**INTERNATIONAL MEETING**

**Awareness Raising and Education on Biosafety**

**and Biosecurity in Ukraine**

*Saturday 4 –Monday 6, October, 2014, Kyiv, Ukraine*

**(Venue: Conference-Hall, CITYHOTEL, 56A Bohdan Khmelnitskiy Street, Kyiv)**

**A G E N D A**

**Day 1. Saturday, October 4**

15:00 – 16:00 Registration

16:00 – 16:15 **Opening and greetings**

16:15 – 16:45 **Introduction lecture:**

“*Biosafety and Biosecurity in Ukraine. Problems and Tasks*”

# Prof. Serhiy Komisarenko, National Academy of Sciences of Ukraine Kyiv, Ukraine

16:45 – 17:15 *"The Vital Importance of Education and Awareness Raising for Biosafety and Biosecurity"*

Prof. Graham Pearson, University of Bradford, United Kingdom

Presented by Ms. Tatyana Novossiolova, University of Bradford, United Kingdom

17:15 – 17:30 “*Project P633 EDUCATION AND AWARENESS-RAISING IN UKRAINE”*

# Dr. Galyna Gergalova, Ukrainian Biosafety Association, Kyiv, Ukraine

17:30 – 18:00 *“Building Sustainable Capacity in Biosecurity Through Team-Based Learning”*

Ms. Tatyana Novossiolova, University of Bradford, United Kingdom

18:00 **GET-TOGETHER PARTY**

**Day 2. Sunday, October 5**

09:30 – 10:00 “*Emergent infectious animal diseases in the context of biosafety and biosecurity problems*”

Prof. Borys Stegniy, National Scientific Center «Institute of Experimental and Clinical Veterinary Medicine», Kharkiv, Ukraine

10:00 – 10.30 *"Biosafety in veterinary medicine – the key of epizootic and epidemiological welfare of Ukraine"*

Prof. Anatoly Golovko, State Scientific Control Institute of Biotechnology and Strains of Microorganisms, Kyiv, Ukraine

10:30 – 11:00 “Activities of State Sanitary and Epidemiology Service in Biosafety System of Ukraine”

Dr. Biktor Svyta, Ukrainian Center for Disease Control and monitoring of the Ministry of Health of Ukraine", Kyiv, Ukraine

11:00 – 11:30 **COFFE/TEA BREAK**

11:30 – 12:00 “*From the Participation in the Soviet Program of the Development of Biological Weapon to the Education on Biosafety & Biosecurity"*

Prof. Vladimir Zaviyalov, Joint Biotechnology Laboratory, Department of Chemistry, Mathematics and Natural Sciences Faculty, University of Turku, Turku, Finland

12:30 – 13:00 “*Biosafety and Biosecurity in Armenia. Problems and Tasks*”

Dr. Lilit Khachatryan, National center of Disease Control and Prevention, Ministry of Health of Armenia, Erevan, Republic Armenia

13:00 – 13:30 “*Emergency management during chemical, radiological, biological and nuclear incidents in Georgia”*

Dr. Jojik Tabatadze, Emergency management department of Ministry of Internal Affairs of Georgia, Tbilisi, Georgia

13:30 – 14:30 **LUNCH**

14:30 – 15:00 “*UKRAINIAN BIOSAFETY ASSOCIATION*”

Prof. Serhiy Komisarenko, President, Ukrainian Biosafety Association, Kyiv, Ukraine

15:00 – 15.30 “*GEORGIAN BIOSAFETY ASSOCIATION”*

Prof. Georgy Kvesitadze, President, Georgian Biosafety Association, Tbilisi, Georgia

15:30 – 16:00 **COFFE/TEA BREAK**

16:00 – 16:30 “*Challenges of Biosafety Culture Formulation in Ukraine*”

Dr. Serhiy Pozdnyakov, I.I. Mechnikov Ukrainian Anti-Plague Research Institute, Odesa, Ukraine

16:30 – 17:00 *“The system of medical education in the formation of personnel responding to biological threats"*

Prof. Nataliya Vynograd, Danylo Halytsky Lviv National Medical University, Lviv, Ukraine

17:00 – 17:15“*Biosafety and Biosecurity education in Ukraine: situation, gap and needs analysis*”

Dr. Iaroslava Maksymovych, Ukrainian Biosafety Association, Kyiv, Ukraine

17:15 – 18:30 *ROUND TABLE part I*

18:30 **DINNER**

**Day 3. Monday, October 6**

09:30 – 09:45 *“Informational and teaching materials in the field of biosafety and biosecurity. View from the EU”*

Dr. Olena Kysil, GBS, Robert Koch Institute, Berlin, Germany

09:45 – 10:00 *“Experience of Special Trainings in Ukrainian Biosafety and Biosecurity Training Centre”*

Dr. Olena Yegorova, Anti-Plague Station, SB I.I. Mechnikov Ukrainian Anti-Plague Research Institute, Odesa, Ukraine

10:00 – 10:30 *“Bioethics in Ukraine”*

Prof. Yurii Kundiev, Vice-President, National Academy of Medical Sciences, Kyiv, Ukraine

10:30 – 11:00 **COFFE/TEA BREAK**

11:00 – 13:00 *ROUND TABLE part II*

13:00 – 13:30 **Final discussion and conclusions**

13:30 – 14:30 **LUNCH**

**Departure of participants**

**Meeting Organizers:**

National Academy of Sciences of Ukraine, Ukrainian Biosafety Association, Palladin Institute of Biochemistry, The Science and Technology Center in Ukraine

**Organizing Committee:**

**Chair** Prof. Serhiy Komisarenko, National Academy of Sciences of Ukraine, President of Ukrainian Biosafety Association

**Secretary** Dr. Galyna Gergalova, Researcher, Palladin Institute of Biochemistry, NAS of Ukraine, Secretary of Ukrainian Biosafety Association

Dr. Iaroslava Maksymovych, Senior Researcher, Palladin Institute of Biochemistry, NAS of Ukraine, Ukrainian Biosafety Association

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