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Call for Applications

Autumn School "Good Governance through Civil Society Engagement"

October 19-23, 2015 in Lviv

European College of University of Tartu and Faculty of International Relations of Ivan Franko National University of Lviv are jointly organizing an Autumn School "Good Governance through Civil Society Engagement" in Lviv, Ukraine.

The aim for the Autumn School is to open a discussion about the concept of "good governance" and how it could be seen in the context of the contemporary Ukraine. During these five days, the recent developments of Estonia and Ukraine are under observation: What are the similarities and differences of these two countries? What are the fruits of the transition period for Estonia and Ukraine? How can Estonia be as an example for Ukraine? What could be the alternative examples? In addition, the Autumn School touches upon the different ways civil society contributes to the development of a country, for instance, private and social entrepreneurship, the cooperation between NGO-s and private sector, youth work and cultural activities. Lectures also involve a very practical side of e-governance and how it affects the transparency of governmental institutions. During the Autumn School participants will work in groups in order to compose an innovative project that will be presented on the last day of the event.

The Autumn School is open to Ukrainian students from different backgrounds, who have completed at least 2 years of university education and to young professionals holding a BA degree.

The language of instruction is English.

The Autumn School grants 6 ECTS.

Participation is free of charge.

Deadline for applications: October 8, 2015

Application procedure: Please send your motivation letter and CV to project coordinator: Laura Roop (laura.roop@ut.ee) by indicated deadline. Applicants will be notified of the outcomes by October 12th via e-mail.

The autumn school is organized within the framework of Estonian MFA Development Cooperation funded project "": Good Governance through Civil Society Engagement in Ukraine."



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Programme

19.10.2015 - European Principles and Standards of Public Administration: Transparency, Accountability and Efficiency

10:00-10:30 - Opening of the Autumn School. Welcoming words.

10:30-11:45 - Estonian Reform Experience in EU Accession Process: Political Reforms and Socio-Economic Transformation (Prof. Andrey Makarychev)

11:45-13:00 - Good Governance in Ukraine: The Current Situation and Future Scenarios (Prof. Nataliya Antonyuk, Dr. Marianna Gladyshev)

13:00-14:00 - Lunch

14:00-15:15 - Anti-corruption Policies and Rule of Law (Dr. Petro Baykovskyy)

15:30-17:00 - Discussion: Rethinking good governance and nation building (Prof. Andrey Makarychev, Hector Pagan)

19:00 - Reception

20.10.2015 - Good Governance as a Key to Economic Development and Innovation

10:00-11:15 - Innovation/entrepreneurial policies and economic development in Estonia: principles, institutions, resources (Veiko Sepp)

11:30-12:45 - Applied research in policy making (Veiko Sepp)

13:00-14:00 - Lunch

14:00-15:15 - Citizen Actions: the Cooperation between NGO-s and Private Sector (Hector Pagan)

15:30-17:00 - Meeting with local enterprises and NGO-s (Hector Pagan)

21.10.2015 - E-Governance as Facilitator of Good Governance: Inclusive, Effective, Transparent

10:00-11:15 - Access to Information as Key for Transparency (Hector Pagan)

11:30-12:45 - E-Estonia: Principles and Framework of Estonian E-services (Ats Albre)

13:00-14:00 - Lunch

14:00-15:15 - E-services in Estonia: Enhancement of Entrepreneurship, Education, Medical Care (Ats Albre)

15:30-17:00 - Discussion: E-readiness in Ukraine (Ats Albre, Hector Pagan)

22.10.2015 - Importance of Education, Youth Work and Culture in Communicating Good Governance to Society

10:00-11:15 - Education and Social Change: Teaching Values and Responsibility (Dr. Oksana Krayevska)

11:30-12:45 - Active Youth = Active Citizens (Olga Bogdanova)

13:00-14:00 - Lunch

14:00-15:15 - Enhancing Minority Involvement through Cultural Activities (Dr. Ihor Zinko)

15:30-17:00 - Discussion: What is Global Education and "Good Citizen" (Olga Bogdanova)



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23.10.2015 - Creative Thinking and Innovation

10:00-12:00 - Group Work and Project presentations "Creative Thinking and Innovation". Students will outline an innovative project based on the lectures (Hector Pagan, Veiko Sepp, Olga Bogdanova)

12:00-13:00 - Conclusion and Farewell

Teaching staff: Prof. Andrey Makarychev, Prof. Nataliya Antonyuk, Dr. Marianna Gladyshevskaya, Dr. Oksana Krayevska, Dr. Ihor Zinko, Dr. Petro Baykovskyy, Olga Bogdanova, Hector Pagan, Ats Albre (Nortal), Veiko Sepp