

All Reconstruction Is Local

A Forum on the Eve of the Ukraine Recovery Conference

June 10, 2024 1400–1900 State Representation of North Rhine-Westphalia Hiroshimastr. 12–16 10785 Berlin

Agenda

Subject to change

13:30 Guest Arrival

14:00 Welcome

Nathanael Liminski, Minister and Head of the State Chancellery, North Rhine-Westphalia

Heather A. Conley, President, GMF

14:05 A Conversation

Penny Pritzker, U.S. Special Representative for Ukraine's Economic Recovery Moderator: **Thomas Kleine-Brockhoff**, Guido Goldman Distinguished Fellow, GMF

14:20 Scene Setter: Updates from Ukraine

Maksym Svysenko, Ukrainian Students League, Advisor to the Dnipro Regional Administration

14:30 Best Practices Exchange: Regional Partnerships as Drivers of Local Reconstruction

Nathanael Liminski, Minister and Head of the State Chancellery, North Rhine-Westphalia

Andriy Moskalenko, First Deputy Mayor, Deputy Mayor for Economic Development of the city of Lviv

Mark Simakovsky, Deputy Assistant Administrator, Bureau of Europe and Eurasia, USAID

Henrik Winther, Director, EU Neighborhood Policy Department, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Denmark

Moderator: Heather A. Conley, President, GMF

15:15 A Conversation

Halyna Yanchenko, Member of Parliament, Ukraine Moderator: **Heather A. Conley**, President, GMF

15:30 Persistence and Resilience: How Ukrainian Cities are Preparing for a More Hopeful Future

Filiep Decorte, Director of Emergencies, UN Habitat

Andrew Friendly, Vice President of Government Affairs and Public Policy, Autodesk

Margie O'Driscoll, Director, Center for Innovation

Sergeiy Orlov, Deputy Mayor of the city of Mariupol

Moderator: **GMF Expert**

16:15 Coffee Break

16:45 Parallel Sessions

Streamlining Local Reconstruction: Toward Decentralization and Coordination

Taras Byk, Agency for Recovery and Development, Ukraine

Iryna Hrytsai, Deputy Chairwoman of the Dnipropetrovsk State Regional Administration

Bogdan Zawadewicz, Head of Geopolitical Risk Analysis, Polish Development Bank

Moderator: Alina Inayeh, Visiting Fellow, GMF

Powering Local Development: Modernizing the Energy Sector

Oleksiy Povolotskiy, Head of the Office for Energy Infrastructure Recovery, DTEK **Marcus Lippold**, Team Leader Green Deal Ukraine Service, DG Near, European Commission

Senior Ukrainian Representative

Moderator: Jacob Kirkegaard, Senior Fellow, GMF

Anti-Corruption in Local Recovery

Martina Boguslavets, Head and Founder, MEZHA Anti-Corruption Center

Valeriia Ivanova, Deputy Head of the State Agency for Restoration and Infrastructure Development of Ukraine

Viktor Pavlushchyk, Head of the National Agency on Corruption Prevention (NACP) of Ukraine

Oleksandr Syenkevych, Mayor of the city of Mykolaiv

Moderator: Josh Rudolph, Senior Fellow, GMF

17:30 Read-Out of Parallel Sessions

17:45 Will Private Investment Save Ukraine?

Presentation:

Larysa Marchenko, Partner, Strategy, and Transactions, Ukraine Reconstruction International Lead, EY

Response:

Garry Poluschkin, Consultant and Country Coordinator Ukraine, German Economic Team (confirmed)

Bruce Stokes, Visiting Fellow, GMF

Moderator: Thomas Kleine-Brockhoff, Guido Goldman Distinguished Fellow, GMF

18:30 Closing Remarks

Heather A. Conley, President, GMF

Mark Speich, State Secretary for Federal, European and International Affairs and Media, North Rhine-Westphalia

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