UN General Assembly Resolution 71/259 established a High level FMCT expert preparatory group mandated inter alia to consider and make recommendations on substantial elements of a future non-discriminatory, multilateral and internationally and effectively verifiable treaty banning the production of fissile material for nuclear weapons or other nuclear explosive devices, on the basis of CD/1299 and the mandate contained therein.

Please join us for this side event featuring a presentation on the Chair's takeaways from the recent FMCT informal consultative meeting held in New York on March 2-3 2017, and a panel discussion on the possible characteristics of a future FMCT.

Moderator:
• Heidi Hulan, Chair of the High-level FMCT expert preparatory group

Panelists:
• Alice Guittot, Ambassador, Permanent Representative of France to the Conference on Disarmament
• Zia Mian, Co-Director Princeton University Program on Science and Global Security and Co-Chair of the International Panel on Fissile Materials
• Tim Caughley, Resident Senior Fellow UNIDIR

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