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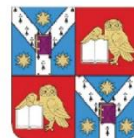
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DEMOCRATIZATION**

6th EDITION
IASI, DECEMBER 7, 2018

PROGRAM



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09:00-10:00 Registration

*The entrance of Senate Hall, "Alexandru Ioan Cuza" University of Iași, Main Building"A",
(Bdul. Carol I nr. 11)*

**10:00-10:30 – The official opening of the International Conference "International
Development and Democratization"**

*"Mihai Eminescu Aula", "Alexandru Ioan Cuza" University of Iași, Main Building"A", (Bdul.
Carol I nr. 11)*

Guests:

HE Hans G. KLEMM, United States of America Ambassador in Romania

Professor PhD, Mihaela ONOFREI, Rector "Ad Interim", Prorector for Student Activities and Partnerships with the Economic and Public Sectors, "Alexandru Ioan Cuza" University of Iași

Researcher & Associate Lecturer PhD, Alexandru MURARU, Chairman of the Scientific Committee & Project Coordinator of the International Conference, Research Department, Faculty of Philosophy and Social-Political Sciences, "Alexandru Ioan Cuza" University of Iași

Professor PhD, George POEDE, Founder of the Scientific Concept & Conference Project, Department of Political Science, International Relations and European Studies, Faculty of Philosophy and Social-Political Sciences, "Alexandru Ioan Cuza" University of Iași

Professor PhD, Conțiu Tiberiu ȘOITU, Dean, Faculty of Philosophy and Social-Political Sciences, "Alexandru Ioan Cuza" University of Iași

Professor PhD, Virgil STOICA, Director, Department of Political Science, International Relations and European Studies, Faculty of Philosophy and Social-Political Sciences, "Alexandru Ioan Cuza" University of Iași



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10:30-11:45 – The Inaugural Lecture *(followed by Q&A Session)*

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By: ***Distinguished Guest Speaker***

H.E. Hans G. KLEMM

United States of America Ambassador in Romania

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United States Foreign Service (since 1981)

Stanford University, MA in International Development Politics

Indiana University (Bloomington), BA in History & Economy



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11:45-12:20 Coffee Break

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Presentations Sessions (in parallel)

**12:20-14:00- Panel I – Political Evolutions in Republic of Moldova:
Democratization and Development**

Chair: Professor PhD George POEDE (Political Science, International Relations and
European Studies Department, "Alexandru Ioan Cuza" University of Iași)

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12:20-12:40 Rodica RUSU (Associate Professor, Department of Political Science and
International Relations, Public Administration Academy, Chisinau,
Republic of Moldova), *An Analysis of Diaspora Potential in the Context of
Republic of Moldova's Democratization*

12:40-13:00 Mariana IAȚCO (Lecturer PhD) & **Diana LUPAN** (Student) (Faculty of
International Relations, Political and Administrative Sciences, Moldova
State University, Chisinau, Republic of Moldova), *Democratization and
Development of Republic of Moldova - the Contribution of Civil Society*

13:00-13:20 Natalia PUTINĂ (Lecturer PhD) & **Mihaela BORCOI** (Student) (Faculty of
International Relations, Political and Administrative Sciences, Moldova



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State University, Chisinau, Republic of Moldova), *Youth Policies in Republic of Moldova: a Progressive Evaluation*

13:20-13:40 Ionela RADU (Student in Sociology) & **Teodor MIHĂILĂ** (MA Student in Community Security and Violence Control) (Faculty of Philosophy and Political Social-Political Sciences, "Alexandru Ioan Cuza" University of Iași), *Unification or Reunification? Identity Reflections in the Republic of Moldova*

13:40-14:00 Natalia PUTINĂ (Lecturer PhD) & **Victor SOLOMON** (Student) (Faculty of International Relations, Political and Administrative Sciences, Moldova State University, Chisinau, Republic of Moldova), *Representation and Political Rights of National Minorities in Republic of Moldova*

12:20-14:00- Panel II– Democratization, Political Parties and Values. Case Studies from Romania and Republic of Moldova

Chair: Lecturer PhD Silviu-Petru GRECU (Political Science, International Relations and European Studies Department, "Alexandru Ioan Cuza" University of Iași),
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12:20-12:40 Ovidiu MIHĂIUC (PhD in Political Science, Faculty of Philosophy and Social-Political Sciences, „Alexandru Ioan Cuza” University of Iași), *Illusion and disillusion. Creating a new Political Party in Romania. Case Studies from the last Decade*

12:40-13:00 Natalia PUTINĂ (Lecturer PhD, Faculty of International Relations, Political and Administrative Sciences, Moldova State University, Republic of Moldova) & **Mariana FROSINEAC** (Student), *The Impact of the corruption Phenomenon on the Process of Democratization of the Transition States: the Case of Republic of Moldova*

13:00-13:20 Silviu-Petru GRECU (Lecturer PhD, Political Science, International Relations and European Studies Department, "Alexandru Ioan Cuza" University of Iași), *Values and political behaviors in post-communist Romania. Statistical approach*



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13:20-13:40 Sorin BECCIU (PhD Student, Moldova State University), *Perspectives of society's Democratization as a Result of the Modernization of the Trade Union Movement in the Republic of Moldova*

13:40-14:00 Flavia Alexandra MĂRGINEAN (Student, Faculty of Political, Administrative and Communication Sciences, Babeş-Bolyai University of Cluj-Napoca), *The Future of Political Communication. Niche Parties*

12:20-13:40- Panel III- Education, Culture, Ethics and Gender

Chair: Lecturer PhD Tudor STANCIU (Department of Teacher Training, Technical University of Iasi / Faculty of Philosophy and Social Political Sciences, "Alexandru Ioan Cuza" University of Iasi / Fulbright SIR 2012)

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12:20-12:40 Ana Maria ANDRONACHE (Lecturer PhD, Political Science, International Relations and European Studies Department, "Alexandru Ioan Cuza" University of Iași), *The Gender Dimension in Education. Short History and Current Approaches*

12:40-13:00 Iulian WARTER & Liviu WARTER (PhD, Center for Socio-Economic Studies and Multiculturalism, Iasi, Romania), *Culture and ethics. Is Eastern Europe to all Intents and Purposes Different?*

13:00-13:20 Liviu WARTER & Iulian WARTER (PhD, Center for Socio-Economic Studies and Multiculturalism, Iasi, Romania), *The Cultural Grounds of Ethical Clashes in International Management*

13:20-13:40 Tudor STANCIU (PhD Lecturer, Department of Teacher Training, Technical University of Iasi / Faculty of Philosophy and Social Political Sciences, "Alexandru Ioan Cuza" University of Iasi / Fulbright SIR 2012), *From Dawn to Dusk. Indicators and Policies that Contribute to Performance in Education around the World*



12:20-13:40 - Panel IV – Democratization, Political Conflicts and War

Chair: Lecturer PhD Simona VRÂNCEANU (Department of Political Science, International Relations and European Studies, "Alexandru Ioan Cuza" University of Iași)

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12:20-12:40 Do Ngoc THAO (Researcher, Institute of Development Studies, University of Sussex, United Kingdom), *How far will Vietnam democratize?*

12:40-13:00 Tudor VIERU (PhD Student in Political Science, Faculty of Philosophy and Social Political Sciences, "Alexandru Ioan Cuza" University of Iași), *The Importance of the Conceptual Framework within the Hybrid War Analysis*

13:00-13:20 Denisa-Maria ROȘIU (Student, Faculty of European Studies, Babeș-Bolyai University of Cluj-Napoca), *The Compatibility of Democratization Processes with Islamic Space*

13:20-13:40 Lucian BĂLĂNUȚĂ (PhD Student in Political Science, Faculty of Philosophy and Social Political Sciences, "Alexandru Ioan Cuza" University of Iași), *Israeli Government Coalition - Veto Player in Israeli-Palestinian Conflict?*

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14:00-15:20 Lunch

"Titu Maiorescu" Restaurant, Ground Floor –Protocol Room, "Titu Maiorescu" Campus, Titu Maiorescu Street 7-9



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**15:20-17:00 - Panel V – European Union and Romania: Populism, Political
Conflicts and Migration**

Chair: Lecturer PhD Bogdan MIHĂILESCU (Department of Political Science,
International Relations and European Studies, "Alexandru Ioan Cuza" University of Iași)
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15:20-15:40 Bogdan MIHĂILESCU (Lecturer PhD, Department of Political Science,
International Relations and European Studies, "Alexandru Ioan Cuza"
University of Iași), *The Rise of Populism and Liberal Democracy*

15:40-16:00 Ovidiu GHERASIM-PROCA (Lecturer PhD, Political Science, International
Relations and European Studies Department, "Alexandru Ioan Cuza"
University of Iași), *„The clash of populisms”. Recent Political Conflicts and
Contested Issues in Romania*

16:00-16:20 Emanuel COPILAȘ (Lecturer PhD, Political Science Department, West
University of Timișoara), *A Twitch of Real and a Glimpse of Class. A Political
Philosophy of the Referendum*

16:20-16:40 Simona VRÂNCEANU (Lecturer PhD, Department of Political Science,
International Relations and European Studies, "Alexandru Ioan Cuza"
University of Iași), *Populism and Migration Crisis in the EU*

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15:20-16:40 - Panel VI – Diplomacy, Development and Security

Chair: Researcher PhD Alexandru MURARU (Research Department, Faculty of
Philosophy and Faculty of Philosophy and Political Social-Political Sciences, "Alexandru
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15:20-15:40 Bianca IONEL (Student, Faculty of Political, Administrative and
Communication Sciences, Babes-Bolyai University, Cluj-Napoca), *The Role*



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of South African Mining Companies and the Sustainable Development Issues through corporate social responsibility programs. Case Study: Minerals African Rainbow Company

15:40-16:00 Alexandru MURARU (Research Department, Faculty of Philosophy and - Political Sciences, "Alexandru Ioan Cuza" University of Iași), *Royal Diplomacy in Eastern Europe: Actors, Representations, Structures. The Case of Romania and other Experiences.*

16:00-16:20 Călin BRAIC & Armand SADOVSCHI (MA Students in International Development Studies, Faculty of Philosophy and Social Political Sciences, "Alexandru Ioan Cuza" University of Iași), *Human Security. The Conflict from Yemen*

16:20-16:40 Horia Costin CHIRIAC (Lecturer PhD, Department of Communication and Public Relations, "Alexandru Ioan Cuza" University of Iași), *Devising the Semiotics of Power for International Relations*

15:20-16:40- Panel VII – Public Administration, Migration and Humanities in Eastern Europe

Chair: Professor PhD Virgil STOICA (Department of Political Science, International Relations and European Studies, "Alexandru Ioan Cuza" University of Iași)

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15:20-15:40 Ciprian IFTIMOAEI (PhD Associate Lecturer, Department of Sociology and Social Work, "Alexandru Ioan Cuza" University of Iași / Iași Statistical County Directorate - Deputy Executive Director) & **Ionuț Cristian BACIU** (PhD in Statistics and Cybernetics / Iași Statistical County Directorate – Counsellor), *Statistical Analysis of External Migration after Romania's Accession to EU*

15:40-16:00 Alexandra-Georgiana POENARU (PhD Student in Sociology, Faculty of Philosophy and Social-Political Sciences, "Alexandru Ioan Cuza" University



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of Iași), *Romanian Immigrants and the Labor Market in Italy: a Doctoral Project*

16:00-16:20 Virgil STOICA (Professor PhD, Political Science, International Relations and European Studies Department, "Alexandru Ioan Cuza" University of Iași), *E-Government and Public Organizations Reframing Process*

16:20-16:40 Petru ȘTEFĂROI (PhD Student in Philosophy, Faculty of Philosophy and Social-Political Sciences, "Alexandru Ioan Cuza" University of Iași), *The Confrontation and the Coexistence of Humanities in the Post-Communist East European Social Space*

16:40-17:00 Emanuel-Ionuț ZANOSCHI (PhD Student in Political Science, Faculty of Philosophy and Social-Political Sciences, "Alexandru Ioan Cuza" University of Iași), *Public Policies in Romania after 10 Years of EU Integration*

15:20-16:40 - Panel VIII – Research and Practices in Social Work

Chair: Professor PhD Daniela ȘOITU (Department of Sociology and Social Work, "Alexandru Ioan Cuza" University of Iași)

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15:20-15:40 Daniela ȘOITU (Professor PhD, Department of Sociology and Social Work, "Alexandru Ioan Cuza" University of Iași), *Contexts and Resources for Social Research and Innovation*

15:40-16:00 Victor AMARANDI (PhD Student in Sociology, Faculty of Philosophy and Social-Political Sciences, "Alexandru Ioan Cuza" University of Iași), *Performing Institutionalization in Socio-Professional Integration of Young People from Placement Centers*

16:00-16:20 Marian PÎSLARIU (PhD Student in Sociology, Faculty of Philosophy and Social-Political Sciences, "Alexandru Ioan Cuza" University of Iași), *The Effects of Migration on Family Structure*



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16:20-16:40 Viorel VALACHE (Student in Social Work, Faculty of Philosophy and Social-Political Sciences, "Alexandru Ioan Cuza" University of Iași), *European Policies on Social Protection and Social Inclusion*

17:00-17:20 Coffee Break

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17:20-18:40 - Panel IX – European Union Challenges: Brexit, Foreign Policy and Citizenship

Chair: Lecturer PhD Ovidiu GHERASIM-PROCA (Department of Political Science, International Relations and European Studies, "Alexandru Ioan Cuza" University of Iași)

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17:20-17:40 Ionelia Bianca BOSOANCĂ (PhD Student in Political Science, Faculty of European Studies, Babeș-Bolyai University of Cluj-Napoca), *European Union and its Challenges after Brexit*

17:40-18:00 Luciana-Mirela BUTIȘCĂ (MA Student in European Governance, Faculty of European Studies, Babeș-Bolyai University of Cluj-Napoca), *Strengthening the Role of National Parliaments in European Decision-Making Process*

18:00-18:20 Delia Elena RUSU (PhD Student in Sociology, Faculty of Philosophy and Social-Political Sciences, "Alexandru Ioan Cuza" University of Iași), *International Volunteer - European Citizen*



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18:20-18:40 Paul-Theodor GOLOGAN (Student in International Relations and European Studies, Faculty of Philosophy and Social-Political Sciences, „Alexandru Ioan Cuza” University of Iași), *External Views on Romanian Politics*

17:20-19:00- Panel X – International Relations and New Challenges

Chair: Lecturer PhD Emanuel COPILAȘ (Political Science Department, West University of Timișoara)

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17:20-17:40 Nina CARAUȘ (PhD Student in Political Science, Faculty of Philosophy and Social Political Sciences, “Alexandru Ioan Cuza” University of Iași), *The Concept of Power in International Relations in the Context of Globalization*

17:40-18:00 George Mihai CONSTANTINESCU (MA Student in International Development Studies, FSPAC, Babeș-Bolyai University of Cluj-Napoca), *Soft Power vs. Normative Power. New Theoretical Approaches*

18:00-18:20 Ștefan Cătălin TOPLICEANU (PhD Student in Economics, Faculty of Economics and Business Administration, “Alexandru Ioan Cuza” University of Iași), *Modern Versions of the Cold War? A Comparative Analysis between United States of America, Russia and China*

18:20-18:40 Miruna Georgiana MĂLĂIA (MA Student in International Development Studies, Faculty of Philosophy and Social Political Sciences, “Alexandru Ioan Cuza” University of Iași), *Terrorism and other Post-Modern Vulnerabilities*

18:40-19:00 Oleseă ȚĂRANU (Lecturer PhD, Political Science, International Relations and European Studies Department, “Alexandru Ioan Cuza” University of Iași), *A European Union of Security and Defence - from Vision to Action*



17:20-18:40 - Panel XI – Ukraine: the Conflict, the Neighbors and the Challenges

Chair: Marius POPESCU (Lecturer PhD, Department of Philosophy, "Alexandru Ioan Cuza" University of Iași)

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17:20-17:40 Daniela STANCIUC (MA Student in European Law, Faculty of Law, "Alexandru Ioan Cuza" University of Iași), *The new education law in Ukraine: a Legal Perspective in the Light of the European System for Protection of Minority Rights*

17:40-18:00 Roxana-Mihaela CHIRIAC (PhD Student in Political Science, Faculty of Philosophy and Political Social-Political Sciences, „Alexandru Ioan Cuza” University of Iași), *Measures adopted by the European Union in the Context of Ukrainian Crisis: Sanctions against the Russian Federation and the Contribution to the Development of Ukrainian Civil Society*

18:00-18:20 Marius POPESCU (Lecturer PhD, Department of Philosophy, Faculty of Philosophy and Political Social-Political Sciences, „Alexandru Ioan Cuza” University of Iași), *The Process of Obtaining Autocephaly of Ukrainian Orthodox Church and its Canonical Social and Political Implications*

18:20-18:40 Bogdan ȘTEFANACHI (Associate Professor PhD, Department of Political Science, International Relations and European Studies, „Alexandru Ioan Cuza” University of Iași), *EU Eastern Border: Security and Sovereignty - A Geostrategic Narrative*

