



## **From the Geneva Protocol to the UNSG Mechanism: Lessons Learned and Opportunities**

**Wednesday, 12 August 2015, 13:15–14:45  
Room XXII, Palais des Nations, Geneva**

### **AGENDA**

#### **13:15 Welcoming Remarks**

Ms Kerstin Vignard  
Chief of Operations and Deputy to the Director, UNIDIR

Mr Louis Riquet  
Deputy Permanent Representative, Permanent Mission of France to the CD

#### **13:25 United Nations Secretary-General Mechanism for investigation of alleged use of chemical, biological and toxin weapons: overview and summary of recent activities**

Mr Nikita Smidovich  
Senior Political Affairs Officer, WMD Branch, UN Office for Disarmament Affairs

#### **13:35 UNSGM Training Course – France, June 2015**

Col Nicolas Coussière  
Military Adviser, Permanent Mission of France to the CD

#### **13:45 Towards a UNSGM biological analysis network: Workshop Report**

Dr Anna-Lena Johansson  
Technical Expert and Scientist, Department of Defence and Security, FOI, Sweden

#### **13:55 UNSGM Designated Laboratories**

Dr Cédric Invernizzi  
CBRN Arms Control Expert, Spiez Laboratory, Switzerland

#### **14:05 Questions and Moderated Discussion**

#### **14:45 End of the Event**

A sandwich lunch will be served at 12:45 outside conference room XXII