







INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE

"10 YEARS OF THE EASTERN PARTNERSHIP: FROM ACHIEVEMENTS TO THE FUTURE"

Wednesday, June 19, 2019 Hotel Radisson Blu, *Yaroslaviv Val 22, Kyiv, Ukraine*

AGENDA

| 09.00 - 09.30 | Registration and welcoming coffee |
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| 09 30 - 10 00 | Introduction and Welcoming Words |

Hanna Hopko, MP, Chairman of the Committee on Foreign Affairs, Verkhovna Rada of Ukraine

Eamonn Prendergast, Political Officer, EU Delegation to Ukraine

Gabriele Baumann, Director, Ukraine Office of the Konrad-Adenauer-Stiftung (Germany)

Mykhailo Gonchar, President of the Center for Global Studies "Strategy XXI" (Ukraine) Hennadiy Maksak, National Coordinator of the Ukrainian National Platform of the Eastern Partnership Civil Society Forum (Ukraine)

10.00 - 11.30 **PANEL 1**

The 10 years of Eastern Partnership: from its original Idea to the "20 Deliverables"

Borys Tarasiuk, MP, Co-president of the EuroNest Parliamentary Assembly (Ukraine) **Stefan Fule**, European Commissioner for Enlargement and European Neighbourhood Policy (2010-2014) (Czech Republic)

Jan Hofmokl, Ambassador at Large, Special Envoy for Eastern Partnership, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Poland

Olga Stefanishyna, General Director of the Government Office for Coordination of European and Euro-Atlantic Integration of Ukraine

Javier Fuentes-Leja, Team Leader for the Eastern Partnership, Eastern Partnership, Regional Cooperation and OSCE Division, European External Action Service (EU) Oleksandr Sushko, Executive Director of the International Renaissance Foundation (Ukraine)

Moderator: Vitalii Martyniuk, Executive Director of the Center for Global Studies "Strategy XXI" (Ukraine)

11.30 – 11.45 Human rights in the Eastern Partnership: Kremlin prisoners' case
Olga Skrypnyk, Coordinator, Crimean Human Rights Group (Ukraine)

11.45 – 12.15 **Coffee break**









12.15 - 13.15 **PANEL 2**

Discussing the Status Quo of the Eastern Partnership through the EaP Index: Approximation and Linkage

Jeff Lovitt, Founder and Chair, New Diplomacy, Editor-in-Chief of "The Eastern Partnership Index" (United Kingdom)

Veronika Movchan, Scientific Director, Institute of Economic Research and Political Consultations (Ukraine)

Wilfried Jilge, Associate Fellow, Robert Bosch Center for Central and Eastern Europe, Russia, and Central Asia (Germany)

Moderator: Hennadiy Maksak, National Coordinator of the EaP CSF Ukrainian National Platform, Head of the Foreign Policy Council "Ukrainian Prism" (Ukraine)

13.15 – 14.15 **Lunch break**

14.15 – 15.45 **PANEL 3**

Eastern Partnership cooperation today – experiences from the EaP countries

Boris Navasardyan, Yerevan Press Club (Armenia)

Ziya Guliyev, CIVICUS: World Alliance for Citizen Participation (Azerbaijan)

Ihar Rynkevich, EaP CSF Belarusian National Platform (Belarus)

Lasha Tughushi, "European Initiative – Liberal Academy of Tbilisi" (Georgia)

Sorina Macrinici, Civil Society and Democracy Program Director at a Moldovan NGO – Legal Resources Centre (Moldova)

Moderator: Iryna Sushko, Executive Director of "Europe without Barriers" (Ukraine)

15.45 – 16.15 **Coffee break**

16.15 – 17.45 **PANEL 4**

What is the vision for the future of the Eastern Partnership after 2020?

Vasyl Bodnar, Deputy Minister of Foreign Affairs of Ukraine

Signe Burgstaller, Ambassador-at-Large, Department for Eastern Europe and Central Asia, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Sweden

Jan Pieklo, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of Poland to Ukraine (2016-2019) (Poland)

Vera Rihachkova Pachta, Advocacy Manager, Secretariat of the Eastern Partnership Civil Society Forum (Czech Republic)

Dmytro Shulga, European Program Director of the International Renaissance Foundation, Civic Synergy Project Director (Ukraine)

Moderator: Zoriana Mishchuk, Key Expert & Team Leader, Civic Synergy Project (Ukraine)

17.45 – 18.00 Concluding remarks

18.00–19.00 **Reception**

The working language of the event: Ukrainian – English