



PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION IN UKRAINE: ASSESSING THE STATE OF AFFAIRS, ACHIEVEMENTS AND CHALLENGES

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AGENDA

09:30-10:00 Registration and welcome coffee

Moderator:

- **Mr Kostiantyn VASHCHENKO**, Head of the National Agency of Ukraine on Civil Service

10:00-10:20 Welcoming of the participants and introductory speeches

- **Mr Volodymyr GROYSMAN**, Prime-Minister of Ukraine
- **Mr Johannes HAHN**, EU Commissioner, European Neighbourhood Policy & Enlargement Negotiations
- **Mr Hugues MINGARELLI**, EU Ambassador to Ukraine, Head of the EU Delegation to Ukraine

10:20-11:30 Keynote speech: Implementing Public Administration Reform in Ukraine: Achievements and challenges

- **Mr Oleksandr SAIENKO**, Minister of the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine

Keynote speech: EU Support to Public Administration Reform in Ukraine

- **Mr Peter WAGNER**, Head of the Support Group for Ukraine

Public Administration Reform in Ukraine: Perspective of the Verkhovna Rada of Ukraine

- **Mr Serhii VLASENKO**, People's Deputy of Ukraine, Chairperson of the Verkhovna Rada of Ukraine Committee on State Building, Regional Policy and Local Self-Government

Public Administration Reform in Ukraine: Perspective of the Civil Society

- **Mr Valeriy PEKAR**, Co-founder of the Civil Platform Nova Kraina

11:30-11:45 Coffee break

Moderator:

- **Mr Anton YASHCHENKO**, Executive Director of the Office of Reforms of the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine

11:45-12:45 Achievements and Challenges: Administrative Services

- **Mr Maxim NEFYODOV**, First Deputy Minister, Ministry of Economic Development and Trade of Ukraine

Achievements and Challenges: Civil Service Reform, in Particular Recruitments

- **Mr Kostiantyn VASHCHENKO**, Head of the National Agency of Ukraine on Civil Service

Achievements and Challenges: Reform of Ten Pilot Ministries

- **Ms Tetiana KOVTUN**, Deputy State Secretary of the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine

12:45-13:20 Presentation of the Principles of Public Administration and Key Messages about the Forthcoming Assessment

- **Ms Karen HILL**, Head of SIGMA Programme

Importance of SIGMA Assessments in the Planning of EC activities

- **Mr Bernard BRUNET**, Head of A3 Unit in Directorate-General for Neighbourhood and Enlargement Negotiations (DG NEAR)

13:20-13:30 Conclusions and summing up

- **Mr Oleksandr SAIENKO**, Minister of the Cabinet of Ministers of Ukraine

13:30-15:00 Buffet lunch