



LUNCHTIME BRIEFINGS

Data Protection, Borders and Criminal Justice: Mobile Priorities?

Organizers
Law, Science, Technology and Society (LSTS), Vrije Universiteit Brussel (VUB)
The Centre for European Policy Studies (CEPS)

Venue: CEPS (Place du Congrès 1, 1000, Brussels)
Date: 29th June 2010 (12.00 – 15.00h)

The Law, Science, Technology and Society (LSTS) research centre of the Vrije Universiteit Brussel (VUB) and the Justice and Home Affairs Section at the Centre for European Policy Studies (CEPS) are organizing a **Series of Five Luchtime Briefings** within the framework of INEX - *Converging and conflicting ethical values in the internal/external security continuum in Europe*, a Research Project funded by the Seventh Framework Programme of the DG Enterprise of the European Commission. The project builds on the premise that security and insecurity are implicitly related to human values and that meaningful, effective, and cost-efficient security requires a thorough understanding of the social, cultural and ethical assumptions of security.

The second lunchtime briefing, which will take place in Brussels at the CEPS (Place du Congrès, 1 – 1000 Brussels) on the 29th June 2010 under the title '**Data Protection, Borders and Criminal Justice: Mobile Priorities?**', will aim at linking the results of the early stages of the project with policymaking processes. The events' purpose is to allow an open discussion on the conceptual and empirical research on the social and cultural dimensions of security in Europe, linking analyses of law and technology with current discussions on borders, mobility and fundamental rights.

The implementation of the Stockholm Programme makes the moment particularly appropriate to combine the views of project researchers and policy-makers in order to measure and assess the salience of the socio-cultural and ethical dimension of security and to move towards "evidence based policies".

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12.00 – 13.00: LUNCH

13.00 – 15.00: PRESENTATIONS

Chair: Serge Gutwirth (LSTS, VUB)

Paul De Hert (LSTS, VUB), *The US/EU Data Protection Agreement*

Emilio De Capitani (Committee on Citizens' Freedoms and Rights, European Parliament), *Outlook from the European Parliament*

Giovanni Buttarelli (Assistant Supervisor, European Data Protection Supervisor - EDPS), *Perspectives of the EDPS*

Jens Hjelmstad (Ericsson), *Smart Borders: Smart for whom?*

OPEN DISCUSSION

Forthcoming Lunchtime Briefings

The next Lunchtime Briefings will address the following themes:

- 1) FRONTEX in a European Area of Freedom, Security and Justice
- 2) Mapping the field of the EU internal security agencies
- 3) Research, security technology and ethical implications.