Ukraine's Quest for Mature Nation Statehood Roundtable XXIV: Forging A Strong Yet Forbearing National Identity – Future Initiatives

October 05, 2023

Washington, D.C.

Venue: University Club/

1135 16th St NW, Washington, DC 20036

9:00 AM - 9:40 AM Registration

9:00 AM - 9:40 AM Morning Highlight Focus Session

Theme: What An Well Established UA National Identity Might Encompass - UA Government Perspective

Chair: Andrew Futey [President/Ukrainian Congress Committee of America]

Featured Speaker: Ambassador of Ukraine to the United States HE Oksana Markarova

9:40 AM – 11:10 AM Roundtable Plenary Session I

Theme: Molding a Common National Historical Narrative

Moderator:

• Amb. Roman Popadiuk [President/Diplomacy Center Foundation]

Panelists:

- Serhiy Kvit [President/Kyiv Mohyla Academy National University]
- Lubomyr Hajda [Senior Scholar/Harvard Ukrainian Research Institute]
- Orest Deychakivsky [Co-Chair/Transatlantic Task Force for Ukraine]
- David Kramer [Managing Director for Global Policy/G.W. Bush Institute]

Suggested Topics: Ancient/Medieval UA – Modern UA – RU/UA War – Indigenous Peoples of UA

11:10 AM – 11:15 AM Coffee Break

11:15 AM – 12:45 PM Roundtable Plenary Session II

Theme: Establishing a Prominent Role in the Affairs of the Black Sea Region

Moderator:

• Amb. John Herbst [Director of the Eurasia Center/Atlantic Council of the United States]

Panelists:

- Eliot Cohen [Robert E. Osgood Professor/Johns Hopkins SAIS]
- Glen Howard [President/Jamestown Foundation]
- Luke Coffey [Senior Fellow/Hudson Institute]
- Andrij Zahorodnyuk [UA Minister of Defense 2019-2020/CDS]

Suggested Topics: GUAM – Lublin Triangle – Three Seas Paradigm - BSEC

1:00 PM – 1:40 PM Afternoon Highlight Focus Session

Theme: Finding Ways to End the Kremlin's Endless Memory Wars with Ukraine

Chair: Amb. William Courtney [Senior Fellow/RAND Corporation]

Featured Speaker: Janusz Bugajski [Senior Fellow/Jamestown Foundation]

1:40 PM – 3:10 PM Roundtable Plenary Session III

Theme: Carving Out a Defined & Valued Place in the Euro-Atlantic Community

Moderator:

• Hon. Dov Zakheim [Senior Advisor/Center for Strategic and International Studies]

Panelists:

- Gen. Wesley Clark [Supreme Allied Commander Europe 1997-2000/WKC-A]
- Stephen Blank [Senior Fellow/Foreign Policy Research Institute]
- Phillip Karber [President/Potomac Foundation]
- Pavlo Zhovnirenko [Chairman/UA Center for Strategic Studies]

Suggested Topics: EU – NATO – Strategic Bilateral Relations US - Strategic Bilateral Relations CA

3:10 PM – 3:20 PM Coffee Break

3:20 PM – 4:50 PM Roundtable Plenary Session IV

Theme: Playing an Important & Respected Role in Global Affairs

Moderator:

• Amb. William Taylor [Vice President E-R/United States Institute of Peace]

Panelists:

- Hanna Hopko [Rada Foreign Relations Committee Chair 2014-2019/ANTS]
- Herman Pirchner [President/American Foreign Policy Council]
- Adrian Karatnycky [Senior Fellow / Atlantic Council of the United States]
- Philips O'Brien [Professor of Strategic Studies/University of St. Andrews | Scotland]

Suggested Topics: Relations with UN – Relations with OSCE – Relations with G-20 – Relations with G-7

4:50 PM – 5:30 PM Final Highlight Session Focus Session / Closing Remarks

Theme: What A Well Established UA National Identity Might Encompass - US Government Perspective

Chair: Amb. Daniel Fried [Distinguished Senior Fellow/ACUS]

Featured Speaker: US Senate Majority Leader Charles E. Schumer

6:30 PM – 8:30 PM Post Forum Reception [Venue: American Foreign Policy Council 509 C Street NE]