



SUMMER SCHOOL

FOR YOUNG PROFESSIONALS

2009

CURRENT SECURITY CHALLENGES

27th June 2009 – 5th July 2009
Armed Forces Academy of General Milan Rastislav Štefánik
Liptovský Mikuláš, Slovakia
Zakarpatske Hotel, Uzghorod

- PRELIMINARY PROGRAMME -

Saturday, 27 June 2009

20:00 – 22:00 Arrival of participants at the Armed Forces Academy of General Milan Rastislav Štefánik
Registration
Meet your facilitator

Sunday, 28 June 2009

08:00 – 08:30 **Breakfast**

09:00 – 12:30 **Presentation of the Academy complex**
Getting to know everybody
Preparing for the summer school, preparing for the next day activities

12:30 – 13:30 **Lunch & Relax**

13:30 – 15:00 **INTERACTIVE INTRODUCTION INTO SECURITY POLICY**
Situation Today and Trends, Implications from Afghan-Pakistan war
Brig. Gen. Karl Alexander Wohlgemuth, George C. Marshall Center, Garmisch-Partenkirchen

15:45 – 16:00 **Departure to Liptovský Mikuláš**

16:00 – 18:00 **VISIT TO LIPTOVSKÝ MIKULÁŠ**
Reception at the town hall

Welcome Address by Ing. Ján BLCHÁČ, PhD., Mayor of the town of Liptovský Mikuláš

18:00 – 20:00 **Dinner at restaurant “Route 66” in Liptovský Mikuláš**

20:00 – 22:00 **PDS SESSION**
Debriefing session and preparation for next day activities

Monday, 29 June 2009

08:00 – 08:30 **Breakfast**

09:00 – 10:30 **WELCOME SPEECHES**
Mr. Daniel Duchoň, State Secretary, Ministry of Defence of the Slovak Republic
Col. (GS) Pavel Nečas, Armed Forces Academy of General M.R. Štefánik
Mr. Róbert Ondrejcsák, Executive director, CENAA

10:30 – 11:00 **Coffee break**

11:00 – 12:30 **INTRODUCTORY SPEECHES ON GLOBAL SECURITY**
Mr. Rastislav Káčer, Slovak Atlantic Commission
Mr. Keith Eddins, US Embassy in Slovakia, Chargé d’Affaires, a.i.

12:30 – 14:30 **Reception**

14:30 – 16:30 **NATO AFTER SUMMIT IN STRASBOURG, BADEN BADEN, KEHL**
Col. (GS) Pavel Nečas, Armed Forces Academy of General Milan Rastislav Štefánik

16:30 – 17:00 **Coffee Break**

17:00 – 18:30 **UN AND SECURITY CHALLENGES**
Ms. Sonja Wintersberger, United Nations Information Service, Vienna

18:30 – 19:00 **Dinner**

20:00 – 22:00 **PDS SESSION**
Debriefing session and preparation for next day activities

Tuesday, 30 June 2009

08:00 – 08:30 **Breakfast**

- 09:00 – 10:30 **ENERGY POLICY**
Mr. Andrej Nosko, Central European University, Budapest
- 10:30 – 11:00 **Coffee Break**
- 11:00 – 12:30 **EUROPEAN SECURITY AND DEFENCE POLICY**
Mr. Christoph Pohlmann, Friedrich Ebert Stiftung, Berlin
- 12:30 – 14:30 **Lunch & relax**
- 14:30 – 16:30 **NATO-AFGHANISTAN ISSUES**
Mr. Marian Majer, MOD SR
Mrs. Barbora Marônková, Public Diplomacy Division,
NATO HQ, Brussels
- 16:30 – 17:00 **Coffee Break**
- 17:00 – 18:30 **COMMON SLOVAK-CZECH BATTLE GROUP**
Brig. Gen. Pavel Macko, Ground Forces of the Slovak Armed Forces
- 18:30 – 19:00 **Dinner**
- 20:00 – 22:00 **PDS SESSION**
Debriefing session and preparation for next day activities

Wednesday, 1 July 2009

- 08:00 – 08:30 **Breakfast**
- 09:00 – 10:30 **EASTERN PARTNERSHIP**
Mr. Alexander Duleba, Slovak Foreign Policy Association, Bratislava
- 10:30 – 11:00 **Coffee Break**
- 11:00 – 12:30 **WESTERN BALKAN SECURITY ISSUES**
Mr. Jasmin Porobić, United Nations Development Programme,
Sarajevo
- 13:00 – 13:30 **Packed Lunch and walk to place of outdoor lecture**
- 14:00 – 15:30 **EXTREMISM – OUTDOOR LECTURE**
Mr. Michal Vašečka, Centre for research of ethnicity and culture,
Bratislava
- 16:30 – 20:00 **Dinner at restaurant in “Gazdovský dvor” in Bešeňová**
- 20:00 – 22:00 **PDS SESSION**

Debriefing session and preparation for next day activities

Thursday, 2 July 2009

- 06:00 – 06:30 **Breakfast**
- 07:00 - 11:00 **Departure from Liptovský Mikuláš to Prešov**
- 11:00 - 14:00 **SIDE PROGRAMME – visit to Air Base in Prešov**
- 14:00 - 18:00 **Departure from Prešov to Uzghorod (Ukraine), Hotel Zakarpatye**
- 19:00 - 20:30 **RECEPTION, Welcome Address by Mr. Marián Sládeček,**
Consul General of Slovak Republic, Uzghorod

Friday, 3 July 2009

- 08:00 – 08:30 **Breakfast**
- 09:00 – 10:30 **WELCOME SPEECHES**
Brig. Gen. Ján Kačmár, Representative of the Slovak Embassy to
Ukraine, Kyev
Mr. Marián Sládeček, General Consul of the Slovak Republic in
Uzghorod
Mrs. Galina Goročovska, Representative of Ministry of Foreign Affairs
of Ukraine, Kyev
Mr. Julij Hojdaš, Representative of Uzghorod National University
- 10:30 – 11:00 **Coffee break**
- 11:00 – 12:30 **UKRAINE AND EU RELATIONS**
Mr. Dmytro Shulga, International Renaissance Foundation, Kyev
- 12:30 – 14:30 **Lunch & Relax**
- 14:30 – 16:30 **NATO-UKRAINE IN THE CONTEXT OF SECURITY**
BUILDING
Mr. Oleg Kokoshynski, Ukraine-Nato Civic League, Kyev
- 16:30 – 17:00 **Coffee break**
- 17:00 – 18:30 **UKRAINE INTEGRATION AND RUSSIA**
Mr. Serhiy Tereshko, Coordination Bureau for the European and Euro-
Atlantic Integration of the Cabinet of Ministers Secretariat, Kyev

18:30 – 20:00 **Dinner**

20:00 – 22:00 **PDS SESSION**
Debriefing session and preparation for next day activities

Saturday, 4 July 2009

08:00 – 08:30 **Breakfast**

09:00 – 10:30 **TERRORISM**
Mr. Ivo Samson, Slovak Foreign Policy Association, Bratislava

10:30 – 11:00 **Coffee break**

11:00 – 12:30 **SCHENGEN ISSUES**
Mr. Vladimír Benč, Slovak Foreign Policy Association, Prešov

12:30 – 14:30 **Lunch & Relax**

14:30 – 16:30 **CERTIFICATE CEREMONY**

16:30 – 18:30 **Sightseeing tour**

18:30 – 20:00 **FAREWELL DINNER**

Sunday, 5 July 2009

03:00 – **DEPARTURES FROM UZGHOROD**