

Ukraine's Quest for Mature Nation Statehood
Special Edition Roundtable:
Providing a Pre 2012 Parliamentary Elections Report Card
September 19-20, 2012 ***Washington, D.C.***

FORUM REPORT CARD/FINAL GRADES

Venue: University Club of Washington
DC/Embassy Row

Date: September 20, 2012

Six Category Study

Grade Range:

5 – Serious Progress

4 – Some Progress

3 – Standstill

2 – Some Regress

1 – Serious Regress

Roundtable Plenary Session I

Category: Robust Democratic Politics – Assessing Ukraine's Progress/Regress

Issues to Consider:

- *Fair Elections*
- *Free Media/Respect for Human Rights*
- *Strong Civil Society*
- *[Added: Judicial Independence]*

Graders & Grades

- Moderator/Bohdan Futey 2.5
- Panelist/Borys Tarasyuk 1.0
- Panelist/Bohdan Futey [in for Damon Wilson] 2.5 (Judicial Independence)
- Panelist/Derek Fraser 1.5
- Panelist/Laura Jewett Abstain

Overall Average Grade in Category:

1.875 [based on 4 grades]

Roundtable Plenary Session II

Category: Developed Market Economics – Assessing Ukraine's Progress/Regress

Issues to Consider:

- *Sound Fiscal Policy*
- *Sound Monetary Policy*
- *Appropriate Deregulation/Privatization*
- *General Business Transparency*

Graders & Grades

- Moderators/John O'Keefe/Andrew Bihun 3.5
- Panelist/Edilberto Segura 4.0
- Panelist/Morgan Williams 4.5
- Panelist/Borys Kushniryk 3.0
- Panelist/Oleksandr Sushko 4.0

Overall Average Grade in Category:

3.8

Roundtable Plenary Session III

Category: Ever Greater General Security – Assessing Ukraine’s Progress/Regress

Issues to Consider:

- *Secure Borders*
- *Modernized Military Industrial Complex*
- *Professionalized Armed Forces*
- *Reliable Allies*

Graders & Grades

- Moderator/William Courtney 2.1
- Panelist/Leonid Polyakov 3.0
- Panelist/Steven Larrabee 2.3
- Panelist/John Herbst 1.9
- Panelist/James Sherr 1.5

Overall Average Grade in Category: **2.16**

Roundtable Plenary Session IV

Category: Ever Greater Energy Security – Assessing Ukraine’s Progress/Regress

Issues to Consider:

- *Expanding Domestic Production*
- *Improving Transport Capacity*
- *Enlarging Storage Capacity*
- *Increasing Conservation*

Graders & Grades:

- Moderator/Ilan Berman 3.5
- Panelist/Oleksandr Todiyshuk 3.5
- Panelist/ Steven Blank 4.0
- Panelist/Keith Smith 4.0
- Panelist/Jonas Graetz 4.0

Overall Average Grade in Category: **3.8**

Roundtable Plenary Session V

Category: Viable Social Cohesion – Assessing Ukraine’s Progress/Regress

Issues to Consider:

- *Stable Inter-Ethnic Relations*
- *Stable Inter-Faith Relations*
- *Stable Class Relations*
- *Manageable Regional Differences*

Graders & Grades

- Moderator/Nadia Diuk [in for Janusz Bugajski] 4.5 [for UA Civil Society]
- Panelist/Oleh Rybachuk 4.2
- Panelist/Nadia Diuk 1.0 [for UA Government]
- Panelist Jan Pieklo 2.0
- Panelist/Yevhen Hlibovitsky 4.0

Overall Average Grade in Category: **3.14**

Roundtable Plenary Session VI

Category: Established National Identity – Assessing Ukraine’s Progress/Regress

Issues to Consider:

- *A Sense of Common History*
- *A Sense of Common Culture*
- *A Sense of a Common Future*
- *Ability to Assimilate the ‘Other’*

Graders & Grades

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| • Moderator/Lew Madanick | 3.0 |
| • Panelist/Volodymyr Viatrovych | 4.0 |
| • Panelist/Lubomyr Luciuk | 4.0 |
| • Panelist/Andreas Umland | 3.5 |
| • Panelist/William Miller | 3.0 |

Overall Average Grade in Category: **3.5**

Grades Verified by the Steering Committee of the UA Quest RT Series

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