

Day 01

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18:00 - 20:00

CCCB,
Sala Mirador.
C/ Montalegre, 5
08001 - Barcelona

Networking

[Alumni Community](#)

[Jacint Jordana](#),

Director, IBEI; Professor of Political Science
and Administration at Universitat Pompeu Fabra (UPF)

[Judit Carrera](#),

Director, CCCB: Centre de Cultura Contemporània
de Barcelona

INSIGHTS / EDUCATIONAL

10:00 - 11:30

UPF. Room 40.S03
(BASEMENT)

**Nuclear non-proliferation
& disarmament affairs**

[Manuel Herrera](#)

IBEI Alumni, MIS 2018.
Research Fellow at the
Multilateralism and Global
Governance Programme,
Istituto Affari Internazionali
(IAI), Rome

[Margarita Petrova](#)

Assistant Professor
& Coordinator of the Master's
in International Security
at IBEI

[Jeffrey Michaels](#)

IEN Senior Fellow at IBEI

10:00 - 11:30

UPF. Room 40.S01
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**The role of carbon
dioxide removal in
fighting climate change**

[Mariona Oliva](#)

IBEI Alumni, MIR 2019.
Vice President,
Environmental & Social
Studies, WSP - Colombia

[Martijn Vlaskamp](#)

Assistant Professor and Juan
de la Cierva Incorporación
Research Fellow at IBEI

[Ana Garcia Juanatey](#)

IBEI Alumni, MIR 2007.
Professor at CEI International
Affairs & Executive director
of the Master in Sustainable
Development, UB

10:00 - 11:30

UPF. Room 40.S14
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**Gender equality,
diversity and inclusion**

[Stella Mally](#)

IBEI Alumni, MIR 2008.
Co-founder of
Womenseconomy.com
& Shareandgrow.eu

[Tutku Ayhan](#)

Fellow in International
Security at IBEI

[Rebekah Quixano
Henriques](#)

IBEI Alumni, MID 2021.
Programmes & Trusts
Officer at World Jewish
Relief

Day 02

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Venue June 17, 2023:

Universitat Pompeu Fabra.

Campus Ciutadella.
Roger de Llúria building

Ramon Trias Fargas 25-27
08005 - Barcelona

11:30 - 12:00 *Coffee Break*
(Coffee & tea and light pastries served)

PROFESSIONAL NETWORKING

12:00 - 13:30

UPF. Room 40.S03
(BASEMENT)

**Science & Innovation:
A way of building bridges
across nations**

[Paula Pardo](#)

IBEI Alumni, MIS 2017.
Venture Capital Investment,
Corporate Innovation. IATA

[Alexis Roig](#)

Barcelona's Chief Science
and Tech Envoy;
CEO of SciTech DiploHub;
Affiliated faculty member
at IBEI

12:00 - 13:30

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**How to navigate the EU
Bubble: Tips for Young
Professionals**

[Diego Quintanilla](#)

IBEI Alumni, MIR 2016.
HR - DG EPRS European
Parliament

[Mercedesz Lajos](#)

IBEI Alumni, MIR 2022.
Schuman traineeship
in the European Parliament

[Yannis Karagiannis](#)

Associate Professor
& Master's in Public Policy
Co-coordinator at IBEI

[Lluís Riera](#)

Affiliated faculty member
at IBEI; Former Director
for Development Policy,
European Commission

12:00 - 13:30

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(BASEMENT) or 40.012 (FLOOR 0)

**Pathways to Working
for the United Nations**

[Diego Vallejo](#)

IBEI Alumni, MID 2021.
UN Human Development
Report Office (HDRO)

[Borge Wietzke](#)

Associate Professor, PhD
Support Programme
Coordinator, and Master's in
International Development
Co-coordinator at IBEI

[Charles Roger](#)

Ramón y Cajal Associate
Professor at IBEI

13:30 - 15:00 *Lunch Break*
(5€ Lunch voucher (sandwich & drink)
at Jaume I building café restaurant)

INSPIRATIONAL

15:00 - 16:30

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**Social Conformism
in the Era of Individualism:
A discussion about the
balance between social
and personal values and
professional self-expression**

[Charles Formery](#)

IBEI Alumni, MIR 2022.
Data Analyst at ISS
Governance (Brussels)

[Ksenia Rodionova](#)

IBEI Alumni, MID 2021.
Founder of ESA logika
Environmental Social
Association

[Sara Stanulovic](#)

IBEI Alumni, MID 2021.
Project assistant
at Barcelona Institute
for Global Health
(ISGlobal)

15:00 - 16:30

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**Diplomacy in the age
of social media: A career
talk about the intersection
of International Relations
and Communications**

[Atu Darko](#)

IBEI Alumni, MIR 2008.
Director Corporate Affairs,
Amgen

[Sabrina Williams](#)

IBEI Alumni, MIR 2008.
Senior Communications
Strategist (Trade), Department
Global Affairs Canada

[Lewin Schmitt](#)

Predocctoral Fellow,
Universitat Pompeu Fabra;
Affiliated faculty member
at IBEI

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**Life as a Researcher:
A career talk on the ins
and outs of life in Academia,
including grants, careers,
and expectations**

[Juan Masullo](#)

IBEI Alumni, MIR 2011.
Assistant Professor
at the Institute of Political
Science of Leiden University
& member of the Amsterdam
Conflict Research Network.

[Andrea Bianculli](#)

Assistant Professor
and Master's in International
Relations Coordinator at IBEI

[Fulya Apaydin](#)

Associate Professor
and Master's in International
Development Co-coordinator
at IBEI

PLENARY - CONCLUSIONS

16:30 - 17:30

UPF. Sala de Graus
Albert Calsamiglia,
Room 40.035
(GROUND FLOOR)

'The Future of Iran's Islamic Republic: Evolution or Revolution'

[Prof. Ramin Jahanbegloo](#)

Jindal Global University

20:30 *Dinner at Tapes Barcelona (c/ Ample 46)*

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