

# "BUILDING THE NEW CENTRAL EUROPE: VISEGRAD STATES AND GERMANY"

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10:00 - 10:15	Dr. Katarzyna Pisarska, Director, European Academy of Diplomacy, Poland
OFFICIAL OPENING	Michael Quaas, Konrad Adenauer Foundation in Poland
	Prof. <b>Grzegorz Janusz</b> , Dean of the Faculty of Political Studies, Maria Curie- Skłodowska University in Lublin (UMCS), Poland
	Prof. <b>Marek Pietraś</b> , Director of International Relations Department, Faculty of Political Science, UMCS, Poland
10:15 – 11:00 KEYNOTE SPEECH	Mr. <b>Roland Freudenstein</b> , Policy Director, Wilfried Martens Centre for European Studies (WMCES), Germany

## **COFFEE BREAK**

11:15 - 12:45	Germany & Visegrad: How do we find a common position on the
0 10	refugee crisis?
1 <sup>st</sup> PANEL	
	Mr. Manfred Huterer, Minister Plenipotentiary of the German Embassy in
	Poland
	Dr. Jakub Olchowski, Faculty of Political Studies, UMCS, Poland
	Mr. Frank Markovic, European Public Affairs, Slovakia
	Ms. Viola von Cramon-Taubadel, The Greens, Germany
	Moderator: Dr. <b>Katarzyna Pisarska</b> , European Academy of Diplomacy, Poland

### LUNCH

13:45 - 15:15	Maintaining Liberal Democracy: The Central-Eastern Europe Case
2 <sup>nd</sup> PANEL	Dr. <b>Beata Piskorska</b> , The John Paul II Catholic University in Lublin, Poland Mr. <b>Roland Freudenstein</b> , Policy Director, WMCES, Germany Mr. <b>Grzegorz Gromadzki</b> , Batory Foundation, Poland Mr. <b>Tomáš A. Nagy</b> , Associate Fellow, Central European Policy Institute, Slovakia
	Moderator: Prof. Marek Pietraś, Faculty of Political Studies, UMCS, Poland

#### **COFFE BREAK**

15:30- 17:00	Germany & Visegrad: Working towards Energy Independence
3rd PANEL	Dr. <b>Justyna Misiągiewicz,</b> Faculty of Political Studies, UMCS, Poland Dr. <b>Mariusz Ruszel</b> , Rzeszów University of Technology, Poland Ms. <b>Zuzanna Nowak</b> , The Polish Institute of International Affairs, Poland Mr. <b>Michal Vit</b> , Europeum, The Czech Republic
	Moderator: Mr. Maciej Kowalski, Casimir Pulaski Foundation, Poland/USA