

MULTIPLE CHALLENGES TRANSATLANTIC PARTNERSHIPS

FOR

Hotel Grandior, Na Poříčí 1052/42, PRAGUE/ 18 September 2019, Kaiserštejnský Palác, Malostranské náměstí 23/37, Prague/ 19 September 2019

ABOUT THE EVENT

Between Europe and America are many connections (historical, political, social and economic). On the other hand, we can observe different attitudes for cooperation between both regions. An international conference Multiple Challenges for Transatlantic Partnerships will evaluate development of Transatlantic Partnerships, as well as describe current status. The aim of the conference is to identify weak and strong aspect and formulate challenges for cooperation of both regions in concrete areas politics, economy and security.

EVENT SCHEDULE

18.9.2019

19:30 – 21:00 Welcome Dinner, Hotel Grandior

END OF THE FIRST DAY

19.9.2019

9:30 - 9:40 Welcome Speech

Jan Macháček, Chairman of the Board, Institute for Politics and Society
Olle Schmidt, Second Vice President, European Liberal Forum
Moderator: Šárka Prát, Executive Director, Institute for Politics and Society

9:40 - 10:20 Keynote Speakers

Andrej Babiš, Prime Minister, Government of the Czech Republic **Timmy Dooley**, Vice President, ALDE Party

10:20 - 10:40 VIP Talk I

Jacques Rupnik, Political Scientist, Director of Research, Centre de Reserches Internationale Moderator: Marcela Konrádová, Analyst, Institute for Politics and Society



10:40 - 11:00 COFFEE BREAK

11:00 – 12:15 Multiple Challenges for Transatlantic Partnerships – Economic Dimension

Karel Havlíček, Minister, Ministry of Industry and Trade of the Czech Republic Chris Boyer, Vice President of Strategic Research and Communications, AT&T Weston Stacey, Executive Director, American Chamber of Commerce in the Czech Republic

John Lloyd, Journalist, Financial Times

Miroslav Zámečník, Economic Consultant, Government of the Czech Republic Moderator: Jan Macháček, Chairman of the Board, Institute for Politics and Society

12:15 - 13:00 LUNCH

13:00 - 13:30 VIP Talk II

Tomáš Petříček, Minister, Ministry of the Foreign Affairs of the Czech Republic Moderator: Marcela Konrádová, Analyst, Institute for Politics and Society

13:30 – 14:45 Multiple Challenges for Transatlantic Partnerships – Political Dimension

H.E. Roland Galharague, Ambassador, Embassy of the French Republic Josef Janning, Head, Berlin Office of the European Council on Foreign Relations Tomáš Szunyog, Permanent Representative, Political and Security Committee Jamie Fly, President and CEO, Radio Free Europe/ Radio Liberty Moderator: Olle Schmidt, Second Vice President, European Liberal Forum

14:45 – 15:00 COFFEE BREAK

15:00 – 16:15 Multiple Challenges for Transatlantic Partnerships – Security Dimension

Tinatin Khidasheli, Former Minister of Defense, Ministry of Defense of Georgia **Nad'a Kovalčíková**, Program Manager, Alliance for Securing Democracy, The German Marshall Fund of the United States in Brussles

Vladimir Socor, Senior Fellow, Jamestown Foundation

Moderator: Sebastian Vagt, Analyst, Friedrich Naumann Foundation

16:15 - 17:15 NETWORKING WITH A GLASS OF WINE

17:15 END OF THE EVENT



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