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Third High-Level Conference of Heads of Counter-Terrorism Agencies concludes with calls for reinvigorating multilateralism

New York, 20 June 2023 The Third High-Level Conference of Heads of Counter-Terrorism Agencies of Member States organized by the United Nations Office of Counter-Terrorism (UNOCT) concluded today in New York. Held under the theme of

, the two-day event presented an opportunity to exchange experiences and discuss critical thematic issues in countering terrorism and preventing and countering violent extremism. More than 1000 participants representing 160 Member States, 23 regional and international organizations, 23 United Nations entities, as well as 135 institutions from academia, civil society, and private sector attended the conference in person.

In line with the Secretary- for a reinvigorated, networked multilateralism, the Conference aimed to strengthen international and regional cooperation to address the complex and evolving terrorism threat as well as presented an important check-in for the forthcoming New Agenda for Peace, proposed by the UN Secretary-General in his report on .

Presenting the chair

Lastly, speaking about