



EUROPE WITH A VIEW TO THE FUTURE
European reflection forum

PROGRAMME

14–15 May 2015

venue | **European Solidarity Centre** | pl. Solidarności 1, Gdańsk, Poland

14th | Thursday

18.00–20.00 | venue: auditorium (ground floor)

NEW UKRAINE, NEW EUROPE | panel discussion:

introductory lectures: **Leonidas Donskis, Mykola Riabchuk**

comments: **Adam Pomorski**

host: **Małgorzata Nocuń**

a panel discussion on:

- Postcolonial Syndrome by Mykola Riabchuk
- Power, Imagination, Memory: Studies in Politics and Literature by Leonidas Donskis

15th | Thursday

10.00–11.30 | venue: auditorium (ground floor)

conference opening and welcome: **Janusz Lewandowski**

PANEL 1

EUROPE WITHOUT EUROPEANS? THE CONDITION OF THE POLITICAL COMMUNITY

- To what extent are Europeans able to identify common interests today?
- Is the European Union only a tool for the Member States to satisfy their national needs?
- What is the status of the development of the European identity?
- What are the dynamics of European integration?

introductory lectures: **Ivan Krastev, Janusz Reiter**

comments: **Georges Mink, Elena Nemirovskaya**

host: **Cornelius Ochmann**

discussion with the participants

11.30–12.00 | coffee break

12.00–13.30 | venue: auditorium (ground floor)

PANEL 2

EUROPE IN A TIME OF WAR IN THE EAST: WHAT LESSONS HAVE WE LEARNT AND KEEP LEARNING FROM THE UKRAINIAN REVOLUTION?

- How has the war in the East tested solidarity between European countries?
- How has our thinking about Russia changed?
- What is the future of the Eastern Partnership?

introductory lectures: **Piotr Andrusieczko, Victor Erofeev, Andriy Portnov**

comments: **Iryna Bekeshkina, John C. Kornblum**

host: **Maria Przetomiec**

discussion with the participants

14.30–16.00 |

THE BIRTH OF A NEW ORDER IN EUROPE | a subjective tour of the ESC's permanent exhibition
guide: **Zbigniew Janas**

15.00–16.30 | venue: library (first floor)

LIBERAL DEMOCRACY IN POLAND: AN ATTEMPT AT A DIAGNOSIS | seminar

panelists: **Dariusz Filar, Janusz Lewandowski, Piotr Kapczyński, Konrad Knoch, Ireneusz Krzemiński**

host: **Wojciech Duda**

a seminar on:

- Polish Liberalism, an anthology of political writing
- Liberal Underground Press in Poland in 1979–1990 by Konrad Knoch

17.00–17.30 | venue: auditorium (ground floor)

AMBASADOR NOWEJ EUROPY 2014 (AMBASSADOR OF NEW EUROPE)

Award Ceremony

host: **Paweł Kowal, President of the Jury**

17.30–19.00 | venue: auditorium (ground floor)

A SPEECH BY DONALD TUSK: EUROPE WITH A VIEW TO THE FUTURE

host: **Basil Kerski**

discussion with the participants

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