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INTERNATIONAL  
YOUTH FORUM



Будущее евразийской и европейской  
интеграции: форсайт-2040

Future of Eurasian and European  
Integration: Foresight-2040

# INTERNATIONAL YOUTH FORUM Future of Eurasian and European Integration: Foresight – 2040

## PROGRAM

December 4 – 9, 2017

Venue: IIASA  
Herzog Albrecht Strasse 1  
Laxenburg, Austria

MONDAY, DECEMBER 4, 2017

## ARRIVAL OF PARTICIPANTS AND ACCOMMODATION

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- 8:00–8:30** Meeting of experts and participants from Russia in Vnukovo and Sheremetyevo airports
- 10:35–11:40** Flight of the delegation to Vienna
- 11:40–12:20** Luggage pick-up and passport control
- 12:20–13:00** **Transfer from Vienna Airport to the hotel and youth hostel in Vienna**
- 13:00–14:00** Accommodation of the participants in A & O Wien Stadthalle Youth Hostel (<http://ao-city-stadthalle-vienna.h-rez.com>)  
Accommodation of the experts in Arte Vienna Hotel (<http://www.artewien.at>)
- 13:00–14:00** **Lunch**
- 14:00–16:30** Sightseeing excursion through Vienna: Getting to know the city
- 16:30–17:00** Handing out printed materials of the Forum

## WORK PRIOR TO THE FORUM: STRATEGIC GAME - ROUND I

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### **17:00–18:00** **ORIENTATION SESSION “IMMERSION INTO THE TOPIC OF THE FORUM”**

Co-moderators: *Alexander Ageev*, Chairman, Organizing Committee of the Forum, Director General, Institute for Economic Strategies (INES) and International Research Institute for Advanced Systems (IRIAS), Professor, Member, European Academy of Natural Sciences, Doctor of Economics; *Irina Osokina*, author and Forum Project Developer, Director, International Program Center, INES, Ph. D.

*Acquaintance with the participants, introduction of the experts, trainers, youth foresight teams, goals and objectives of the Forum, rules of the Strategic Game. Team building within the framework of the following directions (2-3 teams for each direction):*

- *Economic Integration*
- *Security: Development of Stability and Peace*
- *Social and Cultural Integration / Soft Power*

**18:00–18:40** **Dinner**



## **18:40–19:20 BRAINSTORM SESSION “FORMATION OF PROJECT TRAJECTORIES”**

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Moderator: **Alexander Ageev**, Director General, INES and IRIAS

*Work with the teams on generating the project ideas*

## **19:20–20:00 Introductory lecture “Integration Field of Continent Eurasia. New Centers of Global Inventive Activities”**

Speaker: **Askar Akaev**, First President of the Kyrgyz Republic, Foreign Member, Russian Academy of Sciences, Member, National Academy of Sciences of the Kyrgyz Republic, Member, London Mathematical Society, Professor, Doctor of Technical Sciences.

## **20:00–20:40 Seminar-Workshop “Design Thinking – Glimpse into the Future of Eurasian and European Integration”**

Author of the course: **Dmitry Stefanovsky**, Senior Lecturer, System Analysis and Information Technology, Russian Presidential Academy of National Economy and Public Administration, Ph. D.

*Core terminology and concepts of Design Thinking and their applications for the development of socially significant technologies replacing the existing ones in the future.*

*Analysis and materialization of ideas suggested by the project teams*

*Definition of the needs and reference points of a user/consumer in 2040*

## **20:40–21:20 Introductory lecture-presentation “Project Financing at the Start: Possibilities, Chances and Prospects”**

Author of the course: **Marina Belousova**, Manager, Crowdfunding projects, Russian Agency of Information Society Development.

*The participants will be interactively provided with an overview of potential ways of project funding:*

- *grants, subsidies*
- *investments, borrowed funds*
- *sponsorship, crowdfunding*

## **21:20–22:00 ROLE PLAYING GAME “SELF-ORGANIZATION OF THE TEAMS AND GAME FIELD FORMING”**

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Co-moderators: **Alexander Ageev**, Director General, INES and IRIAS; **Irina Osokina**, Forum Project Developer, Director, International Program Center, INES, Ph. D.

*Working with the teams: strategy and tactics of the necessary actions for implementing the project ideas*

*Choosing the team leaders, “chroniclers” of the Forum, carrying out express-tests and selecting 3 moderators of the Youth Foresight Session among the young participants from Europe, CIS and Asia*

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 5, 2017

**7:00–8:00**     **Breakfast**

**8:00–8:45**     **Transfer to Laxenburg**

**9:00–11:00     FORUM OPENING. PANEL DISCUSSION “FUTURE OF  
EURASIAN AND EUROPEAN INTEGRATION”. PART I**

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Moderator: **Alexander Ageev**, Chairman, Organizing Committee of the Forum, Director General, Institute for Economic Strategies (INES) and International Research Institute for Advanced Systems (IRIAS), Professor, Member, European Academy of Natural Sciences, Doctor of Economics

**INTRODUCTION**

**Pavel Kabat**, Director General and CEO, IIASA, Professor, Doctor of Science:  
*“Welcome and about IIASA”*

**Elena Rovenskaya**, Program Director, Advanced Systems Analysis, IIASA, Ph. D.: **Presentation of IIASA's research project “Challenges and Opportunities of a Wider European and Eurasian Economic Space”**

**PANELISTS**

**Reinhard Krumm**, Head, Regional Office for Cooperation and Peace in Europe, Friedrich-Ebert-Stiftung, Doctor of Science

**Andrea Hofer**, Specialist, European Affairs and International Financial Organizations Division, Austrian National Bank

**11:00–11:20**     **Coffee-break**

**11:20–12:40     PANEL DISCUSSION “FUTURE OF EURASIAN  
AND EUROPEAN INTEGRATION”. PART II**

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Moderator: **Leena Ilmola-Sheppard**, Senior Research Scholar, Advanced Systems Analysis, IIASA, Ph.D.

**PANELISTS**

**Sergey Krylov**, Vice President, Siemens LLC in Russia, Deputy Minister of Foreign Affairs of Russia (1993 – 1996):

*“Continent Eurasia: Common Space for Stability and Peace”*

**Askar Akaev**, First President of the Kyrgyz Republic, Foreign Member, Russian Academy of Sciences, Member, National Academy of Sciences of the Kyrgyz Republic, Member, London Mathematical Society, Professor, Doctor of Technical Sciences: *“The Impact of China's OROB Initiative on the Geoeconomics of Greater Eurasia in the 2030's and 2040's”*



**Emmanuil Mkrtchyan,**  
General Director, "ArmInfo"  
News Agency and "East-West"  
Information Analysis Center ("Vostok-  
Zapad"): ***"Challenges and Opportunities  
of Integration in a Wider European and  
Eurasian Economic Space: Information Factor"***

*All participants of the Forum take part in the  
discussion: experts, young researchers and organizers.*

### **12:40–13:30 Lunch**

**12:40–13:30** Meeting of experts and organizing committee  
of the Forum with **Pavel Kabat**, Director General and CEO, IIASA

### **13:30–15:30 WORK OF THE YOUTH FORESIGHT TEAMS WITH EXPERTS**

#### **SECTION "ECONOMIC INTEGRATION" (GREEN ROOM)**

Moderators: **Askar Akaev** and **Anastasia Stepanova** (Project Manager,  
"Challenges and Opportunities of Economic Integration within a Wider  
European and Eurasian Space", Advanced System Analysis, IIASA, Ph. D.)

- *EU – EAEU common economic space. Integration of EU and EAEU  
with third countries: Serbia, Moldova, Georgia, Armenia, Ukraine;*
- *Finance, investment, capital flows, barriers and risks  
against the background of global competition;*
- *Trade, trade networks, tariff and non-tariff barriers, prospects  
for eliminating non-tariff barriers in trade policy;*
- *Industrial production, scientific and technical potential, technological cooperation;*
- *Transport, infrastructure for the movement of goods, services, labor;*
- *Energy industry, energy security, a new paradigm of energy consumption.*

#### **SECTION "SECURITY: DEVELOPMENT OF STABILITY AND PEACE" (CLUB ROOM)**

Moderators: **Sergey Krylov** and **Sergey Sizov**  
(Science Diplomacy Officer, IIASA)

- *Military and political aspects of security cooperation (potential  
cooperation of NATO and CSTO: common threats – common goals);*
- *Threats and challenges of uncontrolled mass migration;*
- *Prevention of crimes, terrorism, drug trafficking, human trafficking, etc.*
- *Information security and prevention of cybercrimes;*
- *Ensuring ecological stability in the Eurasian continent;*
- *Prevention of natural and antropogenic disasters.*

## SECTION “SOCIO-CULTURAL INTEGRATION, SOFT POWER” (STUEBERL ROOM)

Moderators: **Bermet Akayeva**, President, Institute for Central Asian Problems, Candidate of Political Science and **Irina Osokina**

- *European West and Asian East: civilizational differences and intercivilizational interactions;*
- *Integration of civilizational values and ethical values;*
- *Science, education, global competition for human capital assets;*
- *Information and communication space;*
- *Tourism – trends and significance in the future;*
- *Public diplomacy, cultural, youth, school, scientific exchanges.*

**15:30–15:50 Coffee-break**

## **16:00–19:00 STRATEGIC GAME - ROUND II, FORESIGHT SESSION: “MODELING THE FUTURE OF EURASIAN AND EUROPEAN INTEGRATION”**

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Moderators: 3 participants

- Participant from Europe
- Participant from the CIS
- Participant from Asia

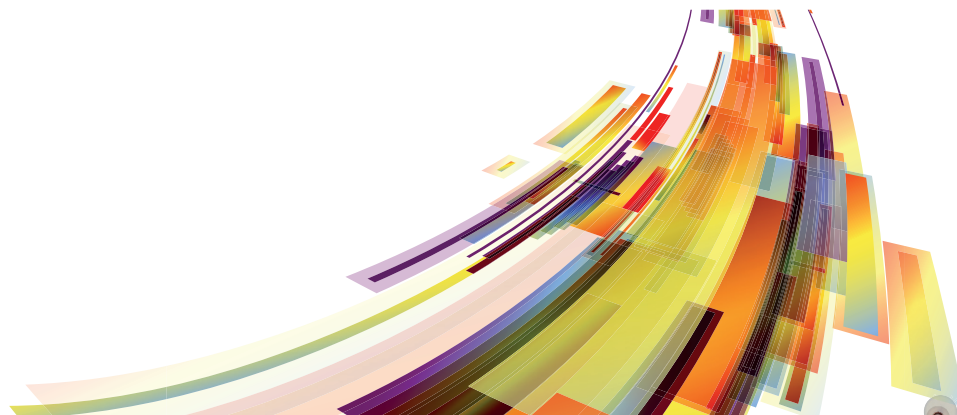
*Moderators of the Youth Foresight Session will be selected among the participants based on the results of the first day.*

*The projects of “Appeal to the Youth of 2040” prepared by the participants prior to the Forum can be used in the work of the Youth Foresight Session.*

*Experts participate in the Youth Foresight Session only as observers.*

Coordinators: **Alexander Ageev**, **Irina Osokina**, **Jurij Kofner**  
(Guest Research Assistant, Advanced Systems Analysis, IIASA; Head, Eurasian sector, Centre for Complex European and International Studies, National Research University “Higher School of Economics”)

**19:00–20:00 Dinner**



## **20:00–21:00 EXPERT EVALUATION OF THE YOUTH FORESIGHT SESSION “FUTURE OF EURASIAN AND EUROPEAN INTEGRATION” - FEEDBACK SESSION**

Co-moderators: **Alexander Ageev**, Chairman, Organizing Committee of the Forum, Director General, Institute for Economic Strategies (INES) and International Research Institute for Advanced Systems (IRIAS), Professor, Member, European Academy of Natural Sciences, Doctor of Economics; **Irina Osokina**, author and Forum Project Developer, Director, International Program Center, INES, Ph. D.

*Experts of IIASA and INES:*

- *question participants of the Youth Foresight Session;*
- *provide their comments and judgments;*
- *give their advice and recommendations.*

### **21:00–21:45 Transfer to the hostel**

**22:00–23:00** Informal socializing of participants in coffee-room or lobby of A & O Wien Stadthalle Hostel  
(<http://ao-city-stadthalle-vienna.h-rez.com/>)

## **WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 6, 2017**

**7:00–8:00 Breakfast**

**8:00–8:45 Transfer to Laxenburg**

## **9:00–10:30 ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSION “FUTURE OF INTEGRATION IN THE EURASIAN SPACE”**

Moderator: **Sergey Krylov**, Vice President, Siemens LLC in Russia, Deputy Minister of Foreign Affairs of Russia (1993 – 1996)

### **SPEAKERS**

**Askar Akaev**, First President of the Kyrgyz Republic, Foreign Member, Russian Academy of Sciences, Member, National Academy of Sciences of the Kyrgyz Republic, Member, London Mathematical Society, Professor, Doctor of Technical Sciences: ***“Enlargement and Strengthening of the SCO as a Way to a Solid Security System in the Greater Eurasia”***

**Peter Havlik**, Senior Economist, Vienna Institute for International Economic Studies, Guest Research Scholar, IIASA: ***“EU, EAEU and Great Eurasia: Integration or Competition of Integrations?”***

**Emmanuil Mkrtchyan**, General Director, “ArmInfo” News Agency and “East-West” Information Analysis Center (“Vostok-Zapad”):

**«Constructing a Common Information Space: We need Common Projects»**

**Leena Ilmola-Sheppard**, Senior Research Scholar,  
Advanced Systems Analysis, IIASA, Ph.D.: **“Digitalization  
of the Economy as a Factor of Global Integration”**

**Nadezhda Komendantova-Amann**, Research Scholar, Risk and Resilience,  
IIASA, Ph.D.: **“Impacts of Risks on Foreign Direct Investment in the Eurasian  
Region”**

**10:30–10:50 Coffee-break**

**11:00–12:00 PROJECT INTERACTIVE SESSION “β-VERSIONS OF  
PROJECT CONCEPTS WITH DUE CONSIDERATION  
OF GAINED KNOWLEDGE AND COMPETENCE”**

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Moderator: **Alexander Ageev**, Chairman, Organizing Committee of the  
Forum, Director General, Institute for Economic Strategies (INES) and  
International Research Institute for Advanced Systems (IRIAS), Professor,  
Member, European Academy of Natural Sciences, Doctor of Economics

*Brainstorming “Groundbreaking Project Strategy Selection Matrix  
within the Framework of European and Asian Integration Field”*

*Open debate*

**12:00–13:00 Lunch**

**13:00–14:00 Educational workshop “Effective Project Launch  
Technologies. Motivation for Sponsors and Backers”**

Author and master of the course: **Marina Belousova**, Manager,  
Crowdfunding projects, Russian Agency of Information Society Development.

- *The art of promotion of ideas and projects. Acquisition  
of sponsors and backers for project financing*
- *Non-standard marketing technologies used for attraction of  
investors, sponsors and backers for project financing*
- *Skills and competencies in the field of effective project launch*

**14:00–15:00 Master class “Design Thinking – Glimpse into  
the Future of Eurasian and European Integration”**

Author and master of the course: **Dmitry Stefanovsky**, Senior Lecturer,  
System Analysis and Information Technology, Russian Presidential  
Academy of National Economy and Public Administration, Ph. D.

*Participants will gain:*

- *knowledge and information in the field of design thinking*
- *skills and competencies for creation and materialization of their project*



ideas taking into account needs and interests of users/consumers in 2040

**15:00–15:20 Coffee-break**

**15:30–16:20 BRAINSTORMING “INNOVATIVE  
PROJECT STRATEGY CHOICE MATRIX  
WITHIN THE CONTEXT OF INTEGRATION  
FIELD OF EUROPE AND ASIA”**

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Moderator: **Alexander Ageev**, Chairman, Organizing Committee of the Forum, Director General, Institute for Economic Strategies (INES) and International Research Institute for Advanced Systems (IRIAS), Professor, Member, European Academy of Natural Sciences, Doctor of Economics

*Selection of the project objective and strategy. Generation and filtering of ideas. Role of innovations in the age of economic globalization. Situation analysis of the environment.*

*Assessment of the availability of internal resources:*

- *intellectual capital (ideas, technologies, etc.)*
- *human capital (persons to be engaged in project implementation)*
- *material and technical resources, financial and economic resources, etc.*

**16:20–18:00 INDIVIDUAL WORK OF THE YOUTH FORESIGHT TEAMS**

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Co-moderators: **Irina Osokina**, author and Forum Project Developer, Director, International Program Center, INES, Ph. D.; **Jurij Kofner**, Guest Research Assistant, Advanced Systems Analysis, IIASA; Head, Eurasian sector, Centre for Complex European and International Studies, National Research University “Higher School of Economics”

***Economic Integration:*** 3 teams (Green room)

***Security: Development of Stability and Peace:*** 3 teams (Club room)

***Social and Cultural Integration / Soft Power:*** 2 teams (Stürbel room)

- *Drafting of the report “Future of Eurasian and European Integration - 2040”*
- *Preparation of “Appeal to the Youth of 2040”*
- *Working on the team projects*

**18:00–19:00 Dinner**

## **19:00–20:00 PRESENTATION OF RESULTS BY THE TEAMS:**

### **β-VERSIONS OF THE PROJECTS**

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Co-moderators: *Alexander Ageev*, Chairman, Organizing Committee of the Forum, Director General, Institute for Economic Strategies (INES) and International Research Institute for Advanced Systems (IRIAS), Professor, Member, European Academy of Natural Sciences, Doctor of Economics; *Irina Osokina*, author and Forum Project Developer, Director, International Program Center, INES, Ph. D.

*Experts of IIASA and INES*

- *question the participants*
- *provide their comments and judgments*
- *give their advice and recommendations*

## **20:00–20:45 Transfer to the hostel**

**21:00–22:00** Individual work of the teams on their projects taking into account the advice and recommendations of the experts

**THURSDAY, DECEMBER 7, 2017**

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**7:00–8:00 Breakfast**

**8:00–8:45 Transfer to Laxenburg**

## **9:00–10:00 TEAMS' PRESENTATION OF γ-VERSIONS OF THEIR PROJECTS FOLLOWING THE RESULTS OF ROUND III OF THE STRATEGIC GAME**

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Co-moderators: *Alexander Ageev*, Chairman, Organizing Committee of the Forum, Director General, Institute for Economic Strategies (INES) and International Research Institute for Advanced Systems (IRIAS), Professor, Member, European Academy of Natural Sciences, Doctor of Economics; *Irina Osokina*, author and Forum Project Developer, Director, International Program Center, INES, Ph. D.

*Expert assessment of γ-versions of the projects in the field of forecasting the "Future of Eurasian and European Integration" presented by the teams.*

*Experts from IIASA and INES provide their judgments, remarks and recommendations about the youth foresight projects.*

**10:00–10:20 Coffee-break**



## 10:30–11:30 OPEN DEBATE

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Co-moderators: 1 participant from Europe, 1 participant from the CIS and 1 participant from Asia (to be selected from the participants based on the results of the third day)

*Discussion of:*

- the final draft document “Future of Eurasian and European Integration – 2040”
- the draft “Appeal to the Youth of 2040”
- the draft report “Future of Eurasian and European Integration – 2040”

*Final rehearsal of “Appeal to the Youth of 2040”*

## 11:30–12:30 INDIVIDUAL WORK OF THE YOUTH FORESIGHT TEAMS

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Co-moderators: **Irina Osokina**, author and Forum Project Developer, Director, International Program Center, INES, Ph. D, **Jurij Kofner**, Guest Research Assistant, Advanced Systems Analysis, Head, Eurasian sector, Centre for Complex European and International Studies, National Research University “Higher School of Economics”

**Economic Integration:** 3 teams (Green room)

**Security: Development of Stability and Peace:** 3 teams (Club room)

**Social and Cultural Integration / Soft Power:** 2 teams (Stürbel room)

- presentation of the project drafts and of the documents,

*prepared with the assistance of the experts*

- run-through of the presentations and rehearsal of the speeches of the teams
- rehearsing the “Appeal to the Youth of 2040” and of the burial of the time capsule.

## 12:30–13:30 Lunch

## 13:30–14:30 TIME CAPSULE EVENT WITH THE “APPEAL TO THE YOUTH OF 2040”

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Co-moderators: **Alexander Ageev**, Chairman, Organizing Committee of the Forum, Director General, Institute for Economic Strategies (INES) and International Research Institute for Advanced Systems (IRIAS), Professor, Member, European Academy of Natural Sciences, Doctor of Economics; **Elena Rovenskaya**, Program Director, Advanced Systems Analysis, International Institute for Applied Systems Analysis (IIASA), Ph. D.

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**14:30–17:00**

**CLOSING OF THE FORUM. FINAL SESSION  
“FUTURE OF A COMMON SPACE FROM  
LISBON TO VLADIVOSTOK - 2040”**

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***Presentation of the Forum results***

*Participants present the future of their countries in the overall framework of the Forum*

- *the teams present their projects*
- *discussion by the participants of the final document “Future of Eurasian and European Integration - 2040”, amendments and reading out of the final version*
- *concurrent work of experts as jury members*

***Announcement of the results of the expert jury***

- *announcement of three best team projects*
- *1 or 2 of the most active participants are selected to present the final document “Future of Eurasian and European Integration - 2040” at IIASA High-Level Session “Connectivity, Trade and Economic Cooperation within a Wider European and Eurasian Space” during the 24th OSCE Ministerial Council*
- *Awarding of participants, handing out certificates and diplomas*

***Closing ceremony***

- *Short remarks by experts and participants, photos*

**17:00–18:00 Transfer from Laxenburg to Vienna**

**18:00–20:00** Sightseeing tour “Bird’s Eye View of the Vienna Architecture from Kahlenberg”. During the bus tour the participants will be able to enjoy views of evening Vienna. Then, a view of evening Vienna can be enjoyed from the Kahlenberg mountain.

**20:00–22:00** **Gala dinner in the traditional Austrian Heuriger restaurant “Alter Bach-Hengl” ([www.bach-hengl.at](http://www.bach-hengl.at))**

**22:00–23:00 Transfer from the heuriger to the hostel**



FRIDAY, DECEMBER 8, 2017

**8:00–8:40**     **Breakfast**

**8:40–9:00**     Check-out and placing  
the luggage in the hostel luggage room

**9:00–10:00**   **Transfer to the Hofburg Palace**

**10:00–11:15** Accreditation of the participants

**11:15–12:45   IIASA HIGH-LEVEL SESSION “CONNECTIVITY,  
TRADE AND ECONOMIC COOPERATION WITHIN A  
WIDER EUROPEAN AND EURASIAN SPACE” DURING  
THE 24TH OSCE MINISTERIAL COUNCIL**

**INTRODUCTION**

*Pavel Kabat*, Director General and CEO, IIASA, Professor, Doctor of Science  
Ambassador *Florian Raunig*, Head, Task Force,  
Austrian OSCE Chairmanship 2017

**PANELISTS**

H. E. *Tatyana Valovaya*, Member of the Board (Minister) for Integration  
and Macroeconomics, Eurasian Economic Commission, Doctor of Science  
*Ignacio Garcia Bercero*, Director, DG Trade, European Commission  
*Felipe Jaramillo*, Senior Director for Macroeconomics, Trade and Investment,  
World Bank Group, Doctor of Science

*Erik Regter*, Member of the Board, Internalisation and Digitalisation, Rail  
Cargo Austria AG, Doctor of Science

*Winner*, Contest of the International Youth Forum “Future of Eurasian and  
European Integration: Foresight – 2040”

**13:00–13:30**

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**13:30–14:15** Transfer to the hostel to collect luggage

**14:30–15:00** Transfer to the A&T Holiday Hostel  
([www.athostel.com](http://www.athostel.com)) and check-in

**17:00–18:00** Visit to International Association “Peace through Culture  
– Europe”, meeting with their President *Wilhelm Augustat*

## DECEMBER 9, 2017

**9:00–10:30**   **Breakfast**

**10:30–11:00**   Check-out

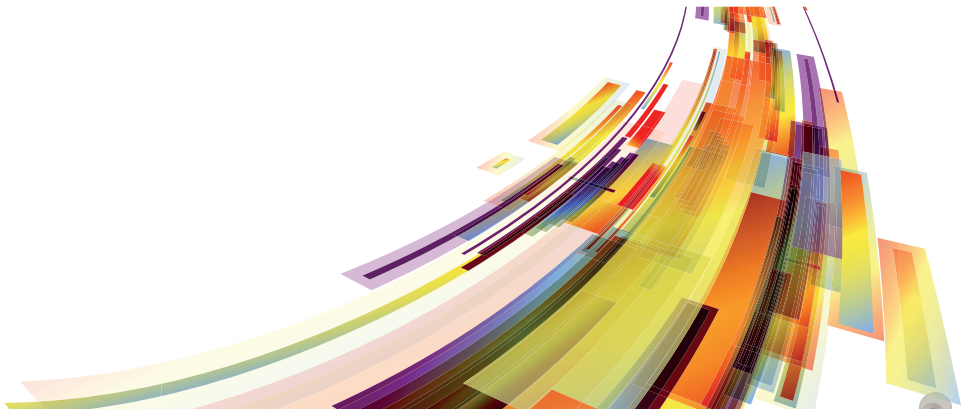
Placing the luggage in the hostel luggage room

**11:00–20:50**   Free time for participants from Moscow who leave  
Vienna with the night Aeroflot flight

**20:50–21:00**   Return to the hostel, luggage pick-up

**21:00–21:50**   **Transfer of the Moscow delegation who leave Vienna  
with the night Aeroflot flight to the airport**

**00:15–04:50**   **Flight to Moscow**



Organizer-initiator  
Организатор-инициатор



Co-organizer  
Со-организатор



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