



## **The CTBT: The Nexus between Politics and Science**

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Council Chamber, Palais des Nations, Geneva**

**The seminar is organized in collaboration with:**

**CTBTO and the Permanent Mission of the Republic of Hungary to the United Nations**

### **Introductory remarks**

Ms Theresa Hitchens, Director, United Nations Institute for Disarmament Research

H.E. Mrs Klára Tunyogi Akóts, Ambassador, Permanent Representative, Permanent Mission of the Republic of Hungary to the United Nations Office and other International Organizations in Geneva

### **Challenges and Opportunities for the CTBT Entry Into Force: The readiness and capability of the CTBT verification system**

Ambassador Tibor Tóth, Executive Secretary, Preparatory Commission for the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty Organization

### **The 2009 International Scientific Studies Conference: The role of science and technology in verifying arms control and disarmament**

Mr. Ola Dahlman, Chairman, 2009 International Scientific Studies Conference

### **Q&A and discussion**