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Impacting health, the environment and global governance.

The challenges of taking a security approach.

International Seminar organised by the
*Health and Environment: from Safety and Security Issues to New Governance
Options?* programme of the Ifri

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Working Programme

9h00 – 9h30

Opening address

Dominique DAVID, Directeur Exécutif, Ifri, France

Mr. the Ambassador LU Ching-Long Michel, Representative of the Taipei Representative Office in France

9h30 – 11h00

FIRST SESSION

Health and the environment as security issues

Speakers:

Dr. Lincoln CHEN, President, China Medical Board of New York, New York, USA

Health, globalization, and human security: An insider's perspective

Gwyn PRINS, Director, Mackinder Programme, London School of Economics and Political Science, United Kingdom

Environment as a global security issue

Discussant:

Colin MCINNES, Director, Centre for Health and International Relations (CHAIR), University of Aberystwyth, United Kingdom

Chair:

Dominique DAVID, Directeur Exécutif, Ifri, France

11h15 – 12h45

SECOND SESSION

A first assessment of the impacts: The securitization process in historical perspective

Speakers:

Stefan ELBE, Reader, University of Sussex, United Kingdom

Securitizing epidemics until the early 20th century: insights on the impacts of the securitization process.

Hans Günter BRAUCH, Adjunct Professor, Free University of Berlin, Germany

Environment and Security. A Historic Link.

Discussant:

Barry BUZAN, Professor, London School of Economics and Political Science, United Kingdom

Chair:

Aline LEBOEUF, Research Fellow, Ifri, France

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14h00 – 15H30

THIRD SESSION

Securitization and efficiency: Is there a link?

Speakers:

Fanny CHABROL, Researcher, EHESS, France

Effects of the securitization of HIV/AIDS in Botswana

Jean JOUZEL, Climatologue, Directeur, Institut Pierre-Simon Laplace, France

Effectively dealing with global climate change

Discussant:

TU Wenling, Secretary General, Taiwan Environmental Action Network, Taiwan

Chair:

Maïté JAUREGUY-NAUDIN, Research Fellow, Ifri, France

15h45 – 17h15

FOURTH SESSION

The effects of securitization on governance options.

Speakers:

Harley FELDBAUM, Associate Director, The Paul H. Nitze School of Advanced International Studies, USA

Global governance of HIV/AIDS

Adil NAJAM, Professor, Boston University, USA

Climate change as a security issue; governing North/South relations

Discussant:

Patrick ALLARD, Conseiller pour les affaires économiques, CAP, Ministère des Affaires étrangères et européennes, France

Chair:

Cécile KÉRÉBEL, Research Fellow, Ifri Brussels, Belgium

17h15

Concluding address

Sylvie LEMMET, Directeur de la division Technologie, Industrie et Economie, PNUE, France

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