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## **A Brainstorming Seminar**

### ***A Pan-European Perspective for the Economic Integration of South Eastern Europe (SEE)***

4.00 p.m. to 6.00 p.m., Thursday, 6 December 2007  
Conference Room XI, Palais des Nations

Introduction: Mr. Marek Belka (UNECE)

Guest Speaker: Mr. Goran Svilanovic (Stability Pact)\*

Panelists: Ambassador Giovanni Caracciolo di Vietri (Permanent Representative of Italy to UNOG)  
Mr. Christophe Solioz (Center for European Integration Strategies)  
Mr. Mario Apostolov (UNECE)

Discussion

Objective:

How a pan-European Perspective does contribute to economic integration in SEE? How individual countries of the region see their economic future and their development needs? Have the EU, the US and Russia a common approach towards the economic integration of SEE? How the pan-European perspective interacts with, and is complementary to, other bilateral or sub-regional initiatives?

The seminar aims at discussing these issues, and others related to them. The guest speaker has had direct experience in the region, as expert and Foreign Minister. He will open the discussion with his own views and comments.

\* Mr. Goran Svilanovic is the Chair of Working Table I, Stability Pact for South East Europe. He was the Minister of Foreign Affairs of Serbia and Montenegro from 2000 to 2004.