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Founder & Director of ISIS: Professor Dr. Plamen Pantev.

ANNUAL REPORT 2010 (Year Sixteen)

RESEARCH, PUBLICATIONS AND PERIODICALS

1. *Plamen Pantev, Velko Attanassoff*: "MULTIPART" – EU FP7 project of a consortium of universities and institutes with the support of the EC (2008-2010). See: www.multi-part.eu
2. *Plamen Pantev, Velko Attanassoff*: "Rehabilitation and Multi-Stakeholder Partnerships on Security in Post-Conflict Situations: the Case of Afghanistan and the Consequences for the European Union", St.Kliment Ohridski University Press, Sofia, 2010, 200 pp.
3. *Plamen Pantev*, "The Fluid Nature of Smallness: Regulation of the International System and the Challenges and Opportunities of Small States, in: Robert Steinmetz and Anders Wivel (Eds.), *Small States in Europe: Challenges and Opportunities*, Ashgate, Surrey, UK, Burlington, USA, 2010, p.103-113.

NOTE: Most of the publications of ISIS in English are part of its library in Internet in full text at www.isis-bg.org, and some - at the ISN Publishing House: www.isn.ethz.ch (Dossiers)

CONTRACTED CONSULTING AND NATIONAL PARTNERSHIP

ISIS works with and supports Bulgarian NGOs, academic organizations, universities, diplomacy and military educational institutions in the fields of security, foreign policy, international negotiations and civil-military relations. ISIS worked in 2010 with the MoD and MFA. ISIS consulted and provided teaching material to military and academic institutions and experts on security issues and civil-military relations.

SUPPORT FOR YOUNG RESEARCHERS

ISIS supported in 2010 Bulgarian and foreign B.A., M. A. and Ph. D. writers, including by linking them with established and highly qualified national, foreign and international experts, seminars and courses. International Relations and Law students strengthen the voluntary support team of ISIS and some of the best become Associates of ISIS upon graduation.

CONFERENCES, SEMINARS, WORKSHOPS

In 2009 ISIS co-organized or its representatives were invited to 20 conferences, seminars or workshops as speakers, chairmen, respondents or participants. 15 of them were international – both abroad and in Bulgaria, and 5 - national.

MEDIA PRESENTATIONS

Interviews by ISIS associates were given in 2010 for Euro-Money Journal, AOL News, Xinhuanews, Bulgarian Army Newspaper, Bulgarian National Radio, BBT TV, and other national and foreign journals and media.

NETWORKING AND COOPERATION

ISIS was actively cooperating with the following institutions in 2010:

1. 'Friends of Europe' NGO, and Europe's World Journal, Brussels.
2. PfP Consortium of the Defense Academies and the Security Studies Institutes, Garmisch.
3. Bureau for Security Policy, MoD, and the IFK at the NDA, Vienna, Austria.
4. Scuola Superiore Sant'Anna, Pisa, Italy and the MULTIPART FP7 Consortium, coordinated by SSSA.
5. Ministry of Defense, Bulgaria.
6. Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Bulgaria.
7. George C. Marshall Center, Garmisch-Partenkirchen.
8. SNDC, Stockholm.
9. IEIS, Luxembourg.
10. DCAF, Geneva.
11. ARAG at the Defence Academy of the United Kingdom, Sandhurst.
12. Center for Strategic Studies, Sarajevo.
13. IAI, Rome.
14. RIIR, Brussels.
15. University of Castellion, Spain.
16. Clingendael, The Hague.
17. US Embassy, Sofia.
18. EU ISS, Paris.
19. NDU, Washington.
20. RIIS "Nicolae Titulescu", Bucharest.
21. Spanish Institute for Strategic Studies, MoD, Madrid.
22. Center for Security Studies, Zürich , ISN.
23. UNIDIR, Geneva.
24. CINA and Journal of International Negotiation, Washington, D. C.
25. ISA, Tuscon, Arizona.

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Director of ISIS:
(Prof. Dr. Plamen Pantev)