



International Faculty Development Seminar 2008

Building a New Reality in Poland & Ukraine:

Challenges, Successes and Failures

2008 ITINERARY

Please note this itinerary is for 2008

and is for illustrative purposes only.

Day 1	Warsaw	Seminar participant arrivals, Warsaw F. Chopin Airport pick-up Warsaw, Hotel <i>Novotel</i> check - in
	4.30	Meet in the hotel lobby and transfer to WSE
	5.00	Orientation session
	6.00	Welcome reception
Day 2	Warsaw	Breakfast at the hotel
	9.00	Warsaw City Tour
	1.00	Lunch
	3.00	Lecture: Lessons Learned in the Transition to a Market Economy and Democratic System in Poland - Dr. Dariusz Rosati, Professor, Warsaw School of Economics
	5.00	Transfer to the hotel
		Dinner on own
Day 3	Warsaw	Breakfast at the hotel
	10.00	Lecture: Groups of interest in post-communist countries and their influence on politics and economy - Dr. Jadwiga Staniszki, Professor, University of Warsaw
	1.00	Lunch at WSE cafeteria
	3.00	Lecture 3 - How has Central Europe changed? Poland, the Baltics, Slovakia and the Czech Republic in the EU - Dr. Leszek Balcerowicz, Professor, Warsaw School of Economics
	Eve	Transfer to the hotel
		Dinner on own

- Day 4 Warsaw**
- Breakfast at the hotel
- 10.00 **Lecture: Poland and the European Union: Do Poles accept their country's membership in the EU?** - Dr. Elzbieta Kawecka-Wyzykowska, Professor, Warsaw School of Economics
- 1.00 Lunch at WSE cafeteria
- 3.00 **Lecture: Cross-border cooperation between Poland and Ukraine: Dimensions, Diversification, Successes and Failures** - Dr Tadeusz Olszanski , Senior Specialist, The Center for Eastern Studies, Warsaw
- 7.00 Evening at the Opera
- Day 5 Warsaw**
- Breakfast at the hotel
- 10.00 **Lecture: Poland's assistance for Ukraine in Entering NATO and the European Union - Dr. Bogdan Grzelonski, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Poland**
- PM Afternoon Free
- 7.00 Farewell reception
- Day 6 Warsaw to Kyiv**
(Time Difference: Ukraine 1 hour ahead of Poland)
- Breakfast in hotel
 Depart for airport
 Flight to Kyiv
 Arrival in Kyiv
 Transfer to hotel
 Casual dinner and orientation to Kyiv portion of seminar in restaurant
- Day 7 Kyiv**
- Breakfast in hotel
- 9:00 Transfer to NaUKMA by shuttle
- 9:30 **Lecture: Understanding Ukraine's Present through the Historical Perspective** Prof. Mykhailo Kirsenko, NaUKMA History Department
- 11:00 Coffee break

11:30 **Lecture: Problems of Cultural Post-Colonialism in Ukraine: Identity in Independent Ukraine** Prof. Roman Veretelnyk, Head of the NaUKMA Department of World Literature and Foreign Languages

13:15 Lunch at the NaUKMA Cafeteria

14:30 City tour and visit to St. Sophia Cathedral

17:30 Return to hotel

Free evening (suggestions for restaurants will be given)

Day 8 Kyiv

Breakfast in hotel

9:00 Transfer to NaUKMA by shuttle

9:30 **Lecture: Political System of Ukraine. Consolidation of Democracy: Presidential and Parliamentary Elections, 2004-2007. Orange Revolution** (Professor Andriy Meleshevych, Dean of the Faculty of Law / Law School)

11:00 Coffee break

11:30 **Lecture: Ukraine and the International Community** (Professor Andriy Meleshevych, Dean of the NaUKMA Faculty of Law / Law School)

13:15 Lunch in the Podil district of Kyiv

14:30 Visit to government office or NGO (to be confirmed later)

Eve Dinner on your own

19:00 Cultural event

Day 9 Kyiv

Breakfast in hotel

AM Free morning

12:30 Transfer to NaUKMA by shuttle

13:00 Lunch in the NaUKMA cafeteria

14:00 **Lecture: Transitional Economics: Historical Outline of 15 Years of Economic Changes in Ukraine** (presenter will be confirmed)

15:30 Coffee Break

16:00 **Lecture: Entrepreneurship Ukrainian-style: Who is Successful and Why? (Social Origins and Business Strategies of Ukraine's Start-up Business Owners)** (Professor Mychailo Wynnyckyj, Acting NaUKMA Vice President for Research)

18:00 Farewell Reception in the Podil district of Kyiv

20:30 Departure to the Hotel by shuttle

Day 10

Departure Day

Breakfast

Departure from Kyiv Boryspil (KBP)