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#### The Korean Conundrum

There is a predicament facing the Korean Peninsula:

Nuclear weapons are a deterrent from being attacked. If you have them you don't have to use them. Ukraine had them and gave them up after Russia promised it would assure Ukraine's security.

What lessons has Kim Jong Un drawn from Ukraine? How has Ukraine affected Kim's views and intentions? How has the Ukraine war impacted the roles of China and Russia regarding the U.S. goal of denuclearization of North Korea?

Join guest panelist **Robert Manning**, **Atlantic Council senior fellow** as we examine Kim Jong-un's frantic race to develop a full spectrum of new missile and nuclear capabilities. We will discuss new challenges to U.S. extended deterrence and U.S. diplomacy for addressing the Korean Conundrum.

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We will explore key questions on the predicament facing the Korean Peninsula: What are the policy and strategic consequences of Kim Jong-un's frantic race to develop a full spectrum of new missile and nuclear capabilities? The Ukraine war has upended geopolitics.

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