

United States House of Representatives
Committee on Foreign Affairs

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1. **Date of Hearing:** July 7, 2015

2. **Your Name:** Sharon Squassoni

3. **Organization or organizations you are representing:** Center for Strategic and International Studies (CSIS), but I am testifying in my personal capacity and not on behalf of CSIS, which does not take policy positions.

4. **Since January 1, 2013, have you or your organization(s) received any Federal grants or contracts (including subgrants and subcontracts) related to the subject of the hearing or your representational capacity at the hearing?** X Yes No (*select one*)

5. **Since January 1, 2013, have you or your organization(s) received any contract or payment originating with a foreign government related to the subject of the hearing or your representational capacity at the hearing?** X Yes No (*select one*)

6. **If you answered "Yes" to either item 4 or 5, list the source and amount of each grant, contract, or payment. You may list additional grants, contracts, or payments on additional sheets.**

No funds originating from a Federal or a foreign government source in any way influenced the testimony to which I am to give to Congress. I will provide my best advice and recommendations to this Committee based on my experience and expertise.

- Since 2013, my program has received the following Federal grants or contracts related to the hearing topic:

-DTRA/PASCC: \$215,000 for a study

- Since 2013, my program has received the following funding originating with a foreign government related to the hearing topic: *None*
- Although I did not work on these projects and did not benefit from any of the financial support, since 2013, CSIS has received the following Federal grants or contracts related to the hearing topic: *None*

- Although I did not work on these projects and did not benefit from any of the financial support, since 2013, CSIS has received the following funding originating with a foreign government related to the hearing topic:
 - European Commission: Approximately \$50,000 for a regional dialogue.
 - Government of Germany: Approximately \$27,000 for a regional dialogue.
 - Japan External Trade Organization (JETRO): Approximately 160,000 for studies, conferences and seminars.
- In my personal capacity since 2013—completely separate from CSIS—I received the following Federal grants or contracts or funding originating from a foreign government related to the hearing topic: *None*

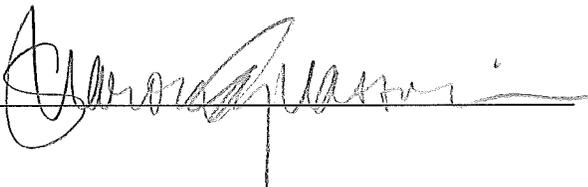
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