











"BUILDING THE NEW CENTRAL EUROPE: VISEGRAD STATES AND GERMANY"

Lublin, 16 I 2016

10:00 – 10:15	Dr. Katarzyna Pisarska , Director of the European Academy of Diplomacy
OFFICIAL OPENING	Michael Quaas, Konrad Adenauer Foundation in Poland Prof. Grzegorz Janusz, Dean of the Faculty of Political Studies, Maria Curie-Skłodowska University in Lublin (UMCS)
	Prof. Marek Pietraś , Director of International Relations Department, Faculty of Political Science, UMCS
10:15 – 11:00 KEYNOTE SPEECH	Mr. Roland Freudenstein , Policy Director Wilfried Martens Centre for European Studies (WMCES), Germany
COFFEE BREAK	
11:15 - 12:45	Germany & Visegrad: How do we find a common position on the refugee crisis?
1 st PANEL	Mr. Manfred Huterer , Minister Plenipotentiary of the German Embassy in Poland Dr Jakub Olchowski , Faculty of Political Studies, UMCS Mr. Frank Markovic , European Public Affairs, Slovakia Ms. Viola von Cramon-Taubadel , The Greens, Germany
	Moderator: Dr Katarzyna Pisarska , European Academy of Diplomacy
Lunch	
13:45 - 15:15	Maintaining Liberal Democracy: The Central-Eastern Europe Case
2 nd PANEL	Dr. Beata Piskorska , The John Paul II Catholic University in Lublin, Poland Mr. Roland Freudenstein , Policy Director, WMCES, Germany Mr. Grzegorz Gromadzki , Batory Foundation, Poland Mr. Tomáš A. Nagy , Associate Fellow, Central European Policy Institute, Slovakia
	Moderator: Prof. Marek Pietraś , Faculty of Political Studies, UMCS
COFFE BREAK	
15:30-17:00	Germany & Visegrad: Working towards Energy Independence.
3rd PANEL	Dr. Justyna Misiągiewicz , Faculty of Political Studies, UMCS Dr. Mariusz Ruszel , Rzeszów University of Technology, Poland Ms. Zuzanna Nowak , The Polish Institute of International Affairs, Poland Mr. Michal Vit , Europeum, The Czech Republic
-	Moderator: Mr. Maciej Kowalski , Casimir Pulaski Foundation, Poland/USA