



Please join the Mexico Institute for a discussion on

National Security and Transparency in Mexico

with

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Woodrow Wilson Center
1300 Pennsylvania Ave. NW

The degree of transparency and accountability has been a crucial test for public policy in Mexican democracy, in areas from economic management and education programs to electoral campaigns and the protection of human rights. Today, in the midst of a large-scale and multi-layered government fight against organized crime, transparency in national security matters is as important as ever.

Please join the expert panel in addressing the balance between identifying and combating national security challenges and remaining accountable and transparent.

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