

Contribution of Vienna Center for Disarmament and Non-Proliferation to Nuclear Security

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Mission

- The VCDNP's mission is to **promote** international peace and security by providing a platform for **independent analysis** and **dialogue** in the field of nuclear disarmament and non-proliferation
- In order to fulfill its mission, the VCDNP employs conferences, seminars, and other fora to foster **result-oriented discussion** among international organizations, national governments, non-governmental experts, scholars, and civil society. The Center partners with other academic and non-governmental institutions, as well as international organizations in conducting **research, outreach, education, and training** on non-proliferation and disarmament

VCDNP and Nuclear Security

Outreach, promotion and awareness-raising

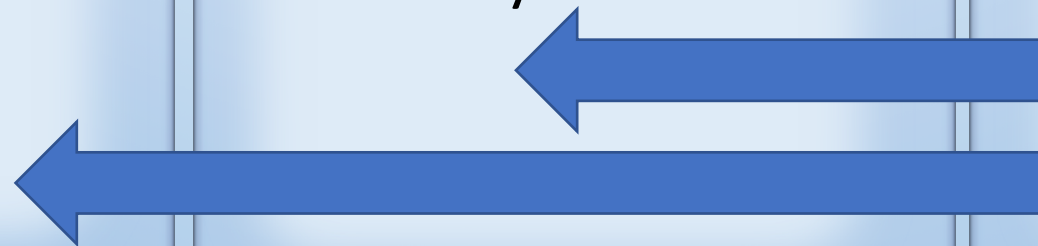
- Event promoting the A/CPPNM
- Pre-ICONS panel

Capacity-building

- Professional development course on nuclear security

Bridge-building

- Series of panel discussions on peaceful uses and nuclear security
- Fact sheets



Promoting the Amendment to the Convention on the Physical Protection of Nuclear Material

- 22 February 2016
- In collaboration with the IAEA
- Representatives of States Parties to A/CPPNM and non-adherent States
- Factsheet ahead of event
- Exchange of experience, IAEA support available



Building Bridges and Facilitating Consensus for a Successful ICONS 2020

- 15 January 2020
- DG R. Grossi, Amb. Cristian Istrate, Amb. Omar Amer Youssef, Amb. (ret.) Laura Holgate
- Discussed: key outstanding issues, expectations, future direction of nuclear security efforts, IAEA role



Nuclear Security Professional Development Course

- 4-8 February 2019
- In cooperation with IAEA, CNS
- 21 participants from newcomer States
- Key political and technical issues
- Three sessions at IEC IAEA
- Excellent feedback from participants, experts and IAEA
- To be continued



Six panel discussions on peaceful uses of nuclear technology and the role of nuclear security (1/2)

- Platform for cross sector dialogue
- Between policy and technical communities
- Between G77 and Western/developed countries
- Success stories of sustainable application of nuclear technology
- Highlights support of IAEA and partners
- Fact sheets related to panel discussions



Six panel discussions (2/2)

- Material out of Regulatory Control: Facilitating Trade while Preventing Nuclear Smuggling (November 2019)
- End of Life Management for Sealed Radioactive Sources (July 2019)
- Sustainable Use of Nuclear and Other Radioactive Material for Peaceful Purposes (March 2019)
- Safe and Secure Use of Nuclear Power to Provide Reliable, Affordable and Sustainable Energy for All (February 2019)
- Sustainable Use of Radioactive Sources for Agriculture, Food Security and Health (August 2018)
- Radioactive Sources and Sustainable Development (March 2018)

Questions?

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