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In memory of Albert Einstein, the Bruno Kreisky Forum for International Dialogue based its programme in 2005 on the historic correspondence about "**Why War**", which Albert Einstein and Sigmund Freud exchanged in 1933. The thoughts on the issue of war, which these two great personalities of the 20th century laid down in their letters, are taken as the point of departure for a new, contemporary survey – combining a look at the past with a look at ongoing developments and a look to the future. On the occasion of the Einstein Year/Year of Physics 2005, we wish to call back to memory and to transpose to the present through topical commentary and reflection the question, **whether there is a way of delivering mankind from the menace of war**, which Einstein posed to Freud in 1932.

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Helga Nowotny in dialogue with **Raghavendra Gadagkar**

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