Ukraine's Quest for Mature Nation Statehood Roundtable XXIII:

Forging A Strong Yet Forbearing National Identity – Present Endeavors

Venue: University Club / Washington DC

October 20, 2022 | Washington, D.C.

8:15 AM - 9:00 AM Registration

9:00 AM - 9:20 AM Word of Welcome - Ambassador of Ukraine to the US HE Oksana Markarova

9:20 AM - 9:50 AM First Highlight Focus Session

Theme: What A Strong Yet Forbearing UA National Identity Might Encompass: Contemplating a Secure Place for Ukraine in the Euro-Atlantic Community – UA Perspective

Chair:

• Andrew Futey [President/Ukrainian Congress Committee of America]

Featured Speaker:

• Olha Stefanishyna [Deputy PM for European & Euro-Atlantic Integration of Ukraine]

9:50 AM - 11:00 AM Roundtable Plenary Session I

Theme: Working to Frame a Common 'Sense of the Past and Present'

Moderator:

• Adrian Karatnycky [Senior Fellow/Atlantic Council of the United States]

Panelists:

- Mykola Posivnych [Senior Research Fellow/Academy of Sciences of Ukraine]
- Paul Robert Magosci [Prof. of History & Chair of Ukrainian Studies/University of Toronto]

Suggested Topics: Era of Princes; Hetmanate; 20th c. National Liberation Struggles; Contemporary Nation Statehood & the Russo-Ukrainian War

11:00 AM – 11:10 AM Coffee Break

11:10 AM – 12:20 PM Roundtable Plenary Session II

Theme: Working to Mold a Common 'Cultural Sensibility'

Moderator:

• Adrian Karamazyn [Co-Chair/ Transatlantic Task Force for Ukraine]

Panelists:

- Zenon Kohut [Professor Emeritus/University of Alberta]
- Serhii Kvit [President/Kyiv-Mohyla Academy National University]

Suggested Topics: Cultural Sensibility in its Aesthetic, Intellectual, Moral and Socio-Political Dimensions

12:20 PM – 12:50 PM Lunch Break [Press Interviews]

12:50 PM – 2:00 PM Afternoon Highlight Focus Session

Theme: Examining Ways to Blunt Distortions of Ukrainian National Identity (DEZINFORM OPS)

Chair:

• Janusz Bugajski [Senior Fellow/Jamestown Foundation]

Featured Speaker:

- Lubomyr Luciuk [Professor of Political Geography/Royal Military College of Canada]
- Volodymyr Vyatrovych [Rada Member Director/Institute of National Memory 2014-2019]

2:00 PM - 3:10 PM Roundtable Plenary Session III

Theme: Working to Embrace 'All Who Live on Ukrainian Soil'

Moderator:

• Orest Deychakiwsky [Co-Chair/ Transatlantic Task Force for Ukraine]

Panelists:

- HE Borys Gudziak [Metropolitan Archbishop of the Archeparchy of Philadelphia]
- Josef Zissels [Chairman/Association of Jewish Organizations & Communities of Ukraine]

Suggested Topics: Overcoming Tensions Based on Perceived Ethnic & Religious Differences

3:10 PM – 3:20 PM Coffee Break

3:20 PM – 4:30 PM Roundtable Plenary Session IV

Theme: Working to Build a 'Common Future'

Moderator:

• Myroslava Gongadze [Head of the Ukrainian Section/Voice of America]

Panelists:

- Hanna Hopko [Chair/Rada Foreign Affairs Committee 2014-2019; Chair/ANTS]
- Serhii Plokhii [Director/Harvard Ukrainian Research Institute]

Suggested Topics: Overcoming Tensions Based on Regional & Linguistic Differences

4:30 PM – 5:00 PM Final Highlight Session Focus Session/Closing Remarks

Theme: What A Strong Yet Forbearing UA National Identity Might Encompass: Contemplating a Secure Place for Ukraine in the Euro-Atlantic Community – US Perspective

Chair:

• Herman Pirchner [President/American Foreign Policy Council]

Featured Speaker:

• Victoria Nuland [Under Secretary of State for Political Affairs of the United States]

6:10 PM - 8:30 PM Patrons' Reception [American Foreign Policy Council/509 C Street NE]