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**The 3rd International Conference
of the Ludwig von Mises and Contemporary Societies Studies:**

LIBERALISM, POSTCOMMUNISM AND REFORMS.

Lviv, Ukraine, October 1-2, 2015.

Vul. Akad. Bohomoltsia 6,
Lviv, Center for Urban History of East Central Europe

Thursday October 1, 2015

9:00 to 10:00 – Participants' Registration

10:00 to 10:20 - Official Conference Opening

Greetings: **Prof. Volodymyr Zahorskyi**, Director of Lviv Institute of Public Administration, National Academy of Public Administration under the President of Ukraine; **Andreas Wenninger**, Austrian Embassy, Attaché for Science and Education, Head of OeAD Cooperation Office Lviv.

10.30 to 12.45 - First Session

Moderator: **Dr. Andriy Lipentsev**, Lviv Regional Institute of Public Administration (Lviv, Ukraine).

Prof. Antonina Kolodii, Lviv Regional Institute of Public Administration (Lviv, Ukraine). *Dilemmas of Constitutional Reform in Ukraine in the Context of Liberal Democratic Values.*

Prof. Sergii Teleshun, National Academy of Public Administration under the President of Ukraine (Kyiv, Ukraine). *Challenges and Threats in Transitional Societies: Current Ukrainian Realities.*

Prof. Olga Nosova, Kharkiv National University of Internal Affairs (Kharkiv, Ukraine). *Applying Liberal Ideas of Ludwig von Mises in Shaping the Institutional System in Ukraine*

Prof. Peter Boltuc, University of Illinois (Springfield, USA). *Positional Goods.*

12:45 to 14:15 - Lunch break

14:15 to 15:45 Second Session

Moderator: **Dr. Mykola Bunyk**, Lviv Regional Institute of Public Administration (Lviv, Ukraine).

Dr. William Edward Kline, Liberal Studies Program at the University of Illinois (Springfield, USA). *The Criminal Economy: Why Black Markets are not Free Markets.*

Prof. Borys Potyatynyk, Lviv National Ivan Franko University (Lviv, Ukraine). *Elite Press after the Financial Crisis of 2008: can Liberal Media be Poor?*

Prof. Myhailo Zarichnyi, Lviv National Ivan Franko University (Lviv, Ukraine). *Non-Additivity in Economics and Social Choice.*

15:45 to 16:00 Afternoon Break

16:00 to 17:45 - Third Session

Moderator: **Prof. Petro Petrovskyi**, Lviv Regional Institute of Public Administration (Lviv, Ukraine).

Dr. Svitlana Kononchuk, Ukrainian Center for Independent Political Research (Kyiv, Ukraine). *Liberal Concepts in the Ideological Positioning of Ukrainian Parties.*

Prof. Viktor Borshchevskyi, Institute of Regional Research n.a. M. I. Dolishnyi of the NAS Ukraine (Lviv, Ukraine). *The Ideology of Liberalism as a Means of Destroying the Group Market Anarchy in Ukraine: Economic and Military-Political Aspects.*

Prof. Yuriy Hubeni, Lviv National Agrarian University (Lviv, Ukraine). *Agrarian Reform of the Post-Socialist Type: Liberalism vs Paternalism.*

18:00 – Music Break

18:30 – Conference Dinner

Friday 2 October 2015

10:00 to 12:30 – Fourth Session

Moderator: Prof. Antonina Kolodii, Lviv Regional Institute of Public Administration (Lviv, Ukraine)

Dr. Matthew Brown, Academy on Capitalism and Limited Government (Springfield, USA) *Trends in Economic Freedom in Central and Eastern Europe After the Soviet Union.*

Prof. Petro Petrovskyi, Lviv Regional Institute of Public Administration (Lviv, Ukraine). *Institute of Private Property and Ukrainian Transformation Process.*

Dr. Andriy Lipentsev, Lviv Regional Institute of Public Administration (Lviv, Ukraine). *The concept of «metagovernance»: leadership and organizational culture.*

Dr. Olya Kotovska, Lviv Regional Institute of Public Administration (Lviv, Ukraine). *Delivery of Public Services: the Polish Experience of Local Governments and Community Associations Cooperation.*

Roland Fritz, Vienna University of Economics and Business (Vienna, Austria). *The Austrian View on the Influence of Cultural Factors on Economic Development.*

12:30 to 14:00 - Lunch break

14:00 Group photo on Mises' birthplace. Vul. Hnatiuka 13, Lviv

14:30 to 16:00 Fifth Session

Moderator: Dr. Iryna Kiyanka, Lviv Regional Institute of Public Administration (Lviv, Ukraine).

Prof. Yevhen Matviyishyn, Lviv Regional Institute of Public Administration (Lviv, Ukraine). *Development Peculiarities of Freelance Entrepreneurship in Ukraine.*

Dr. Ihor Karivets, National University "Lviv Polytechnic", (Lviv, Ukraine). *Liberal Individualism and Reforms.*

Rok Novak, University of Ljubljana (Slovenia). *Transitional Tigers: Policy Implications from the most Successful Transition Economies.*

16:00 to 16:15 Afternoon Break

16:15 to 18:00 - Sixth Session

Moderator: Prof. Yevhen Matviyishyn, Lviv Regional Institute of Public Administration (Lviv, Ukraine).

Dr. Petro Shevchuk, Lviv Regional Institute of Public Administration (Lviv, Ukraine),
Dr. Artur Shevchuk, Lviv Regional Directorate of PJSC "VTB BANK" (Lviv, Ukraine). *International Experience with Reforms in Times of Crisis.*

Dr. Vasyl Magas, Lviv National Ivan Franko University (Lviv, Ukraine). *The Ideological Basis for the Formation of Competitive Economy in Ukraine.*

Dr. Mykola Bunyk, Lviv Regional Institute of Public Administration (Lviv, Ukraine). *Ludwig von Mises on the Social Reforms in Galicia in the late XVIII - early XIX Century.*

18:00 to 20:00 – Discussion: “*Prospects of Liberalism in Contemporary Societies*” with the ESFL (European Students for Liberty) and students of Ukrainian universities.

Saturday 3 October 2015

10:00 to 12:30 – Seventh Session

Moderator: Dr. Petro Shevchuk, Lviv Regional Institute of Public Administration (Lviv, Ukraine).

Dr. Mykola Verbovyi, Lviv Regional Institute of Public Administration (Lviv, Ukraine). *Economic personalism of Ludwig von Mises.*

Dr. Iryna Kiyanka, Lviv Regional Institute of Public Administration (Lviv, Ukraine). *Populism in Post-Communist Countries of Central and Eastern Europe.*

Annette Godart-van der Kroon, Ludwig von Mises Institute-Europe (Brussels, Belgium). *The Consequences of Post Communism in Germany and its Implications for Liberalism.*

Dr. Oksana Huk, Lviv Regional Institute of Public Administration (Lviv, Ukraine). *Post-Communist Heritage and the Formation of Cultural Identity in Ukraine.*

Dr. Iryna Kolosovska, Lviv Regional Institute of Public Administration (Lviv, Ukraine). *Social Functions of the State: from Paternalism to Liberalism.*

12:30 - Historical and architectural sightseeing tour through Lviv's historical center (optional).

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