

THE STRUGGLE FOR UKRAINE: PROGRESS POST-EUROMAIDAN AND CHALLENGES IN 2019

5 DECEMBER 2018
14:00 - 17:45

NUOVO CIRCOLO DEGLI SCACCHI, PALAZZO RONDININI
VIA DEL CORSO, 518 - ROME

PROGRAMME

- 14:00** Registration
- 14:30** **Welcome and Introduction**
NATHALIE TOCCI
Director, Istituto Affari Internazionali
- Chair:**
NONA MIKHELIDZE
Head of the Eastern Europe and Eurasia Programme, Istituto Affari Internazionali
- 14:40** **Session 1: Facing External Threats - Security and Conflict in the East**
Update on the state of conflict in Donbas and impact of the annexation of Crimea; What are the prospects for Ukraine's internal security and will the West continue to provide critical support to Ukraine? What are the goals and objectives of Russian leadership in Ukraine? Are there alternatives to the Minsk Protocols?
- Speakers:**
FABRIZIO DI MICHELE, Italian Ministry of Foreign Affairs
ROBERT BRINKLEY, CMG, Chairman, Steering Committee, Ukraine Forum, Chatham House
- 16:00** Coffee break
- 16:15** **Session 2: Ukraine's Domestic Challenges and Process of Reform**
Which structural reform are key for Ukraine's prosperity and resilience? What has been achieved to date? What is the likelihood for sustainable economic and political reforms in the upcoming electoral year? Which internal and external factors will influence electoral results?
- Speakers:**
ORYSIA LUTSEVYCH, Research Fellow, Manager, Ukraine Forum, Chatham House
INNA BORZILO, Executive Director, Centre UA, Kyiv
- 17:45** End of conference