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International Conference

"EU's Common Values and General Principles of EU law in EU External Agreements"

Kyiv, Ukraine 16-17 April 2018

Organisers:

National University of Kyiv-Mohyla Academy (Ukraine),

Augsburg University (Germany)

Location: (Museum of the National University "Kyiv-Mohyla Academy", Skovorody Str. 2)

April 16th

9.00 - 9.30 - Registration, coffee

9.30 -09.45 – Opening of the event

- Mr. Sergiy Petukhov (Deputy Minister of Justice of Ukraine)
- Prof. Roman Petrov (National University of Kyiv-Mohyla Academy (NaUKMA))

Part 1. The role of EU common values and general principles of EU law in effective implementation and application of EU external agreements

09.45 – 10.15 **Prof. Peter Mueller-Graff** (Heidelberg University, Germany) "The Role of Common Values and General Principles of EU law in Effective Implementation and Application of EU External Agreements"

10.15 – 10.45 **Prof. Viktor Mouraviov** (Institute of International Relations, Taras Schevchenko Kyiv National University) "EU common values, EU Law principles and the legal order of Ukraine"

10.45 – 11.15 **Prof. Peter Van Elsuwege** (Ghent University, Belgium) "Political conditionality in EU external agreements: towards a more sophisticated approach?"

11.15 – 11.45 **Prof. Adam Lazowski** (Westminster University, UK, EU funded Project "Support for the Implementation of EU-Ukraine Association Agreement") "Current crisis of values in Poland and Hungary and how EU's weak toolbox to handle them undermines its legitimacy to pursue the values based external policy"

11.45 – 12.15 **Prof. Rilka Dragneva** (University of Birmingham, UK) "Future EU-Eurasian Economic Union contractual relations: prospects and problems"

12.15 - 12.30 - Discussion

12.30 - 13.30 - Lunch

Part 2. The practical aspects of application of EU common values and general principles of EU law in the EU-Ukraine Association Agreement

13.30 – 14.00 **Prof. Volodymyr Ustymenko** (National Academy of Science of Ukraine) "Critics of the Effectiveness of the EU-Ukraine AA: economic and legal aspects"

14.00 – 14.30 **Mr. Jocelyn Guitton** (EU Delegation to Ukraine) "The DCFTA beyond trade: how it impacts much more than just trade flows"

14.30 – 15.00 **Prof. Roman Petrov** (NaUKMA) "Application of EU common values and general principles of EU law in Ukraine"

15.00 – 15.30 **Mr. Cezar Herma** (EU funded Project "Support for the Implementation of EU-Ukraine Association Agreement") "Procedural and institutional aspects of EU law implementation by public authorities: relevance for Ukraine"

15.30 – 16.00 **Dr. Stefan Lorenzmeier** (Augsburg University, Germany) "Abstract values and practical impacts: Can the circle be squred?"

16.00 – 16.30 **Dr. Oksana Holovko-Havrysheva** (Ivan Franko Lviv National University) "Human Rights as EU Value and General Principle of the EU Law: Implications for the EU-Ukraine Relations?"

16.30 - 17.00 Discussion

17.00 - 17.30 Tour of the NaUKMA Museum

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9.30 - 10.00 - Coffee

Part 3. Country reports on application of EU common values and general principles of EU law in national jurisdictions: Looking through the prism of the Eastern Partnership and the Eurasian Economic Union.

10.00 - 10.30 **Prof. Kseniya Smyrnova** (Taras Schevchenko Kyiv National University) "Conundrum of implementation of free competition as a principle of free market economy in EU AAs with Ukraine, Moldova & Georgia"

10.30 – 11.00 Prof. Gaga Gabrihidze (New Vision University, Georgia) "Country Report on Georgia"

11.00 – 11.30 **Prof. Zhenis Kembayev** (KIMEP University, Kazakhstan) "Country Report on Kazakhstan"

11.30 – 12.00 **Prof. Paul Kalinichenko** (Kutafin Law State University, Russia) "Country Report on Russia"

12.00 - 12.30 Mr. Maksim Karliuk (Ghent University, Belgium) "Country Report on Belarus"

12.30 - 13.00 - Discussion and closure of the event

13.00 - 14.30 Lunch

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