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German-Polish-Ukrainian Seminar

**Human Dignity is Inviolable but What do We Understand under
“Dignity,” “Human Being” and “Human Dignity”?**

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Development of Cooperation with Civil Society in the Eastern Partnership Countries and Russia

Host institution: Taras Shevchenko National University of Kyiv, 60, Volodymyrska Street, Kyiv, room 204

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The German-Ukrainian Jurisprudential Dialogue NGO along with German Law Center and Polish Law Center at Taras Shevchenko National University of Kyiv invite you to participate in German-Polish-Ukrainian seminar ***Human Dignity in Law of Germany, Poland and Ukraine***, which will take place on October 10-11, 2016 at Taras Shevchenko National University of Kyiv. The seminar aims at scholars, professors, lawyers, representatives of non-governmental organizations, police and mass media.

During 2 day seminar participants will become familiar with theoretical and practical aspects of human dignity protection and deal with the following issues:

- history and theory of legal protection of human dignity in Poland, Germany and Ukraine as well as development of the idea of human dignity in Ukraine;
- legal protection of human dignity in Poland;
- legal protection of human dignity in Germany in terms of social law and tax law;
- attention to human dignity in the sphere of police and mass media etc.

*Moderators: **Prof. Roman MELNYK**, professor of administrative law department at the Law Faculty of Taras Shevchenko National University of Kyiv, Head of German Law Center*

***Prof. Olena SHABLII**, authorized person for development of German-Ukrainian academic cooperation of Taras Shevchenko National University of Kyiv, the President of German-Ukrainian Jurisprudential Dialogue NGO*

***Dr. Bernhard SCHLOER**, long-term DAAD associate professor at the Law Faculty of Taras Shevchenko National University of Kyiv, board member of German-Ukrainian Jurisprudential Dialogue NGO*

***Dr. Olesia RADYSHEVSKA**, Head of Polish Law Center at the Law Faculty of Taras Shevchenko National University of Kyiv*

Languages: German – Polish – Ukrainian (simultaneous translation)

P R O G R A M

Day 1 (10.10.2016)

HISTORY AND THEORY OF HUMAN DIGNITY PROTECTION IN THE LAW OF GERMANY, POLAND AND UKRAINE

9.00 – 9.30

Registration

9.30 – 10.00

Opening and welcome speeches

Jens KRAUS-MASSÉ, Head of Legal and Consular Division, Embassy of Germany in Kyiv

Rafał WOLSKI, chargé d'affaires, Embassy of Poland in Ukraine

Prof. Petro BEKH, pro-rector on international relations of Taras Shevchenko National University of Kyiv

Prof. Olesia OTRADNOVA, vice-dean of the Law Faculty on international relations

10.00 – 10.30

Human Dignity in Ukraine: Current Analysis

Dr. Elina SHYSHKINA, USAID RADA Program Ukraine

10.30 – 10.40

discussion

10.40 – 12.40

Human Dignity in Polish Constitutional Law

Prof. Mirosław SADOWSKI, Wydział Prawa, Administracji i Ekonomii Uniwersytetu Wrocławskiego, Poland

12.40 – 13.40

Human Dignity and the Police

Prof. Jarosław DOBKOWSKI, Wydział Prawa i Administracji, Uniwersytet Warmińsko-Mazurski w Olsztynie, Poland

13.40 – 13.50

discussion

14.00 – 15.00

LUNCH

15.00 – 15.45

Human Dignity in Germany in Terms of Social Law and Tax Law

Prof. em. Dr. Moris LEHNER, Munich

15.45 – 16.10

discussion

16.10 – 16.30	Human Dignity in Ukrainian Court Practice
	Dr. Viktor SHYSHKIN , former judge of the Constitutional Court of Ukraine
16.30 – 16.50	<i>discussion</i>
17.00	<i>End of the first day</i>
17.30	WELCOME PARTY FOR THE PARTICIPANTS OF THE SEMINAR

Day 2 (11.10.2016)

HUMAN DIGNITY IN PRACTICE

10.00 – 11.00	Cases 1 and 2 (Poland)
	Presentation: Prof. Mirosław SADOWSKI and Prof. Jarosław DOBKOWSKI
11.00 – 11.30	discussion
11:30 – 11:50	COFFEE BREAK
12.00 – 13.00	Cases 3 and 4 (Germany)
	Presentation: Prof. em. Dr. Moris LEHNER and Dr. SCHLOER
13.30 – 13.50	discussion
14.00 – 15.00	LUNCH
15.00 – 16.00	Cases 5 and 6 (Ukraine)
	Presentation: Prof. Roman MELNYK and Dr. Viktor SHYSHKIN
16.00 – 16.20	final discussion
16.30	DELIVERY OF CERTIFICATES TO THE PARTICIPANTS OF THE SEMINAR
17.00	tour in the city centre
19.00	DINNER