## **ARMENIA'S FOREIGN POLICY CHALLENGES**

# LESSONS FROM THE 4-DAY WAR AND RUSSIAN-LED PEACE PLAN



# DISCUSSION WITH JOURNALIST AND AUTHOR TATUL HAKOBYAN

The 4-Day War – launched by Azerbaijan in April – has revealed numerous challenges for Armenia, both at home and on the border. In recent weeks, these challenges have amplified with the expectations of a Russian peace plan involving the ceding of Karabagh's strategic border areas and the takeover of a Yerevan police station by activists and veterans of the Nagorno-Karabakh war that led to an outpouring of popular support and mass arrests. Taken together, these developments shed light on Armenian authorities' approach and abilities to navigate such challenges.

Join Yerevan-based conflict specialist **Tatul Hakobyan** for an insightful discussion of recent developments and preceding events. Since 2009, he has been an analyst at the **Civilitas Foundation** and its online **CivilNet** broadcasts. He is also the coordinator of the **ANI Armenian Research Center**, which was created in 2015 to study current issues pertaining to Armenia.

**Tatul Hakobyan's** books *Karabakh Diary: Green and Black* and *Armenians and Turks*, both in English, will be available for sale. The presentation and Q & A will be in Armenian and English.

### Tuesday, September 13, 2016 @ 7:30 p.m.

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