

NORWEGIAN RISK FORUM 2024  
OCTOBER 24  
OSLO

**Navigating Business in an Era of Geopolitical Instability**

**Part 1: Welcome & Keynote Address - Global Live Video Conference - Program Time Zone: Oslo - Central European Time**

- 07.30 - Welcome to Norwegian Risk Forum 2024 - Webex Video Conference  
08.15 - Introductory Remarks & Keynote Address: Navigating Business in an Era of Geopolitical Instability – A Global Panorama  
Arne Elias Corneliusen, Founder and CEO, NRCI, Oslo

**Part 2: Geopolitical Risks and Strategic Outlook in Europe**

- 09.00 - Understanding Hungary's Global Strategy – Balancing Risks and Opportunities between the West and East  
Ferenc Németh, Political Analyst on Hungarian foreign policy, Budapest  
09.30 - Geopolitical Risks and Risk Outlook in the Balkans - Focus on Croatia, Serbia, Bosnia and Herzegovina, and Albania  
Bojana Zorić, Political Analyst on Balkan affairs, Paris  
10.00 - Panel Debate: Understanding Geopolitical Risks, Strategic Developments in Europe  
Moderator: Arne Elias Corneliusen, Founder and CEO, NRCI, Oslo  
Bojana Zorić, Political Analyst on Balkan affairs, Paris  
Ferenc Németh, Political Analyst on Hungarian foreign policy, Budapest

**Part 3: Geopolitical Risks and Energy Outlook in the Middle East and Asia**

- 11.00 - Political Risk Outlook and Post-Election Dynamics in India  
Faisal Devji, Professor of Indian History and Fellow of St Antony's College, University of Oxford  
11.30 - Global Energy Dynamics and Geopolitical Risk Outlook – Focus on Asia, Africa, the Middle East, and Europe  
Francesco Sassi, Researcher in Energy Geopolitics and Markets, Ricerche Industriali ed Energetiche (RIE), Bologna  
12.00 - China's Relationships with Saudi Arabia and Iran – Economic Dynamics and Strategic Risk Outlook  
Yang Xiaotong, Research Manager, Grandview Institution, Beijing  
12.30 - Panel Debate: Geopolitical Developments, Trade Dynamics and Risk Outlook in Asia with Global Implications  
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Francesco Sassi, Ricerche Industriali ed Energetiche (RIE), Bologna  
David P. Goldman, Deputy Editor, Asia Times, New York  
Yang Xiaotong, Research Manager, Grandview Institution, Beijing  
13.30 - Final Remarks to Norwegian Risk Forum 2024  
Arne Elias Corneliusen, Founder and CEO, NRCI, Oslo  
14.00 - End of Norwegian Risk Forum 2024