

**PROGRAMME**  
of the IX international scientific conference  
**“RUSSIA AND CENTRAL EUROPE IN THE  
NEW GEOPOLITICAL REALITIES”**

**RUSSIA AND EAST-CENTRAL EUROPE UNDER THE PRESSURE  
OF WORLD CRISIS**

Moscow, December 3-4, 2012  
RAS Institute of Europe, Mokhovaja st.11-3 “B”

**Monday, December, 3**

**Registration of the participants from 10.30**

**11.00 Opening session**

*Nicolay Shmeljov*, academician, director of the RAS Institute of Europe.

*Natalia Narochnitskaja*, Dr. of sciences, President of the Foundation for Historic Outlook.

*Leonid Drachevskij*, Director of the A.Gorchakov Foundation.

*Istvan Igyarto*, Hungarian Ambassador in Russia.

*Voicsh Zajonshkovsky*, Polish Ambassador in Russia.

*Joseph Migash*, Slovak Ambassador in Russia.

*Peter Kolarzs*, Czech Ambassador in Russia.

*Ljubinsky Dmitry*, Director of the 3-d European Department, Russian Ministry for Foreign Affairs.

**12.30 – 13.30**

**Round table: Central Europe under Crisis**

*Olga Butorina* (Moscow), Professor, RAS Institute of Europe: *“Economic Policy of Central European Countries: General and Specific.”*

*Max Haller* (Graz), Professor of the Graz University: *“Regional integration: A way to economic growth or source of increasing inequality between centre and periphery?. The experience of the European Union and some conclusions for Eastern Europe and Russia.”*

*Jjury Borko* (Moscow), Professor, RAS Institute of Europe: *Russia and Central European Countries under World Economic Crises: Comparative Aspect.”*

**Discussion**

**13.30-14.30: Lunch**

**14.30-18.00**

**Round table “Multiculturalism in East-Central Europe: experience and perspectives.”**

*Alexey Timofeev* (Belgrade), Professor of the Institute of Contemporary History:

*“Musulman Factor and Problems of Multiculturalism in Slavonic Countries of Balkan Peninsula: Traditions of the Past, Modern Conflicts and New Image of Turkey.”*

*Elena Gusjkova* (Moscow), Dr. of sciences, Head of the Research Center, RAS Institute of Slavonic Studies: *“Military Conflict and Political Dialogue: Crises of the Dialogue Model in Kosovo.”*

*Radu Vrabie* (Kishinev), Institute for Strategic Studies: *“Relations between Kishinev and Tiraspol: Past, Present and the Future.”*

*Sergej Mazur* (Riga), Editor –in-Chief of the “Russian Cultural Almanac”: *“Problems of “Russian” in Latvia in Context of Multiculturalism.”*

**16.00-16.15 Break**

**16.15-17.30 continuation of the round table on multiculturalism**

*Pavel Svjatenkov* (Moscow), Foundation for Historic Outlook: *“Russian experience in the field of ethnoconfessional coexistence.”*

*Csilla Fedinec* (Budapest), Hungarian Academy of Sciences’ Institute for Minority Studies: *“Institute of Double Citizenship on the Pattern of Hungarian – Ukrainian Relations.”*

*Attila Papp Z.* (Budapest), Hungarian Academy of Sciences’ Institute for Minority Studies: *“Education for Ethnic Minorities in Central Europe.”*

*Andrej Jakovlev* (Riga), Head of the Governing Board “Amber Bridge Baltic Foundation”: *“Some Questions of Ethnic Integration in Latvia.”*

*Pavel Kandel* (Moscow), RAS Institute of Europe: *“Limitations and Possibilities of Multiculturalism”*

**Discussion**

**17.30 Reception**

**Tuesday, December, 4**

**10.30 – 11.45**

**Round table on Bilateral and regional relations**

*Jan Carnogursky* (Bratislava), Professor, President of the Bratislava’ Lawyer Association: *“Central Europe between Russia and USA.”*

*Petr Drulak* (Prague), Professor, Director of the Institute of International Relations: *“Political Construction of Central Europe.”*

*Petr Vagner* (Prague), Institute for Stability and Development: *“Visegrad past, present and future.”*

*Lyubov Shishelina* (Moscow), Professor, RAS Institute of Europe: “*Russian Perception of Vishegrad Europe.*”

**11.45 – 12.00 break**

**12.15 – 13.30**

**Round table on Bilateral and regional relations** (*continuation*)

*Ernő Keskeny* (Budapest), vice-minister of Foreign Relations: “*Policy of Openness towards the East: Conception and Practice.*”

*Andrzej Brzeziecki* (Wroclaw), Editor-in Chief of the “Nowa Europa Wschodnia”: “*Challenges from the East.*”

*Witold Rodkiewics* (Warsaw), Professor, Center for Eastern Studies: “*Central Europe and Russia- Two Decades after Divorce: Factors Hindering Cooperation (on the example of Polish – Russian relations).*”

*Larisa Likoshina* (Moscow), Dr. of Sciences, RAS Institute of Scientific Information: “*Some Aspects of Russian-Polish Relations.*”

*Miroslav Jovanovich* (Belgrade), Professor of Belgrade University: “*Problems of Current Serbian-Russian Relations: Aspects of Mutual Perception, Problems and Prospects.*”

**Discussion**

**13.30-14.30 Lunch**

**14.30 – 15.30**

**Round table on Bilateral and regional relations** (*continuation*)

*Dmitry Danilov* (Moscow), RAS Institute of Europe:

*Bartosz Cichocki* (Warsaw), Department for National Security: “*Measures of Mutual Trust in the Field of National Security: European Approach.*”

*Nikolay Kaveshnikov* (Moscow), Professor, RAS Institute of Europe: “*Energy Factor in Relations between Russia and European Union.*”

*Andras Deak* (Budapest), Dr., Hungarian Institute for Foreign Relations: “*Energy Relations between Russia and European Union.*”

**Discussion**

**Closing session**

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**Conference time-limits**

Presentations, included in the programme of the conference: up to 15-20 minutes;

Discussion interventions: 2-5 minutes.