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**Sunday, 11 May 2003**

15:30 **Opening session**
Jean Fournet, NATO Assistant Secretary General for Public Diplomacy, Brussels
Carlos Costa Neves, Secretary of State for European Affairs, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Lisbon

16:00 **Southern perceptions of the current changes inside the EU and Nato**
*Moderator:* Martin Ortega, EU Institute for Security Studies, Paris

. *Two brief introductions*
  Khalid Alioua, Minister of Education and Science, Rabat
  Mustapha Hamarneh, Director, Center for Strategic Studies, CSS, Amman

. *Comments and reactions*
  Alexandre Zafiriou, Principal Administrator, European Council, Brussels
  Nicola de Santis, Information Officer for Mediterranean Dialogue and Partner Countries, NATO Public Diplomacy Division, Brussels

. **Roundtable discussion**

**Monday, 12 May 2003**

09:30 **Re-shaping the triangular dialogue**
*Moderator:* Yves Boyer, Fondation pour la recherche stratégique, Paris

. *Three brief introductions*
  Volker Perthes, Stiftung Wissenschaft und Politik, SWP, Berlin
  Salima Ghezali, Journalist, writer, Sakharov Price for Human Rights, Algiers
  Robert Pelletreau, American Academy of Diplomacy, Washington

. **Roundtable discussion**

14:30 **Concluding panel**
*Moderator:* Abdallah Saaf, Centre d’Etudes et de Recherches en Sciences Sociales, Rabat

. *Comments and reactions*
  Ambassador Mohamed I. Shaker, Chairman, Egyptian Council for Foreign Affairs, Cairo

. **Roundtable discussion**

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