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**SPECIAL EVENT**

**Anti-Corruption Academic (ACAD) Initiative:  
Combatting Corruption through Education**

**4 November 2015, 12.30 p.m. - 2 p.m.**

**CONFERENCE ROOM B**

**I. INTRODUCTION**

Under the auspices of UNODC's highly successful Anti-Corruption Academic (ACAD) Initiative, renowned professors from around the globe will highlight and discuss successes and challenges in teaching anti-corruption. The event will also provide an update of the significant progress made in the context of ACAD Initiative and inform the participants on the outcome of the ACAD Symposium, organized in Moscow in partnership with the Moscow State Institute for International Affairs and the Rule of Law and Anti-Corruption Centre of Qatar immediately before the Conference of the States Parties.

**II. AGENDA**

**Opening**

*Mr. Yury Fedotov, Executive Director, UNODC*

**Where are we today with the ACAD Initiative?**

*Ms. Candice Welsch, Chief, Implementation Support Section, UNODC*

**Panel discussion: Opportunities, successes and challenges in teaching anti-corruption**

*Dr. Ligia Maria Costa, FGV's São Paulo School of Business Administration*

*Dr. Gerry Ferguson, University of Victoria*

*Dr. Nikos Passas, Northeastern University*

*Dr. Speedy Rice, Washington & Lee University, School of Law, Sydney Lewis Hall*

*Dr. Tamara Shashikhina, European Studies Institute, MGIMO University*

*Dr. Ugljesa Zvekic, University of Belgrade and LUISS Rome*

**Q&A**