

Global Forum: Issues and Challenges to Global Peace in the 21st Century

Friday, October 24, 2014

1:00 p.m.

Conflict and Transformation in the Post-Soviet World

Keynote Presentation by Adam Michnik, Polish Historian, Former Dissident, and Editor-in-Chief of Gazeta Wyborcza (Poland's largest newspaper).



2:30 p.m.

Crisis in Ukraine: A Panel Discussion with Leading Scholars on Post-Soviet Affairs

This segment will feature a moderated panel and audience discussion led by Stephen Batalden, Director, Melikian Center for Russian, Eurasian, and East European Studies, Arizona State University.

Panelists will include:

Adam Michnik
Mark Von Hagen
Albert Celozza
Linda Wetzel

4:00 p.m.

Closing

Panelists:

Stephen Batalden

ASU School of Historical, Philosophical & Religious Studies; Director, ASU Melikian Center: Russian, Eurasian & East European Studies.

Albert Celozza

Chair of Liberal Arts at Phoenix College and World Religions and Political Science faculty; Comparative and Global Politics faculty at ASU West.

Mark von Hagen

ASU School of Historical, Philosophical & Religious Studies and ASU School of Politics and Global Studies.

Adam Michnik

Polish historian, essayist, former dissident, public intellectual, and the editor-in-chief of Poland's largest newspaper Gazeta Wyborcza.

Linda Wetzel

Former manager and analyst for the Central Intelligence Agency, she is now an independent business consultant and Director of Executive Education for Country Risk Solutions.

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