience.

The Global Briefing participation fee of €1,050 includes lunches and the joint closing reception with Crisis Group's esteemed Board of Trustees. For more information do not hesitate to contact us at globalbriefing@crisisgroup.org.

Thank you for your interest in the Global Briefing. We look forward to welcoming you!

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Program

Day 1

9am - 9.20am	<u>Welcome</u>
9.30am - 11am	Whither Ukraine?
11am - 11.30am	Coffee Break
11.30am - 1pm	Parallel Sessions: Authoritarians and Islamists: the Struggle for North Africa's Identity Tackling Extremism in Africa (Mali, Nigeria, Kenya)
1pm - 2.30pm	<u>Lunch</u>
2.30pm - 4pm	Parallel Sessions: Israel, Abbas and Hamas: What Future for Peace? Colombia's peace process
4pm - 4.30pm	Coffee Break

Day2

4.30pm - 6pm

9am - Parallel Sessions:

10.30am

Afghanistan and Pakistan: Insurgencies and Transitions

10.30am

<u>Iran's Nuclear Talks</u>

Peacekeeping in Africa? CAR, South Sudan, Mali, and the DRC

10.30am - 11am	Coffee Break
11am - 12.30pm	Parallel Sessions: Overthrowing democratically-elected governments through protests (Egypt, Thailand, Ukraine, Venezuela) Regional solutions or regional problems in the Horn of Africa
12.30pm - 2pm	<u>Lunch</u>
2pm - 3.30pm	Syria, Iraq and the Region
3.30pm - 4pm	Coffee Break
4pm - 5.30pm	A New Era of Zero-Sum International Politics?
6pm - 7.30pm	Cocktail Reception