**Security Hub on the ‘Preparedness Union Strategy’**

*20 May 2025, 10:00-11:30 CET*

Moderator: **Sabine ZWAENEPOEL**, Acting Head of Unit, INTPA.G5

**Programme**

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| **Welcoming remarks** | | |
| 10:00-10:10 | Welcome & Context Setting | **Sabine ZWAENEPOEL**, Acting Head of Unit INTPA G5 |
| **Preparedness Union Strategy** | | |
| 10:10-10:25 | **Key points:**   * Overview of the strategy, with a focus on its external dimension. * Expectations for the implementation phase. * Preparedness in relation to the work of EU delegations. | **Dominique ORSINI**  Policy Officer at EEAS, Security and Defence Policy Directorate, Strategy, Coordination and Policy Division  **Cristian MANEA**  Policy Officer at EEAS, SG Crisis Response Centre |
| 10:25-10:45 | Discussion | |
| **Embedding preparedness and resilience in EU infrastructure investments** | | |
| 10:45-11:00 | **Key points:**   * JRC.E2’s areas of expertise. * Integrating risk management into infrastructure investments. * Potential approaches to support partner countries within the Global Gateway strategy and Team Europe initiatives. | **Monica CARDARILLI**  Risk Management expert at JRC.E2  **Frederic PETIT**  Risk Management expert at JRC.E2 |
| 11:00-11:20 | Discussion | |
| 11:20-11:25 | AOB | |
| 11:25-11:30 | Concluding remarks | |