

## **TALKS ON ARMS BUGET TO BE HELD THIS SATURDAY**

Graduate Institute of International Affairs and Strategic Studies (GIIAS) will host an open forum on issues related to Taiwan' s security and purchases of military defense weapons on Taipei Campus on October 9. The forum will begin at 9:30 am with talks that deal with the estimation on the military capacity of both sides of the Strait, needs and development of Taiwan' s security defense system together with critical views on Taiwan' s military purchases from the U.S.

Wang Gao-chen, the Chair of GIIS will moderate the talks. Invited speakers include Wong Ming-hsien, the associate professor of GIIS; Alexander Chieh-Cheng Huang, the Chair of the Graduate Institute of American Studies; Lai Yue-qian, Director of the Center for Studies in Public Policies and Affairs at the Ming Hsin University of Science and Technology; Chen Jing-fu of the Information Management Department at the Yuan-Ze University and Chang Ming-rui of the Research and Development Center at the Fu Jen Catholic University.

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