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on the topic of:

SPACE SECURITY

Václav Kobera, December 5, 2018, 18:00 Czech Republic and Space Security



Dr. Václav Kobera is Director of Intelligent Transport Systems, Space Activities and R&D and Innovation Department at the Ministry of Transport of the Czech Republic.

He joined the Ministry of Transport in 2004 and served in various functions, including in the Department of

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Lecture Description:

Mr. Kobera will discuss the main activities of the Czech Republic in space, including in the context of its membership in the European Space Agency (ESA) and the European Union (EU). He will focus on space safety and security portfolio, including its importance to ensuring access to the socio-economic and other benefits derived from space applications. He will likewise discuss the Czech National Space Plan and international activities, including the recently concluded Memorandum of Understanding between the Czech Republic and Luxembourg.

The lecture will take place at **The American Center** Trziste 13, Prague 1. Please register at <u>registrace@pssi.cz</u> by December 3, 2018.