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## Program

### International Conference

### *“European Perspective for the Republic of Moldova”*

January, 19 - 22, 2004

Conference venue: DGB Bildungsstaette, Niederpoecking,  
at Lake Starnberg

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**MONDAY, JANUARY 19, 2004**

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Arrival of Participants

17:30 hrs: Registration

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**19:00 hrs: WELCOME AND INTRODUCTION**

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- **Gernot Erler**, MP, President of South East Europe Association, Berlin

Keynote Speeches:

- **Dr. Dieter Boden**, Ambassador, Permanent Representative of the Federal Republic of Germany to the OSCE, Vienna
- **Dr. Erhard Busek**, Special Co-ordinator of the Stability Pact for Southeast Europe, Brussels

**Reception**

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**TUESDAY, JANUARY 20, 2004**

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**PANEL I: MOLDOVA WITHIN WIDER EUROPE**

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**09:00 hrs: Part I:**

**Moderator: Gernot Erler, MP**

- **Peter Tempel**, Head of Cabinet of European Commissioner for Enlargement, Guenter Verheugen, EU Commission, Brussels
- **Nicolae Dudau**, Minister of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Moldova, Chisinau

Discussion

**10:30 hrs: Coffeebreak**

**11:00 hrs: Part II:**

**Moderator: Herbert Salber**, Head of Division EU External Relations, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Berlin

- **Elisabeth Schroedter**, MEP, Vice-Chairman, Delegation to the EU-Ukraine and the EU-Moldova Parliamentary Cooperation Committees and Delegation for the Relations with Belarus, Berlin
- **Dumitru Braghis**, MP, Co-chairman, of the Parliamentary Party “Alianta Moldova Noastra”, former Prime Minister of the Republic of Moldova, Chisinau

Discussion

**12:30 hrs: Luncheon**

### **14:00 hrs: Part III**

**Moderator: Rolf Schuette**, Head of Division for Russia, Ukraine, Belarus and Moldova, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Berlin

- **Dr. Dov Lynch**, European Union Institute for Security Studies, Paris
- **Dr. Beata Kolecka**, Deputy Director, European Union Department, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Warsaw

Discussion

### **15:30 hrs: Coffeekbreak**

### **16:00 hrs:**

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### **PANEL II: THE IMPACT OF THE TRANSDNIESTRIAN CONFLICT ON THE EUROPEAN PERSPECTIVE OF THE REPUBLIC OF MOLDOVA**

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- **Prof. Dr. Ronald Hill**, Department of Political Science, Trinity College, Dublin
- **Dr. Arcadie Barbarosie**, Director, Institute for Public Policy, Chisinau
- **William H. Hill**, Ambassador, Head of the OSCE Mission in Moldova, Chisinau
- **Kees van Rij**, Council of the European Union, Policy Unit, General Secretariat, Brussels

#### **Moderators:**

**Ivan Koedjikov**, Council of Europe, Head Division at the Directorate General for Political Affairs, Directorate for Political advice and Cooperation, Strassbourg

**Dr. Nicholas Whyte**, Director Europe Program, International Crisis Group, Brussels

### **20:00 hrs: Dinner**

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### **WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 21, 2004**

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10:00 – 12:30: **Working Groups:**

14:00 – 17:00: **Continuation of the Working Groups**

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### **I. EUROPEAN STRATEGIES AND INSTRUMENTS**

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#### **Moderators:**

- **Dr. Wim van Meurs**, Centre for Applied Policy, Munich
- **Iurie Leanca**, Ambassador, Vice Director of the Political Studies and International Relations, former First Deputy Minister of Foreign Affairs, Chisinau
- **Bjoern Kuehne**, Political Advisor, Cabinet of the Special Co-ordinator of the Stability Pact for Southeast Europe, Brussels
- **Oleg Ungureanu**, Head of OSCE Office Pristina, former Chief of the Dept. for European Integration with the Foreign Ministry in Moldova

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## II. ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL POLICIES

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### Moderators:

- **Dr. Franz-Lothar Altmann**, German Institute for International Politics and Security (SWP), Berlin
- **Alexander Munteanu**, Director / Investment Manager of Western NIS Enterprise Fund in Moldova, Chisinau
- **Franz Kaps**, The World Bank, Senior Partnership Advisor for Europe and Central Asia Budapest
- **Ion Sturza**, General Director of Rom-Petrol, President of the Association for Foreign Politics, former Prime Minister, Chisinau

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## III. SECURITY: HARD AND SOFT SECURITY

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### Moderators:

- **Dr. Claus Neukirch**, OSCE Mission in Moldova, Chisinau
- **Nicolae Chirtoaca**, Director of the European Institute for Political Studies, Chisinau
- **Wim van Eekelen**, Member of the Dutch Senate, Member of the Dutch delegation to the WEU and NATO, former Dutch Minister of Defence, The Hague
- **Dr. Oleg Serebrian**, President, European Movement from Moldova, President of Social –Liberal Party, Chisinau

**20:00 hrs: Dinner**

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**THURSDAY, JANUARY 22, 2004**

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Departure of Participants

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**Conference language: English**

### **Conference Committee:**

- **Dr. Hansjoerg Brey**, Executive Director, Southeast Europe Association, Munich
- **Dr. Johanna Deimel**, Deputy Director, Southeast Europe Association, Munich

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