

## Sunday, 22 April 2007

Launch of the "Russia. Report on Transformation 2006"

20:30

## Monday, 23 April 2007

SUBJECT

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Opening of the Conference

9:00 – 9:10

Europe–Russia: Perspectives for Co–operation

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Coffee break

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What is the Future of the New Partnership and Co–operation Agreement?

11:15 – 12:45

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European Values and Russian Society

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USA–EU–RUSSIA: Areas of Co–operation and Confrontation

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Russia – EU: Policies in the Southern Caucasus and in the Black Sea Region

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## Sunday, 22 April 2007

8.30 pm

### Launch of the "Russia. Report on Transformation 2006"

edited by

**Konstantin Simonov**, President, Center for Current Politics in Russia

moderated by

**Leopold Unger**, "Le Soir"

## Monday, 23 April 2007

9:00 – 9:10

### Opening of the Conference

**Erhard Busek**, Chairman, European Forum Alpbach

**Zygmunt Berdychowski**, Chairman, Program Council of the Economic Forum

9:10 – 11:00

### Europe-Russia: Perspectives for Co-operation

Chair:

**Jerzy Buzek**, Member of the European Parliament, Poland

**Alfred Gusenbauer**, Chancellor, Austria

**Mirek Topolánek**, Prime Minister, Czech Republic

**Gediminas Kirkilas**, Prime Minister, Lithuania

**Alexander Babakov**, Head of "Spravedlivaya Rossiya (A Just Russia) – "Rodina" Fraction, State Duma (Parliament) of Russia, Russia

**Andranik Migranyan**, Chairman of the Social Committee of Globalism and National Strategy for Development, Public Chamber of Russian Federation

Discussants:

**Marie Mendras**, Professor (Sciences-Po), Research Fellow CNRS/CERI, France

**Ruslan Grinberg**, Director, Institute for International Economic and Political Studies, Russian Academy of Sciences

**Katinka Barysch**, Chief Economist, Centre for European Reform (CER), UK

11:00 – 11:15 Coffee break

11:15 – 12:45

## What is the Future of the New Partnership and Co-operation Agreement?

Chair:

**Marc Franco**, Head, Delegation of the European Commission to Russia (Moscow Office)

**Andrey Klimov**, Chairman of the Subcommittee of European Affairs, State Duma of Russia

**Hannes Swoboda**, MEP, Vice President of the Parliamentary Socialist Group, Austria

**Vitalino Canas**, Chairman of the Committee on European Affairs, Parliament of Portugal

**Alexander Fomenko**, Deputy, State Duma of Russia

**Justinas Karosas**, Chairman of the Foreign Affairs Committee, Parliament of Lithuania

Discussants:

**Nikita Belykh**, Chairman of the Federal Political Council, Political Party "Union of Right Forces", Russia

**Ernst-Jörg von Studnitz**, President of the Germany–Russia Forum, former Ambassador of Germany to the Russian Federation, Germany

**Sergey Markov**, Director, Institute of Political Research, Russia

**Richard G. Whitman**, Chatham House, UK

**Eberhard Schneider**, EU–Russia Centre, University of Siegen, Germany

12:45 – 14:00 Lunch

14:00 – 15:30

## European Values and Russian Society

Chair:

**Valery Fedorov**, General Director, All–Russian Public Opinion Research Center (VCIOM), Russia

**Yury Afanasiev**, Honorary President, Russian State University for the Humanities, Russia

**Karina Peterstone**, Deputy Speaker of the Parliament of Latvia

**Irina Khakamada**, Chairman, Social Interregional Solidarity Fund, Russia

**Stanislav Govorukhin**, Film Director, Member of the Committee on Culture in the Duma, Russia

**Aaron Rhodes**, Executive Director, International Helsinki Federation for Human Rights, Austria

**Rudolf Bindig**, Former Deputy Chairman of the Council of Europe, Germany

**Mikhail Tarusin**, Head of Department, Institute of Social Projections, Russia

Discussants:

**Vladimir Medinskiy**, Deputy Head of Duma Committee for Economic Policy, Business and Tourism, Russia

**Paolo Calzini**, Professor of International Relations and Russian Studies, John Hopkins University (Bologna Center), Italy

**Elizabeth Teague**, Analyst, Foreign and Commonwealth Office, UK

**Alexey Chadaev**, Editor, Russian Journal, Russia

15:30 – 15:45 Coffee break

15:45 – 17:15

## USA-EU-Russia: Areas of Co-operation and Confrontation

### Chair:

**Boris Kuznetsov**, Director, Center of International and Regional Policy, Russia

**Andrei Fedorov**, Political Projects Director, Council on Foreign and Defence Policy, Russia

**Markus Lyra**, Undersecretary of State, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Finland

**Mihai Razvan Ungureanu**, former Minister of Foreign Affairs of Romania

**Vladimir Zhidkikh**, First Deputy of the Chairman, Duma Committee on Federation Affairs and Regional Policy, Russia

**Werner Fasslabend**, Member of the Parliament of Austria, President, Political Academy, Austria

**Fraser Cameron**, Director, EU–Russia Centre, Brussels

**Donald Jensen**, Director of Communications, RFE/RL, USA

### Discussants:

**Robert Pszczel**, NATO Press Officer

**Sergey Kortunov**, Head of World Politics Department, State University – Higher School of Economics, Russia

**Vidar Bjornstad**, Member of the Standing Committee on Foreign Affairs, Parliament of Norway

**Geza Jeszenszky**, Professor, Corvinus University of Budapest, Hungary

17:15 – 17:30 Coffee break

17:30 – 19:00

## Russia-EU: Policies in the Southern Caucasus and in the Black Sea Region

### Chair:

**Adrian Severin**, MEP, Chairman of the EU–Ukraine Delegation of the European Parliament, Romania

**Evgeny Kozhokin**, Director, Russian Institute for Strategic Studies, Russia

**Jaromir Stetina**, Committee of the Foreign Affairs and Security, Senate, Czech Republic

**Mikhail Demurin**, Director, International Department, Member of Central Council, Political Party “A Just Russia: Motherland/Pensioners/Life”, Russia

**Martha Brill Olcott**, Senior Associate, Carnegie Endowment for International Peace, USA

### Discussants:

**Irakli Ghvaladze**, Vice Minister, Ministry of Environmental Protection and Natural Resources, Georgia

**Eduard Kukan**, Member of the Foreign Affairs Committee, Slovak Republic  
**Yuriy Isakov**, Ambassador at Large, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Russia  
**Nortautas Statkus**, Acting Director of Foreign Policy Analysis and Planning Department,  
Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Lithuania  
**Artem Malgin**, Moscow State Institute of International Relations (MGIMO), Russia

19:00 – 19:15 break

19:15

**Departure to the reception**

## Tuesday, 24 April 2007

9:00 – 10:30

**Russian Energy Sector and the Needs of  
Natural Resources in Europe**

Chair:

**Vaclav Bartuska**, Ambassador at Large on Energy Security, Ministry of Foreign Affairs,  
Czech Republic

**Anatoly Ledovskikh**, Chairman of the Federal Agency on the Exploitations of Natural  
Resources, Russia

**Magdalena Vasaryova**, Member of the European Affairs Committee, Parliament of  
Slovakia

**Konstantin Simonov**, President, Center for Current Politics in Russia

**Christian Cleutinx**, Director, Directorate-General for Transport and Energy, European  
Commission, Luxembourg

**Kimmo Kiljunen**, Member of Parliament, Finland

Discussants:

**Victor Savransky**, Adviser, Federal Assembly – The Parliament of Russia The Council of  
Federation, Russia

**Tibor Mikus**, Vice President, Committee on Economy, Parliament of Slovakia

**Elena Telegina**, Director, Institute of Geopolitics and Energy Security of Russia

**Dmitri Tashev**, Adviser to AEB (Russia), Chairman of Energy Committee, Russia

**Liviu Muresan**, Executive President EURISC Foundation, Romania

10:30 – 10:45 Coffee break

10:45 – 12:15

## Russian Foreign Policy Towards the Countries of the Former Soviet Union

### Chair:

**Susanne Scholl**, Chief Correspondent (Moscow Office), Österreichischer Rundfunk, Austria

**Evgeny Novozhilov**, Deputy Head of the Executive Committee–Executive Secretary of the CIS, Russia

**Andrius Kubilius**, Deputy Speaker of the Parliament, Chairman of the European Affairs Committee, Lithuania

**Oleksiy Plotnikov**, Deputy Chairman, Committee of Economic Policy, Parliament of Ukraine

**Ruslan Grinberg**, Director, Institute for International Economic and Political Studies, Russian Academy of Sciences, Russia

**Martin Sajdik**, Director General, Federal Ministry for European and International Affairs, Austria

### Discussants:

**Valeh Aleskerov**, Deputy Chairman of the Parliament, Azerbaijan

**Oleg Serebrian**, Member of the Foreign Affairs Committee, Parliament of Moldova

12:15 – 12:30 Coffee break

12:30 – 14:00

## Russian Capital Investments in the EU

### Chair:

**Daniel Daianu**, Professor of Economy, Member of the Board, Romanian Commercial Bank, Romania

**Victor Pleskachevskiy**, Chairman, Duma Committee on Ownership, Russia

**Petro Poroshenko**, Chairman of the Parliamentary Finance and Banking Commission, Chairman of the Board, National Bank of Ukraine, Ukraine

**Philip Hanson**, Chatham House, UK

**Bernhard Felderer**, Director, Institute for Advanced Studies, Austria

**Johann Kausl**, Head, Austrian Chamber of Commerce Representation in Moscow, Austria

### Discussants:

**Karel Dyba**, Professor, University of Economics, Czech Republic

**Mikhail Vinogradov**, General Director, Center for Current Politics in Russia, Russia

**Alexander Boshkov**, Chairman, Center For Economic Development, Bulgaria

**Hans Holzacker**, Senior Economist, New Europe Research, Bank Austria/UniCredit Group

14:00 – 15:00 Lunch

15:00 – 16:30

## Russian Federation in 10 Years. Economical and Political Prospects

**Chair:**

**Jaroslav Skvortsov**, Dean, MGIMO, Russia

**Boris Zala**, Chairman, Foreign Affairs Committee, Parliament of the Slovak Republic

**Georgy Satarov**, President, INDEM Foundation, Russia

**Julian Cooper**, Director, Center for Russian and East European Studies, University of Birmingham, UK

**Peter Balazs**, Director, Center for EU Enlargement Studies, Central European University, Hungary

**Sergey Sudakov**, Moscow State Institute of International Relations (MGIMO), Russia

**Artur Zawisza**, Member of Parliament, Poland

**Discussants:**

**Virginie Coulloudon**, Deputy Spokesperson, OSCE

**Oleh Rybachuk**, Secretariat of the President of Ukraine

**Marcus Svedberg**, Chief Economist, East Capital, Sweden

**Peeter Vahtra**, Research Fellow, Pan-European Institute, Finland