

# Programme

## Trends of Visegrad European Policy 2021

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### In Cooperation with the Czech Association for International Affairs (AMO)

Monday 8 November 2021 – 17.00 – 19.30  
Academy of the Konrad-Adenauer-Foundation  
Tiergartenstr. 35, 10785 Berlin

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We would like to cordially invite you to the presentation of the results of the research project **“Trends of Visegrad European Policy 2021”** and the following discussion. The aim of the research carried out in the summer of 2021 was to gain unique data on the **opinions and stances of foreign policy actors in the Visegrad Group on individual areas of European policy**. The data was obtained through a survey distributed among politicians, diplomats, experts, journalists and business representatives. The project was supported by Konrad-Adenauer-Foundation in the Czech Republic.

The results of the research show that:

- The relations among V4 states are mostly perceived as “good” or “very good”. Nevertheless, the respondents do not consider V4 states as their closest allies within the EU. **Germany remains to be seen as the most important partner of the V4 members.**
- **The EU enlargement and relations with the eastern neighbours continue to play a key role in the agenda of the Visegrad countries.** The majority of involved parties would welcome more initiative of the V4 in these relations.
- **Most respondents expect that in the next five years, policies for climate and the environment, energetic policy and digitalization will gain more importance within the EU agenda.**

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16.30 – 17.00	<b>Registration</b>
17.00 – 17.45	<b>Presentation of the results of the Trends of Visegrad European Policy 2021</b> <b>Pavλίna Janebová</b> Research Director Czech Association for International Affairs (AMO)  <b>Zsuzsanna Végh</b> Research Fellow European University Viadrina and European Council on Foreign Relations
17.45 – 18.30	<b>Discussion about the Visegrad European Policy</b> <b>Pavλίna Janebová</b>  <b>Zsuzsanna Végh</b>  Moderation <b>Alexander Beribes</b> European Affairs in Department Democracy, Rule of Law and Political Parties Konrad-Adenauer-Stiftung
18.30 – 19.30	<b>Reception and evening networking</b>

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