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The Problem of Nuclear Weapons: Security Community as an Alternative Solution?

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The question of how to deal with the problem of nuclear weapons has been one of the central issues in international politics since their inception. Karl Deutsch is best known in today's International Relations for the concept of security community. Analytically used to identify zones of stable peace, the concept has ostensibly little to do with nuclear weapons. In this lecture, Dr. Ruzicka will argue that nuclear weapons were an important factor in Deutsch's thinking, and he will explore whether the concept might offer an alternative solution to the problem of nuclear weapons. For more information, visit www.deutschsquare.net.