

Press Seminar – Roundtable:

Defending Europe's Digital Integrity: Addressing Social Media Challenges and Foreign Interference

Tuesday 11 February 2025 – Strasbourg – Room LOW R5.1.

Interpretation: EN, FR, ES

14:00 Opening and practicalities

Jesús CARMONA, Director for Media, DG Comm, European Parliament

14:05 Roundtable

– [Christel SCHALDEMOSE](#) (S&D, DK), Vice-President of the European Parliament, Chair of the Bureau Working Group on Digital Transformation, Cybersecurity and Information Security and Rapporteur and Chair of the Scrutiny Group on DSA, member also in EUDS

– [Mika AALTOLA](#) (EPP, FI), EPP coordinator in new Special Committee on the European Democracy Shield (EUDS), member also in Foreign Affairs Committee (AFET)

– [Aude MAIO-COLICHE](#), EEAS, Director of Strategic Communications in charge of FIMI (Foreign Information Manipulation & Interference)

– [Diana RIBA I GINER](#) TBC (The Greens/EFA, ES), Vice-Chair of CULT Committee, Shadow Rapporteur of the European Media Freedom Act (EMFA) and member of the Scrutiny Group of EMFA

15:15 Technical briefing (OFF-THE-RECORD)

- Christopher COAKLEY, Spokesperson's Unit, European Parliament
- Representatives of IMCO Secretariat – confirmed
- Representative of LIBE Secretariat – confirmed
- Representative of CULT Secretariat – to be confirmed
- Representative of EPRS – to be confirmed