



High-level conference

Securing the Modernisation of Ukraine

Tuesday 6 December 2016

Sofitel Hotel, Place Jourdan – 1040 Brussels

Programme

- 09:00 Registration and networking breakfast
- 09:30 Welcome by **Steven Blockmans**, Head of EU Foreign Policy at CEPS and **Olena Prystayko**, Executive Director, Ukrainian Think Tanks Liaison Office in Brussels
- 09:40 Introductory Remarks:
Adam Shub, Chargé d’Affaires, Mission of the United States to the EU
- 10:00 **Security**
Q&A and debate led by **Andrew Rettman**, Reporter, EU Observer
H.E. Thomas Mayr-Harting, Managing Director, EEAS
Oleksii Makeiev, Director-General, Policy and Communications Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Ukraine
- 11:00 Coffee/tea
- 11:30 **Reform Progress**
Moderator:
Olena Prystayko, Executive Director, Ukrainian Think Tanks Liaison Office in Brussels
Katarína Mathernová, Deputy Director-General, DG NEAR, European Commission
Oksana Kuziakiv, Executive Director, Institute for Economic Research and Policy Consulting, Kyiv
- 12:30 Final keynote address by **H.E. Mykola Tochytskyi**, Ambassador of Ukraine to EU
- 12:45 Shabo Wine Company presentation and reception hosted by the Mission of Ukraine to the EU
- 13:00 Lunch

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