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## OPENING CEREMONY

Day 1 – Friday – July 1

10:00 a.m.

### **Jan Malicki**

Director of the Centre for East European Studies,  
University of Warsaw

### **Marcin Przydacz (TBC)**

Undersecretary of State, Ministry of Foreign Affairs  
Republic of Poland

Representative of the Embassy of Ukraine  
to the Republic of Poland

### **Keynote Lecture**

### **Prof. Katarzyna Wolczuk**

Centre for Russian, European and Eurasian Studies  
School of Government (Muirhead Tower, University  
of Birmingham, United Kingdom)

### **The War and Decolonization of Ukraine**



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DAY 1

Friday, July 1

## FRIDAY – DAY 1 JULY 1

### Schedule

10:00 AM – 12:00 PM

#### OPENING CEREMONY

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#### KEYNOTE LECTURE

##### **Prof. Katarzyna Wolczuk**

Centre for Russian, European and Eurasian Studies School  
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United Kingdom)

#### *The War and Decolonization of Ukraine*

12:30 PM – 2:30 PM

**PANEL 1**

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**RUSSIA'S WAR IN UKRAINE:  
THE IMPLICATIONS FOR INTERNATIONAL  
WORLD ORDER**

**Prof. Iryna Maksymenko,**

Odesa Mechnikov National University, Ukraine  
*Security Assurances to Ukraine: The Way to Peace in Europe?*

**Prof. Polina Sinovets,**

Odesa Mechnikov National University, Ukraine  
*The Role of Nuclear Weapons Factor in Russian War in Ukraine*

**Prof. Agnieszka Legucka,**

The Polish Institute of International Affairs, Poland  
*Russia's Information War. Reshaping International Order*

**Prof. Julien Theron,**

Sciences Po, France  
*Contemporary Warfare Theories and the War in Ukraine*

**Moderator: prof. Olga Brusylovska,**

Odesa Mechnikov National University/Centre for East European  
Studies, University of Warsaw, Ukraine

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4:00 PM – 6:00 PM

**ROUND TABLE I**

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**THE FULL-SCALE WAR IN UKRAINE  
AND ITS INFLUENCE ON REGIONAL  
AND GLOBAL PROCESSES**

**PhD Iryna Boginska,**

Vasyl Stus Donetsk National University, Ukraine

**Prof. Olexiy Haran,**

National University of Kyiv-Mohyla Academy/Ilko Kucheriv  
Democratic Initiatives Foundation, Ukraine

**Prof. Kataryna Wolczuk,**

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United Kingdom

**PhD Kazimierz Wóycicki,**

Director „Akademia Wschód”/Centre for East European Studies,  
University of Warsaw, Poland

**Moderator: PhD Anna Menshenina,**

National Pedagogical Dragomanov University/Centre for East  
European Studies, University of Warsaw, Ukraine

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6:15 PM – 7:30 PM

**PANEL 2**

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**BELARUS AT A CROSSROADS: ECONOMY, POLITICS  
AND SOCIETY IN THE FACE OF RUSSIAN  
AGGRESSION AGAINST UKRAINE  
AND PRESENTATION OF THE  
ANALYTICAL GROUP „BELARUS IN THE REGION”**

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University of Warsaw, Poland

7:30 PM – 8:30 PM

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GLASS OF WINE

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# ROUNDTABLE

**Day 1 – Friday – July 1  
4:00 PM**

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# DAY 2

Saturday, July 2

**SATURDAY – DAY 2 JULY 2**

Schedule

10:00 AM – 12:00 PM

**PANEL 3**

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**NATION-BUILDING PROCESSES  
IN EASTERN EUROPE AFTER 2020.  
THE POSTCOLONIAL DIMENSION**

**PhD Anna Novikov,**

University of Greifswald, Germany

*Russia 2000–2022: the Development of Military Propaganda  
Through Mass Culture.*

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**PhD Iwona Kaliszewska,**

University of Warsaw, Poland

*The War in Ukraine from the North Caucasus Perspective*

**PhD Anton Saifullayev,**

Centre for East European Studies, University  
of Warsaw/University of Greifswald, Poland

*Obvious (neo)Imperialism and Belated Postcolonialism.  
A Refreshing View of the Nations' Development Processes  
in the post-Soviet Space*

**Prof. Mykola Riabchuk,**

National Academy of Sciences of Ukraine/  
Centre for East European Studies, University of Warsaw, Ukraine

*Making the Nations out of the Empire: the Post-Soviet Experience*

**Moderator: prof. Hubert Łaszkiewicz,**  
Centre for East European Studies,  
University of Warsaw, Poland

**PANEL 4**

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**RUSSIAN-UKRAINIAN WARS – MODERN ONE  
AND A CENTURY AGO: HISTORICAL ANALOGIES  
AND DIFFERENCES**

**Prof. Ola Hnatiuk,**  
Centre for East European Studies, University of Warsaw, Poland  
*From Lenin to Putin: Russian Negation Ukrainians' Right  
to Self-Determination*

**Prof. Vladyslav Verstiuk,**  
Institute of the History of Ukraine The National Academy  
of Sciences of Ukraine/Centre for East European Studies,  
University of Warsaw, Ukraine  
*The Bolshevik-Ukrainian Wars of 1918–1921 seen from the  
Perspective of a Century. Whether and how Historical Analogies are  
Helpful in Understanding Russia's Current War with Ukraine*

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**Prof. Jan Jacek Bruski,**  
Jagiellonian University in Krakow, Poland  
*Ukraine's Fight for Independence – Now and a Century Ago:  
a Few Remarks on the International Context*

**Discussant: prof. Iryna Matiash,**  
Institute of the History of Ukraine The National Academy  
of Sciences of Ukraine/Centre for East European Studies,  
University of Warsaw, Poland

**col. Tadeusz Krząstek**, ret., Centre for East European Studies,  
University of Warsaw, Poland

**PANEL 5**

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**CONSEQUENCES OF RUSSIAN AGGRESSION  
IN UKRAINE**

**Prof. Olga Brusylovska,**

Odesa Mechnikov National University/  
Centre for East European Studies, University of Warsaw, Ukraine  
*Russian invasion of Ukraine 2022: Discussions and Perceptions  
inside Academia*

**PhD Anna Menshenina,**

National Pedagogical Dragomanov University/Centre for East  
European Studies, University of Warsaw, Ukraine  
*The Middle East Response to Russia's Invasion of Ukraine:  
between Universal Values and Political Interest*

**Prof. Olena Malynovska,**

National Institute of Strategic Studies, Ukraine  
*Ukraine's population Migration in the War of Russia against  
Ukraine*

**Moderator: Prof. Polina Sinovets,**

Odesa Mechnikov National University, Ukraine

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12:30 PM – 2:30 PM

**PANEL 6**

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**CHECHNYA – A DISTANT WAR**

**PhD Etienne Peyrat,**

Université de Lille, Science Po, France

*Russian Presence in the South Caucasus and Foreign Policy  
Perspectives (19th-20th Centuries)*

**Akhmed Zakayev,**

Head of the Chechen Republic of Ichkeria Government in exile,  
United Kingdom

*The Chechen Issue on the International Arena*

**Prof. Piotr Grochmalski,**

War Studies University, Poland

*Russian Imperial Policy: from the Chechen Wars to Aggression  
against Ukraine*

**Grzegorz Wilga,**

Attorney at Law, Poland

*Russian Crimes in Chechnya: the Question of Legal Responsibility*

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**PANEL 7**

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**BELARUS AND UKRAINE  
IN A HISTORICAL RELATIONSHIP.  
CONFLICTS AND COOPERATION**

**Prof. Aliaksandr Krautsevich,**

Centre for East European Studies, University of Warsaw, Poland  
*Fight and Cooperate. Belarus and Ukraine in the Era of the Grand  
Duchy of Lithuania*

**PhD Vadzim Anipiarkou,**

Centre for East European Studies, University of Warsaw, Poland  
*Ukraine in the Military Projects of Russian Field Marshal Grigory  
Potemkin (1789–1791)*

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**Prof. Siarhei Tokts,**

Centre for East European Studies, University of Warsaw, Poland  
*National Movements of Belarusians and Ukrainians in the 19th  
Century: an Attempt to Compare*

**PhD Andrei Charniakievich,**

Centre for East European Studies, University of Warsaw, Poland  
*Ukraine and Attempt to Organize of Foreign Trade of the  
Bialarusian people's republic 1918*

**Moderator: prof. Hienadz Sahanovich,**

Centre for East European Studies, University of Warsaw, Poland

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**PANEL 8**

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**WAR IN UKRAINE.  
PUBLIC OPINION IN BELARUS, UKRAINE AND RUSSIA**

**Inna Volosevych,**

Info Sapiens, Ukraine

*Attitudes towards the War and towards each other among  
Ukrainians and Russians*

**Anton Grushetskyi,**

Kyiv International Institute of Sociology, Ukraine

*Overcoming the Social and Political Divisions of Ukrainians against  
the Backdrop of War*

**Volodymyr Paniotto,**

Kyiv International Institute of Sociology, Ukraine

*Attitudes towards Belarusians in Ukraine – Results of a  
Comparative Belarusian-Ukrainian Sociological Survey*

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**Lev Gudkov,**

Levada Center

*The Work of Restoration Mechanisms in Russian Public Opinion*

**Alexey Levinson,**

Levada Center

*Russian Public Opinion on the Events after February 24, 2022*

**Andrei Vardomatski,**

Centre for East European Studies, University of Warsaw, Belarusian  
Analytical Workroom, Poland

*“Belarusian Gap” as a Characteristic of the Median Position  
of Belarusian Public Opinion between Russian and Ukrainian*

**Moderator: prof. Andrei Vardomatski,**  
Centre for East European Studies, University of Warsaw,  
Belarusian Analytical Workroom, Poland

4:00 PM – 6:00 PM

**ROUND TABLE II**  
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**RUSSIAN-UKRAINIAN WAR:  
INFORMATION RESISTANCE**

**Prof. Borys Humeniuk,**  
Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary, National  
Pedagogical Dragomanov University, Ukraine

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**Prof. Serhii Troian,**  
National Aviation University, Ukraine/  
University of Rzeszow, Poland

**Prof. Antonina Kozyraska,**  
Nicolaus Copernicus University in Toruń, Poland

**Prof. Yuri Shapoval,**  
National Academy of Sciences of Ukraine, Ukraine/  
Centre for East European Studies, University of Warsaw, Poland

**Robert Czyżewski,**  
Director, Polish Institute in Kyiv, Ukraine

Special guests:

**Anastasia Bondar,**  
Ministry of Culture and Information Policy of Ukraine, Ukraine

**Stanislav Lytvynov,**  
film-maker, founder of the „Information Resistance”  
project, Ukraine

**Andriana Bila,**  
journalist, founder of the „Information Resistance” project, Ukraine

**Moderator: prof. Iryna Matiash,**  
Institute of the History of Ukraine The National Academy  
of Sciences of Ukraine, Centre for East European Studies,  
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6:00 PM – 8:00 PM

**CEREMONY OF PRESENTING  
THE “PRZEGLĄD WSCHODNI” AWARD**

**Jan Malicki**  
Director of the Centre for East European Studies,  
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8:05 PM – 8:30 PM

**CLOSING CEREMONY WEEC 2022**

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**Jan Malicki**  
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# ROUNDTABLE

**Day 2 – Saturday – July 2  
4:00 PM**

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**Day 2 – Saturday – July 2  
6:00 PM**

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**Jan Malicki**

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# CLOSING CEREMONY

## WEEC 2022

**DAY 2 – Saturday– July 2**

**8:05 p.m.**

## **Olga Brusylovska**

Odesa Mechnikov National University/  
Centre for East European Studies,  
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## **Jan Malicki**

Director of the Centre for East European Studies,  
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