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Thursday 2 March 2023

	Arrival of delegations
12:15	Transport from the Hotels to the Riksdag
13:00-13:45	Guided tour of the Swedish Riksdag (optional)
13:15	Transport from the Hotels to the Riksdag
14:00-14:30	**Welcome address and opening remarks** - Dr Andreas Norlén, Speaker of the Swedish Riksdag - Mr David McAllister, Chair of the Committee on Foreign Affairs, European Parliament - Mr Aron Emilsson, Chair of the Committee on Foreign Affairs
14:30-16:00	**Session I – The Russian aggression against Ukraine** - Mr Johan Forssell, Minister for International Development Cooperation and Foreign Trade, Sweden - H.E. Mr Andrii Plakhotniuk, Ambassador of Ukraine to Sweden - Ms Carolina Vendil Pallin, Deputy Research Director, Swedish Defence Research Agency Chair: Mr Aron Emilsson, Chair of the Committee on Foreign Affairs
16.15	Transport from the Riksdag to the hotels
16:30-17:30	Meeting of the Chairs of the Troika and the European Parliament
17:30	Transport from the Riksdag to the hotels
18:30	Transport from the Hotels to the dinner venue
19:00-22:00	Dinner at the Vasa Museum
22:00	Transport from the Dinner venue to the Hotels

Friday 3 March 2023

07:45	Transport from the hotels to the Riksdag
08:00-08:45	Meetings of the political groups
09:00-10:30	**Session II – The EU's Strategic Compass for Security and Defence – challenges and opportunities**

Panel
- Dr Pål Jonson, Minister for Defence, Sweden
- Mr Arnaud Danjean, former chair, Subcommittee on Security and Defence, European Parliament
- Rear Admiral Ewa Skoog Haslum, Chief of the Royal Swedish Navy

Chair: Mr Gustav Lindström, Director, European Union Institute for Security Studies (EUISS)

10:30-11:00 Coffee break & family photo

11:00-12:30 **Session III – The Arctic**
Panel:
- Ms Ann Linde, former Swedish Minister for Foreign Affairs
- Ms Clara Ganslandt, European External Action Service, Special Envoy for the Arctic
- Mr Tormod Heier, Professor in Military Strategy and Operations

Chair: Mr David McAllister, Chair of the Committee on Foreign Affairs, European Parliament

12:30-14:00 Buffet lunch at the Riksdag

14:00-15:30 **Session IV - Priorities of the Common Foreign and Security Policy/Common Security and Defence Policy**
Keynote speaker: Mr Stefano Sannino, Secretary-General European External Action Service (remote participation)

Chair: Mr Kenneth G Forslund, Committee on Defence, First Deputy Speaker of the Swedish Riksdag

15:30-15:45 **Closing remarks**
- Mr David McAllister, Chair of the Committee on Foreign Affairs, European Parliament
- Mr Kenneth G Forslund, Committee on Defence, First Deputy Speaker of the Swedish Riksdag

16.00 Transport from the Riksdag to the hotels

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17:00 Transport from the Riksdag to the hotels

Departure of delegations