

EMBASSY OF THE REPUBLIC OF LITHUANIA IN UKRAINE

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**Euroatlantic Youth Security Forum**

**Dnipropetrovsk, Ukraine  • 3-5 April 2016**

***Venue: Dnipropetrovsk Oles Honchar National University,*** *1 Shevchenko Sq.*

**DRAFT PROGRAMME**

**3 April, Sunday**

 Arrival of the participants

20:00 Ice-breaker event, *Park Hotel, Voroshilova str. 21D*

Welcome remarks by *Marius Janukonis*, Ambassador, Embassy of Lithuania

 *Mykola Poliakov,* Professor, Rectorof Oles Honchar Dnipropetrovsk National University

**4 April, Monday, Small Hall**

09:00-09:30 Registration, morning coffee

09:30-09:45 Opening of the Forum. *Introductory remarks by:*

 *Marius Janukonis, Ambassador, Embassy of Lithuania*

 *Richard Scarborough*, Counsellor, Royal Norwegian Embassy

 *Mykola Poliakov, Professor, Rector of Oles Honchar Dnipropetrovsk National University*

**09:45-12:00**  **Session 1: “Building the Euroatlantic Security”**

*Moderator: Jonas Daniliauskas, Minister Plenipotentiary, Embassy of Lithuania in Ukraine*

**Changing global security environment. What are the challenges and how to approach them?**

***Petras Vaitiekūnas****,* former Ambassador of Lithuania to Ukraine (2010-2014)

**Definition of Hybrid warfare**

***Richard Scarborough,*** *Counsellor, Deputy Chief of Mission, Royal Norwegian Embassy*

**Euroatlantic security – a club of 28? What is NATO and what is its purpose in the contemporary world?** **Where is NATO presently active ?**

***Hans Helseth,*** *Commodore, Norwegian Navy, NATO Joint Warfare Centre in Stavanger, Norway*

12.00-13.15 Lunch break

**13:15-16:30 Session 2: “NATO – Ukraine Distinctive partnership”**

*Moderator: Jonas Daniliauskas, Minister Plenipotentiary, Embassy of Lithuania in Ukraine*

**Ukraine’s role in the Euroatlantic security**

***Volodymyr Ohryzko***, former Minister of Foreign Affairs of Ukraine (2007-2009)

**How does NATO work? Main formats, decision making, rules of work in NATO. Setting the ground for tomorrow’s simulation.**

***Vaidotas Urbelis****,* Political Director of Ministry of National Defence of Lithuania

18:00 Dinner, *Park Hotel, Voroshilova str. 21D*

**5 April, Tuesday, Room No. 30**

09:00-09:50 **NATO – Ukraine Distinctive partnership: what does it mean and what does it stand for?**

***Alexander Vinnikov*,** Director of NATO Liaison Office in Ukraine

09.50-10.00 Coffee break

**10:00-12:00**  **Simulation 1: “How does NATO work: meeting of the North Atlantic Council”**

***Lead: Vaidotas Urbelis****,* Political Director of Ministry of National Defence of Lithuania

12.00-13.00 Lunch break

**13:00-14:30** **Simulation 2: “NATO-Ukraine Commission meeting”**

***Lead: Vaidotas Urbelis****,* Political Director of Ministry of National Defence of Lithuania

14:30-15:00 Conclusions of the Forum