





International Conference

The Russia Factor and Security in Central and Eastern Europe

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Bartosz Jóźwik, Ph.D., The John Paul II Catholic University of Lublin, Poland Real economic convergence of the Central and Eastern European EU Member States

Andrzej Szabaciuk, Ph.D., The John Paul II Catholic University of Lublin, Poland Russian propaganda in Western Europe: a Threat to European Security?

Gintaras Aleknonis, Prof., Director of Institute of Comunication, Mykolas Romeris University *Propaganda, Counterpropaganda and Media Experience*

Ramūnas Trimakas, Assoc. Prof., Institute of Political Sciences, Mykolas Romeris University *A Palimpsest of Russian Imperialism: Rewriting History of Central and Eastern Europe*

Jakub Olchowski, Ph.D., Maria Curie-Sklodowska University, Poland *Central and Eastern Europe – a Russian playground.*

Tomasz Stępniewski, Ph.D. Habil., The John Paul II Catholic University of Lublin, Poland *The Geopolitical Roots and Security Issues of the Ukrainian Crisis*

Aleksandra Kuczyńska-Zonik, Ph.D., Institute of East-Central Europe, Lublin, Poland *Russia and Russian-speakers in the Baltic states*

Linas Kojala, Director of Institute of Eastern European Studies Centre, Mykolas Romeris University *Vulnerability of Baltic States to Russian pressure*