A workshop on:

**The European Union as a Diplomatic Actor**

28 January 2015, 14:00 - 17:00
The London School of Economics and Political Science

**Welcome Remarks** | Prof. Karen E. Smith, Department International Relations and European Foreign Policy Unit, LSE
14:00-14:10

**Presentations**
14:10 - 14:40

**The European Union as a Diplomatic Actor: Successes, Limitations and Future Potential** | Prof. Dr. Joachim Koops, Vesalius College Brussels and Dr. Gjovalin Macaj, St Antony’s College, University of Oxford

**The European Union as a Diplomatic Actor and the Changing Context of Global Diplomacy** | Prof. Michael H. Smith, Department of Politics, History and International Relations, Loughborough University

**The EU's Human Rights Diplomacy** | Prof. Karen E. Smith, Department International Relations and European Foreign Policy Unit, LSE

**Discussion and Q&A**
14:40 - 15:15
Discussant: Dr. Federica Bicchi, Department of International Relations, LSE

**Break**
15:15-15:30
Keynote Speech
15:30-16:00

The Transatlantic Trade and Investment Partnership: Implications for the EU as a Diplomatic Actor and Transatlantic Relations | Dr. Fernando Andresen Guimarães, North America & Canada Division, European External Action Service

Discussion and Q&A
16:00 - 16:45
Discussant: Prof. Michael H. Smith, Department of Politics, History and International Relations, Loughborough University

Closing Remarks | Prof. Karen E. Smith, Prof. Dr. Joachim Koops, and Dr. Gjovalin Macaj
16:45 - 16:50

Please be advised that seating is limited, and therefore a registration is required. Please email Julia Muravska at j.muravska@lse.ac.uk to register for this event.