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The 2020 Global Security Forum will take place virtually from 16-19 November. This year's conference will explore 'A New World (Dis)order? Managing Security Challenges in an Increasingly Complex Landscape.'

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(New York, NY– 13 November, 2020) On 16-19 November, the Global Security Forum will take place virtually. This year, the conference will explore the evolution of global security challenges posed by complex geopolitical realities that have been exacerbated by the COVID-19 pandemic, including disinformation, extremism, and government illegitimacy. This interdisciplinary, high-level event will gather insights from the world's most prominent experts, practitioners, and policymakers from around the world to trace the evolution of critical geopolitical trends and global security challenges and explore potential solutions.

What: 2020 Global Security Forum on 'A New World (Dis)order? Managing Security Challenges in an Increasingly Complex Landscape'

Where: Virtual event; public stream available at <u>www.globalsecurityforum.com</u>

When: 16-19 November 2020

Who: Experts, practitioners and policymakers from government, academia, private sector, and media **Registration:** None required

Key Speakers: [alphabetically]

- His Excellency Sheikh Mohammed bin Abdulrahman Al-Thani, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Foreign Affairs, State of Qatar
- Assistant Secretary-General Michèle Coninsx, Executive Director of the Counter-Terrorism Executive Directorate (CTED)
- Ambassador Bilahari Kausikan, Former Permanent Secretary, Singapore Ministry of Foreign Affairs
- Mr. Gilles de Kerchove, Counter-Terrorism Coordinator, European Union
- Director Christopher C. Krebs, Director of CISA, United States Department of Homeland Security
- Ambassador Robert C. O'Brien, National Security Advisor, United States
- Congressman Max Rose, United States Representative for New York's 11th Congressional District
- Ambassador Nathan A. Sales, Ambassador-at-Large and Coordinator for Counterterrorism, United States Department of State

About the Global Security Forum:

The Global Security Forum is organized by The Soufan Center (TSC). The 2020 partners are: the Qatar International Academy for Security Studies (QIASS); New America; Defense One; and the United Nations Counter-Terrorism Committee Executive Directorate (CTED). Visit: <u>www.globalsecurityforum.com</u>.

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