



**International Conference :  
“Create Europe in Diversity”  
June 17 – 19, Riga, Latvia 2016**

**S C H E D U L E**

**June 17**

**Morning till noon - arrival (*check – in* time starts at 14.00)**

**16.00 – 18.00 Opening at Riga’s Goethe-Institut (Torņa st. 1)**

**Welcoming words** by Arne Schneider, Director of Riga’s Goethe Institut

**Welcoming and opening words** by Anita Jonasta, chairman of German Language Teachers' Association, Valdis Klisans, chairman of History Teachers' Association of Latvia

**“Create Europe in Diversity”** *introduction of the project and the Filmquiz*, Martina Michalski, project coordinator of Bürger Europas e.V.

**19.00** Dinner ar hotel “Tia” (Kr. Valdemara st. 63)

**June 18**

Conference will take place at the conference hall in the hotel “Tia” (Kr. Valdemāra iela 63)

**9.00 – 9.10 Introduction** (*mg. hist. mg. paed. Ansis Nudiens*)

**9.10 – 10.30 Lecture “Challenges for the European Union in conditions of diversity: the real and controversial”, asoc. prof., Dr. sc. pol. Toms Rostoks, University of Latvia**

**10.30 – 10.50 Coffee break**

**10.50 – 12.00**

Gr.1 Workshop “Teaching about Europe without dividing lines” (*Assist. Prof. Bistra Stoimenova, Sofia University St. Kliment Ohridski*)

Gr.2 The good praxis examples “Youth participation in important processes for Latvia and Europe” (*representatives from GLEN Latvia, conversation will be conducted by mg. hist., mg. paed. Ansis Nudiens*)

**12.00 – 13.30 lunch at hotel “Tia”**

**13.30 – 15.00** Lecture “The new educational paradigm in Latvia and in Europe as the EU's common identity tool” (*dr.hist. Guntars Catlaks*)

**15.00 – 15.30** Coffee break

**15.30 – 17.00** Meeting with makers of the documentary film "Master plan", discussion “**Can authoritarianism be the model for the future of the Europe?**” (*Inga Sprīnģe. Discussion will be conducted by Dr. paed., mg.hist. Vilnis Purēns*)

**17.10 – 18.10**

Gr.1 Workshop “**Roma (Gypsy) genocide in German occupied Latvia during World War II**”, (*mg. hist. Aigars Urtāns*)

Gr.2 Workshop ”**The stability of the EU and its future. Latvia in the European Union**”, (*Aina Lukašūnas*)

**20.00** - Dinner at restaurant "**Pie Kristapa kunga**" (Baznīcas st. 27/29, Riga)

## June 19

**9.00 – 10.30** Conclusions, feedback and certificates (*mg. paed. Edgars Bērziņš*)

**10.50– 12.30“ Meeting with the History”**

Excursion to **Misins library** (Rūpniecības st. 10, Rīga),

**13.00.** - Departure of the participants



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