

The Centre of Global Studies, Institute of Philosophy of the Czech Academy of Sciences,
cordially invites you to the international conference

RUSSIA-US RELATIONS IN A NEW ERA: CONFLICT, COMPETITION OR COOPERATION?

Date: October 26, 2021

Time: 10 a.m. (CET)

Venue: Vila Lanna (V Sadech 1, 160 00 Prague 6) and online

PROGRAMME

1ST BLOCK

MANAGING CONFRONTATION

- 10.00–10.15 **Introduction**
Emil Voráček | Institute of History, Czech Academy of Sciences
- 10.15–11.00 **Keynote Speech – Manageable Confrontation: US-Russia Relations during the Time of the Biden Administration**
Dmitry Suslov | Centre for Comprehensive European and International Studies, Higher School of Economics
- 11.00–11.30 **Impacts of National Security Narratives on the US–Russia Relations in the Context of COVID-19 Pandemic**
Lev Sokolshchik | Centre for Comprehensive European and International Studies, Higher School of Economics
- 11.30–12.00 Discussion
- 12.00–13.00 *Lunch break*

2ND BLOCK

A DISPUTING QUADRILATERAL: RUSSIA, CHINA, THE USA, THE EU

- 13.00–13.30 **A Disputing Quadrilateral: The Focus on the USA & EU**
Marek Hrubec | Centre of Global Studies, Czech Academy of Sciences
- 13.30–14.00 **A Disputing Quadrilateral: The Focus on Russia**
Pavel Zemánek | Institute of World History, Charles University
- 14.00–14.15 Discussion
- 14.15–14.30 *Coffee break*

3RD BLOCK

RUSSIA-US TENSIONS

- 14.30–15.00 **Ukrainian Crisis Revisited: What Should (Central) Europe Learn from It?**
Veronika Sušová-Salminen | Centre of Global Studies, Czech Academy of Sciences
- 15.00–15.30 **From Obama to Trump: US-Russian Relations and the Patterns of the Continuity and Change**
Vít Klepárník | Masaryk Institute of Advanced Studies, Czech Technical University in Prague
- 15:30 – 16:00 **The United States and Russia in Central Asia**
Lea Melniková | Department of International Business, Metropolitan University Prague
- 16.00–16.30 Discussion
- 16.30–16.45 *Coffee break*

4TH BLOCK

TOWARDS A NEW PERIOD OF TIME

- 16.45–17.30 **Keynote Speech – Global Power Transition and the Crisis Learning in US-Russia Relations**
Andrei Tsygankov | Department of International Relations, San Francisco State University
- 17.30–18.00 Discussion
- 18.00 Conclusion