

**13.06.2025**

**Conference**

**"Resilience. Recovery. Future: Culture in the recovery of Ukraine"**

**26-27.06.2025, Warsaw,**

Institute of Industrial Design, ul. Świętojerska 5/7, Warsaw

**Conference in: Ukrainian, English, Polish**

**Partners:**

Ministry of Foreign Affairs Republic of Poland

German Federal Foreign Office

Ministry of Culture and Strategic Communications of Ukraine

Ministry of Culture and National Heritage, Poland

Embassy of Italy in Warsaw

Embassy of France in Warsaw

Embassy of Ukraine in Warsaw

Deputy Senate Marshal - Rafał Grupiński

Mayor of City of Warsaw

Foundation for Polish-German Cooperation

Ukrainian Institute in Germany

POLONIKA National Institute of Polish Cultural Heritage Abroad

NEMO - The Network of European Museum Organisations

Agentur für Internationale Museumskooperation, Germany

International Institute of Civil Society (MISO)

Muzeum Sztuki in Łódź

Stefan Batory Foundation

ALIPH

UNESCO

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ENRS - European Network Remembrance and Solidarity

Ukrainian Red Cross Society

Fund of Alla Horska and Viktor Zaretskyi

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German Society for Cultural Property Protection e.V.

**Thursday, June 26, 2025**

8:30- 9:00      **Registration of participants**

9:00 - 9:40      **Opening**

Marek Prawda, Vice Minister, Ministry of Foreign Affairs Republic of Poland  
Marta Cienkowska, Vice Minister, Ministry of Culture and National Heritage, Poland (tbc)  
Anastasia Bondar, Vice Minister, Ministry of Culture and Strategic Communication Ukraine  
Vasyl Bodnar, Ambassador of Ukraine to Poland  
Luca Franchetti Pardo, Ambassador of Italy to Poland  
Stefan Rössel, German Federal Foreign Office  
Embassy of France in Warsaw (tbc)

**9:40 - 10:10      Part one: culture and society**

Resilience and solidarity:  
Anastasia Bondar, Vice Minister in interview with Edwin Bendyk, Stefan Batory Foundation

10:10 - 10.30      Coffee break and group photo

**10:30 - 10:40      POLONIKA:** for common cultural heritage - potential for Polish-Ukrainian cooperation:

- Katarzyna Sokołowska, POLONIKA National Institute of Polish Cultural Heritage Abroad

**10:40 - 12:00      Panel 1: Resilience&solidarity. The role of culture in the resilience system of Ukraine**

- Olesia Ostrowska - Luta, Mystetskyi Arsenal National Art and Culture Museum Complex
- Anna Łazar, Ujazdowski Castle. Centre for Contemporary Art (CSW )
- Andrij Lubka
- Monika Szewczyk, Arsenal Gallery in Białystok
- Simon Schlegel, Zentrum Liberale Moderne Berlin

Moderation: Joanna Mosiej, Polish-Ukrainian Initiative "Sestry"

**12:00 - 13:30 Panel 2: Returning home: the impact of culture and regional development**

- Ministry of National Unity of Ukraine (tbc)
- dr Tykholoz Bohdan, Lviv Ivan Franko National Literary and Memorial Museum
- Oleksandr Knyha, Kherson Regional Academic Music and Drama Theatre named after Mykola Kulish
- Małgorzata Kopka - Piątek, Institute of Public Affairs Warsaw
- Błażej Moder, EC1 Łódź - City of Culture

Moderation: Olena Babakova, Vistula University

13:30 - 14:30 Lunch

**14:30 - 15:00 Part two: cultural heritage and national security**

- Rafał Grupiński, Deputy Marshal of the Senate
- Mykyta Poturaiev, Member of the Verkhovna Rada of Ukraine. He serves as the Chair of the Verkhovna Rada Committee on Humanitarian and Information Policy.
- Peter Wagner, Director General of the EU Service for Foreign Policy Instruments

**15:00- 17:00 Panel 3: Culture as essential part of national security system**

- Valéry Freland, Executive Director ALIPH
- Dr. Maria Rita Acetoso, UNESCO
- Vasyl Yatsynyn, Head of Department responsible for documenting crimes related to the destruction or damage of cultural heritage monuments in the context of Russian aggression, Office of the Prosecutor General of Ukraine
- Rafał Rogulski, European Network Remembrance and Solidarity (ENRS)
- Olena Kocherhina, Ukrainian Red Cross Society (URCS)

Moderation: Yuriy Banakhevych, correspondent of UKRINFORM in Poland

18:00 Dinner

**Friday, June 27, 2025**

**Part three: museums and new responsibilities**

**9:00 - 10:30 Panel 4: Collecting stories: museums as laboratories for new narratives and fight against disinformation**

- Julia Pagel, The Network of European Museum Organisations (NEMO)
- Helene Rånlund, The National Swedish Museums of Military History's (SFHM)
- Daniel Muzyczuk, Muzeum Sztuki in Łódź,
- Dmytro Hainetdinov, National Museum of the History of Ukraine in the Second World War. Memorial complex
- Aikaterini Dori, Stadtmuseum Dresden

Moderation: Kaja Puto, Krytyka Polityczna

**11:00 - 12:30 Panel 5: 3 years after. What museums can do better**

- Ihor Poronyk Odesa Museum of Western and Eastern Art,
- Rita Malinauskienė, Vytautas the Great War Museum Kaunas
- Myroslav Poberezhnyi, "Korniakt House" Lviv
- Yurii Tkach, Chernihiv Regional Art Museum named after Hryhory Halahan
- Sabine Lata, Gemäldegalerie Berlin
- Sebastian Cichocki, Museum of Modern Art in Warsaw (MSN Warsaw)

Moderation: Ludwika Włodek, Warsaw University

**12:30 - 13:15 Lunch**

**13:45** Departure to Łódź: visiting exhibition "In the Eye of the Storm. Modernism in Ukraine" in Muzeum Sztuki in Łódź: meeting and guided tour of the exhibition and attendance at the official opening with the participation of, e.g.:

- Daniel Muzyczuk, Director of Muzeum Sztuki in Łódź
- Anastasia Bondar, Vice Minister, Ministry of Culture and Strategic Communication Ukraine

**20:30** Arrival to Warsaw