

Preliminary programme (version 10-05-2016)

Third International Summer School
**Prospects for Democracy, Stability and Europeanization in Ukraine:
What Lessons from the Baltic Experience?**
*University of Tartu, Estonia
August 22-27, 2016*

Sunday, August 21: Arrival

Arrival by plane from Kyiv, pick-up at Tallinn airport and bus transfer to Tartu, accommodation and dinner

Monday, August 22: Democratization and Nation-Building in Divided Societies

9.30 -10.45 Opening of the summer school. Welcome by Dr Piret Ehin, Director of CEURUS. Rationale, objectives and organization of the school, introduction to the University and Estonia.
11.00 - 12.30 Lecture & discussion: "Comparative democratization in divided societies" (Prof Vello Pettai)
12.30 – 14.00 Lunch
14.00 – 15.30 Lecture & discussion: "Nation-building and societal integration: lessons from Estonia and Latvia" (Kristina Kallas)
15.45 – 17.30 Guided tour of Tartu and the University campus, including museums.
20. 00: Film screening: "Singing Revolution" (J. Tusty/ M. Tusty 2006)

Tuesday, August 23: European Integration

9:00 -10.30 Lecture "The Baltic experience from Soviet Union to European Union" (Dr Piret Ehin).
10.45 -- 12.15 Q&A session on the EU/European integration; group work (Dr Piret Ehin).
12.15 – 13.45 Lunch
13.45 – 15.30 Lecture "EU enlargement and the Eastern Partnership: state of play and lessons learned", followed by a discussion on Ukraine - EU relations (Ryhor Nizhnikau).
16.00 -19.00 Visit to AHHAA Science Center
20.00: Film screening: "In the Crosswind" (M. Helde 2014)

Wednesday, August 24: Economic development and innovation

9.00-10.30 Lecture & discussion "Global trends and future labor markets" (Prof Raul Eamets)
10.45-12.15 Lecture "Innovation and economic development" (Prof Urmas Varblane, TBC).
12.15 – 13.45 Lunch
13.45 – 14.30 E-state and e-governance in Estonia
14.30 – 15:30 E-voting in Estonia (Dr Mihkel Solvak)
16.00 Visit to Smart City Demo Centre in Tartu Town Hall

19:00 Event dedicated to the Ukrainian independence day

Thursday, August 25: Justice and Rule of Law / International relations and security

9:00-10.30 Lecture & discussion “Transitional Justice” (Dr Eva Clarita Pettai)

10.45-12.15 Lecture & discussion “Collective memory and identity conflicts in post-Soviet space“
(Dr Heiko Pääbo)

12.15 – 13.45 Lunch

13.45 – 15.15 Lecture & discussion “Dimensions and implications of the Russian crisis” (Prof Viacheslav Morozov)

15.30-17.00 Lecture & discussion “Ukraine as a Borderland: Old and New Political Boundaries in Europe” (Prof Andrey Makarychev)

20:00 Film screening: “Tangerines” (Z. Urushadze 2013; Academy Awards nominee for best foreign film 2015)

Friday, August 26: Study trip to Tallinn

8:00 - 10.30 Bus transfer to Tallinn

11.00-12.45 Visit to the Riigikogu (the Estonian Parliament)

12.45-14.15 Group lunch

14.15- 15.30 Meetings with politicians/senior government officials

15.30 – 17.00 Brief tour of Tallinn Old Town

17.00- 18.30 meeting with the Ambassador of Ukraine and the Ukrainian community of Estonia

19.00 Group dinner; accommodation in Tallinn

Saturday, August 27: Sightseeing and museum visits in Tallinn

Old Town, Kadriorg (Catherine’s Valley), Seaplane Harbour

Sunday, August 28: Departure

Morning: free time in Tallinn;

Departure (flight to Kyiv)