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“ Two things are important in life – purpose and meaning; however, citizenship and public welfare simply provide the necessary conditions for them. If one thinks about this properly, a modern civic society isn’t the worst place we can live our lives in, as long as the will to improve our way of life has not been extinguished. ” **RALF DAHRENDORF**

Monday 27 May

MULTILATERALISM, GLOBALIZATION, RULE OF LAW, ETHICS

10.00–10.30 Opening session

Lena Nemirovskaya

Founder, Moscow School of Civic Education

Alvaro Gil-Robles

*Commissioner for Human Rights of Council of Europe
(1999–2006), President of the Valsain Foundation*

10.30–12.00 Session:

Can We Get Democracy Without Values?

Alvaro Gil-Robles

12.00–12.30 Coffee break

12.30–14.00 Session:

**The Ecology of Multilateralism: Regulating
the Global Commons through Evidence-Based
Shared Interests, Treaties & Enforcement**

Amb. Francis Martin O'Donnell

14.00–15.30 Lunch

15.30–17.00 Session:

**Democracy, Rule of Law and Values in the
Digital Society**

Tomás de la Quadra-Salcedo

17.00–17.30 Coffee break

17.30–19.00 Session:

**The Impossible Political Trilemma:
Sovereignty, Globalization, and Democracy**

Lord Robert Skidelsky

19.00 Dinner

Tuesday 28 May

GLOBAL WORLD

10.00–11.30 Session:
Self-restraint of the power as a moral and personal choice
Leon Aron

11.30–12.00 Coffee break

12.00–13.30 Session:
The Welfare State and Globalisation: The Swedish Experience
Gunnar Wetterberg

13.30–15.00 Lunch

15.00–16.30 Session:
Why Business Needs Political Freedoms
Sergey Aleksashenko

16.30–17.00 Coffee break

17.00–18.30 Session:
Unlimited power: Conflict of Home and Foreign Policies
Gleb Pavlovsky

18.30–19.00 Coffee break

19.00–21.00 Round table:
Civilization and Culture
Alexander Shmelev

21.00 Dinner

Wednesday 29 May

EUROPE, UNION, PEACE

10.00 - 11.30 Session:
Carl Schmitt and the Origins of the European Contemporary Illiberal Political Theory
Gabriel Moreno González

11.30–12.00 Coffee break

12.00–13.30 Session:
The European Union: Institutions, Policies, Prospects
Luis Arroyo Jiménez

13.30–15.00 Lunch

15.00–16.30 Session:
The Idea of Europe
Vladimir Malakhov

16.30–17.00 Coffee break

17.00–19.00 Round table:
The Rule of Law. What Rule? What Law?
Alexander Shmelev

19.00 Dinner

Thursday 30 May

SOCIETIES IN TRANSITION

9.30–11.00 Session:
The Church of Transition:
The Russian Orthodox Church in Modern Russia
Alexey Makarkin

11.00–11.30 Coffee break

11.30–13.30 Session:
Anatomy of Russian Corruption:
Credibility Gap
Elena Panfilova
Ilya Shumanov

13.30–15.00 Lunch

15.00–16.30 Session:
Global World Transformation. Where did the
Transit Lead? Post-Communist Political Cultures
Mikhail Minakov

16.30–17.00 Coffee break

17.00–19.30 Movie
The Man Who Was Too Free
Mikhail Fishman

19.30 Dinner

Friday 31 May

CIVICS, FREEDOM AND RESPONSIBILITY

10.00–11.30 Session:
Building a Culture of Democracy
Through Education
Ana Maria Perona-Fjeldstad

11.30–12.00 Coffee break

12.00–13.30 Session:
Memory Wars
Sergey Medvedev

13.30–14.00 Closing remarks
Yury Senokosov

14.00 Lunch

Experts

Sergey Aleksashenko (Russia – USA)	Economist; Nonresident Senior Fellow, Brookings Institution	Mikhail Minakov (Ukraine)	Senior Fellow, <i>Kennan Institute</i> ; Editor-in-chief, <i>Kennan Focus Ukraine</i> , Author
Leon Aron (USA)	Director of Russian Studies at the American Enterprise Institute for Public Policy	Gabriel Moreno González (Spain)	Professor of Constitutional Law, <i>University of Valencia</i>
Luis Arroyo Jiménez (Spain)	Jean Monnet Chair - EU Law in Global Perspective, University of Castilla-La Mancha	Lena Nemirovskaya, OBE (Russia)	Founder, <i>Moscow School of Civic Education</i>
Tomás De La Quadra-Salcedo (Spain)	Politician; Minister of Justice of Spain (1991 - 1993); Head of the State Council (1985 - 1991); Professor, <i>University Carlos III</i> , Madrid	Ambassador Francis Martin O'Donnell (ret.)	Advisor to the <i>Global Partnerships Forum Life</i> (New York) Member of the <i>Institute of International and European Affairs</i> (Dublin), Former SMOM Ambassador and UN Representative (Ireland)
Mikhail Fishman (Russia)	Journalist, Author, Producer of the film <i>The Man Who Was Too Free</i>	Elena Panfilova (Russia)	Chairperson of the Centre for Anti-Corruption Research and Initiative <i>Transparency International</i> , the Russian Chapter of <i>Transparency International</i> ; Founder, Laboratory for Anti-Corruption Policy, <i>Higher School of Economics</i>
Álvaro Gil-Robles y Gil-Delgado (Spain)	President <i>Valsain Foundation</i> ; Commissioner for Human Rights, Council of Europe (1999–2006)	Gleb Pavlovsky (Russia)	Political Scientist; President, <i>Foundation for Effective Politics</i>
Alexey Makarkin (Russia)	First Vice President, <i>Center of Political Technologies</i> ; Professor, Department of Political Studies, <i>Higher School of Economics</i>	Ana Perona-Fjeldstad (Argentina - Norway)	Executive Director, <i>European Wergeland Centre</i>
Vladimir Malakhov (Russia)	Director, Center for Political Theory and Applied Political Science, <i>Russian Presidential Academy of National Economy and Public Administration</i>	Yury Senokosov (Russia)	Founder, <i>Moscow School of Civic Education</i>
Sergey Medvedev (Russia)	Professor, Faculty of Social Sciences, <i>Higher School of Economics</i>	Alexander Shmelev (Russia)	Political Analyst

“ Enlightenment is man’s emergence from his self-imposed nonage. Nonage is the inability to use one’s own understanding without another’s guidance. This nonage is self-imposed if its cause lies not in lack of understanding but in indecision and lack of courage to use one’s own mind without another’s guidance. *Sapere aude!* “Have the courage to use your own understanding”, is therefore the motto of the enlightenment. ”

IMMANUEL KANT “Answering the Question: What Is Enlightenment?”

