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09.30 Coffee and introductions

09.45 Welcome remarks
Jordi Bacaria, Director, CIDOB, Barcelona

09.50 INTRODUCTION TO THE CONFERENCE SUBJECT MATTER
Eran Fraenkel, Associate Senior Researcher, CIDOB, Barcelona

10.00 REVIEWING THE EU ENLARGEMENT POLICY
Chairperson: Pol Morillas, Research Fellow, CIDOB, Barcelona
Elisabeth Johansson-Nogués, Researcher, IBEI, Barcelona
Gerald Knaus, Chairman, European Stability Initiative, Berlin-Istanbul-Brussels

10.30 Q/A Open Debate

11.00 Coffee break

11.30 LISTENING TO THE NATIONAL PERSPECTIVES I
Chairperson: Pere Vilanova, Associate Senior Researcher, CIDOB, Barcelona
Albania vis-à-vis EU enlargement
Sotiriaq Hroni, Executive Director, Institute for Democracy and Mediation, Tirana
Bosnia vis-à-vis EU enlargement
Adnan Ćerimagić, Analyst, European Stability Initiative, Sarajevo

12.00 Q/A Open Debate

12.30 Lunch

14.00 LISTENING TO THE NATIONAL PERSPECTIVES II
Chairperson: Nicolás de Pedro, Research Fellow, CIDOB, Barcelona
Macedonia vis-à-vis EU enlargement
Mirjana Najchevska, Director, Center for Human Rights and Conflict Resolution, Skopje
Serbia vis-à-vis EU enlargement
Gordana Delić, Director, Balkan Trust for Democracy, Belgrade

14.30 Q/A Open Debate

15:00 SUMMATION AND RECOMMENDATIONS TO BE MADE TO THE EU
Eran Fraenkel, Associate Senior Researcher, CIDOB, Barcelona

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