

ROUNDTABLE

“FOSTERING INTER-CULTURAL DIALOGUE IN UKRAINE”

Office of the President of Ukraine
12 February 2018
09.30-13.00

PROGRAMME

➤ WELCOME

- **Dr. Rostyslav Pavlenko** (tbc), Deputy Head, Presidential Administration of Ukraine
- **Dr. Svitlana Fomenko** (tbc), First Deputy Minister, Ministry of Culture of Ukraine
- **Prof. Dr. Tove H. Malloy**, Director, European Centre for Minority Issues

➤ PRESENTATION OF THE EUROPEAN CENTRE FOR MINORITY ISSUES (ECMI)

Prof. Dr. Tove H. Malloy

➤ PRESENTATION OF THE ECMI EASTERN PARTNERSHIP PROGRAMME “National minorities and ethno-political issues: Belarus, Moldova, Ukraine, 2014-2017”

Mr. Stanislav Cernega, Research Associate, European Centre for Minority Issues

➤ PRESENTATION OF ECMI RECOMMENDATIONS FOR INTER-CULTURAL DIALOGUE IN UKRAINE

Prof. Dr. Tove H. Malloy

➤ THE IMPORTANCE OF MINORITY RIGHTS PROTECTION IN EUROPE

Mr. Boris Cilevics, MP

Member of Parliament, Latvia and representative of Latvia at the PACE
Member of PACE Sub-Committee on the Rights of Minorities

➤ EXAMPLES OF INTER-CULTURAL DIALOGUE FACILITATION IN GERMANY AND DENMARK

Mr. Johannes Callsen, MdL

Commissioner of the Minister-President of the State of Schleswig-Holstein for National
Minorities and Ethnic Groups, Border Area Activities and Low German

Der Beauftragte des Ministerpräsidenten in Angelegenheiten nationaler Minderheiten und Volksgruppen, Grenzlandarbeit und Niederdeutsch

Ms. Svetlana Krätzschar
President of the City Council of Flensburg
Stadtpräsidentin, Ratsversammlung, Flensburg

Ms. Judith Scholze
Head of the Minority Secretariat of the four autochthonous national and ethnic minorities in Germany

Mr. Jan Diedrichsen
Head of Secretariat, the German minority in Denmark, Copenhagen

➤ **STATEMENT BY THE EXPERTS' COUNCIL ON ETHNO-POLITICAL AFFAIRS**

Prof. Volodymyr Yevtukh
Ms. Olha Zhmurko

➤ **PRESENTATION OF PROPOSALS BY NATIONAL MINORITIES**

Chair: Dr. Sergiusz Bober, Senior Research Associate, European Centre for Minority Issues

Mr. Yosyf Zisels, Executive Vice-President of the Congress of the National Communities of Ukraine

Ms. Larysa Loiko, Vice-President of the Association of National and Cultural Communities of Ukraine

Ms. Daria Kariakina, Chairperson of the Board of the International NGO "International Union"

Mr. Ravshan Tagiiev, Head of the Assembly of the Nationalities of Ukraine

Mr. Ashot Avanesian, Head of the Council of National Communities of Ukraine

➤ **DISCUSSION**

Chair: *Prof. Dr. Tove H. Malloy*

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