







# **AGENDA**

**VIII International Conference** 

Russia and Europe: Topical Issues of Contemporary International Journalism

September 5, 2019 Rome, Italy Russian Centre for Science and Culture









### 9:40 Welcome Coffee

Russian Centre for Science and Culture foyer

### 10:00 Opening Ceremony

Welcoming speech of Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the Russian Federation to the Republic of Italy and San Marino **Sergey Razov**, Editor-in-chief of 'International affairs' magazine **Armen Oganesyan** and Deputy head of the Federal Agency for Press and Mass Communications of the Russian Federation **Tatiana Naumova** 

### **10:30 Plenary Session**

Moderator: Armen Oganesyan

### **TBC**

Aleksandr Bikantov, Head of press-centre, Deputy Director of the Information and Press Department of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs (Russia)

### **TBC**

Daria Pushkova, head of Russian Centre for Science and Culture in Rome, journalist (Russia & Italy)

## The Modern Picture of International Broadcasting as a Reflection of Historical and Political Transformations

Anna Belikova, chief external communications manager, RT channel (Russia)

### 11:30 Coffee Break

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# 12:00 Session 1. 'Russia vs. World' Concept Within the Complex Paradigm of European Political Discourse

Moderator: Anna Belikova

### **European Ambiguity and Russia**

Tiberio Graziani, Chairman, Vision & Global Trends, International Institute for Global Analyses (Italy)

# The Historical and Cultural Reasons Behind the Current Misunderstanding Between Russia and Europe. How It Is Possible to Overcome Them

Stefano Vernole, External relations, Association 'Centro Studi Eurasia Mediterraneo' (Italy)

### **TBC**

Prof. Giancarlo Seri, President Associazione Accademia dei Filaleti and Roma-Mosca (Italy & San Marino)

## Balkans - Problem or Opportunity to Develop Russia-EU Relations

Chavdar Minchev, Executive Director of the National Association for International Relations, Editor-in-chief of "International affairs" magazine (Bulgaria)

### **TBC**

Andrej Ceccoli, Secretary of the Associazione Roma-Mosca (San Marino)

### 'Russia vs. World' in the Contemporary European Political and Media Discourse

Srdja Trifkovic, journalist, author, editor for Chronicles magazine, PhD in modern history (Serbia)

### **TBC**

Dr. Ivan Lanzillo, Russian culture specialist (Italy)









### **TBC**

On. Giorgio Benvenuto, President of the Bruno Buozzi Foundation (Italy)

### **TBC**

On. Cesare Damiano, National Democratic party Direction member (Italy)

### 14:00 Lunch

Dining hall of Russian Centre for Science and Culture

# 15:00 Session 2. The Impact of Modern Media on the transformation of political elites in Eastern, Central and Western Europe

Moderator: Armen Oganesyan

### How to Fight Against Russophobia In the Hybrid War Which Followed the Cold War

Giulietto Chiesa, journalist, expert in geopolitics, chief editor of Pandora TV (Italy)

## Twitter and Beyond. The Presidential Rhetoric at the Time of Social Media: Russia vs. United States

Leila Tavi, head of the office for Master programs, the Department of Political Sciences, Università Degli Studi Roma Tre, freelance journalist

### **Noopolitical Aspect of the International Journalism**

Sergej Nikonov, Associate Professor at the Department of International Journalism, SPbU, PhD in political science

### **Leaders or Creators of the Values**

Dr. Djawed Sangdel, professor of Leadership & Entrepreneurship, Swiss UMEF University, Geneva (Switzerland)









# Difficulties That an Independent Photojournalist Encounter in Telling Stories Out of the "Frame" of the Official Storytelling

Giorgio Bianchi, award-winning photojournalist, documentary photographer and filmmaker (Italy)

## How the Global Elites Change in the Age of Disintermediation and New Forms of Journalism (video presentation)

Sebastiano Caputo, journalist, reporter of Il Giornale and Treccani, the author of the book "At the gates of Damascus. Traveling to Syria that resists" (Italy)

# The Importance of Regional Media in Cross Cultural Dialogue: Example of Belgorod Media

Svetlana Gubina, marketing and PR director, "Masterslavl-Belgorod", head of Belgorod PR Club (Russia)

### 16:45 Coffee Break

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### 17:15 Session 3. System and Functional Transformation of News Media in Russia and Europe: Diffusion of Responsibility

Moderator: Anna Belikova

Stereotyped Reports, Politically Correct Language and Fake News Accusation in Order to Neutralize Uncomfortable News. The Three Golden Rules of a Journalism Submitted to the European Principles

Gian Micalessin, Il Giornale editor, war correspondent (Italy)

### News Resources of "Russkiy Mir" Foundation and Its Features

Maria Mokhovikova, head of press office of "Russkiy Mir" Foundation, PhD in Political Science (Russia)

### **TBC**









Irina Raskina, president of the cultural association "Russkiy Klub" / Russian Club (Italy)

# The Present and the Future of Journalism. Real Journalism Is in Danger. Will It Survive - and How?

Elena Buldakova, founder and editor-in-chief of Planet360.info (Italy)

### **TBC**

Michela laccarino, journalist and photographer, 'll Fatto Quotidiano' reporter, former RIA reporter (Italy)

### **TBC**

Isabella Pashinyan, Public Television of Russia, Head of Director General service (Russia)

### **TBC**

Francesco Canepa, REUTERS (Italy)

## Special Report. On the Eve of the Centenary of Federico Fellini and Tonino Guerra

Lora Guerra, head of Tonino Guerra Cultural Association (Italy)