

**The Lublin Triangle Economic Forum. Poland-Lithuania-Ukraine
(Ministry of Economic Development and Technology, Warsaw, 14.03.2025)**

Working languages of the Forum: Polish, Lithuanian, Ukrainian

Moderator: **Karol Kubica**, Head of the Foreign Trade Office in Kyiv, PAIH S.A.

09.30- 10.15 Registration of participants.

10.15- 10.30 Welcome coffee.

10.30 – 10.45 Opening of the Forum. Welcome speeches:

- **Krzysztof Paszyk**, Minister of Economic Development and Technology of the Republic of Poland.
- **Oleksiy Chernyshov**, Deputy Prime Minister — Minister of National Unity of Ukraine.
- **Andrzej Dycha**, Chairman of the Board Polish Investment and Trade Agency.

10.45 – 11.00 Power Speech:

- **Paweł Kowal**, Chairman of the Council for Cooperation with Ukraine, Chancellery of the Prime Minister Republic of Poland.

Speech:

- **Oleksii Lukashuk**, Deputy Minister for National Unity of Ukraine.

11.00 – 12.00 SESSION I: New International Realities and the Economic Situation in the Region.

Moderator: **Jakub Jakóbowski**, Deputy Director, Centre for Eastern Studies.

Panelists:

- **Michał Baranowski**, Undersecretary of State at the Ministry of Economic Development and Technology of the Republic of Poland;
- **Marius Stasiukaitis**, Vice-Minister of Economy and Innovation of the Republic of Lithuania;
- **Tetyana Berezhna**, Deputy Minister of Economy of Ukraine.

12.00-12.15 Coffee break.

12.00 – 13.15 SESSION II: Cooperation in Energy Security. Potential Areas of Synergy.

Moderator: **Bogdan Pilch**, General Director, Polish Chamber of Power Industry and Environmental Protection.

Panelists:

Poland:

- **Remigiusz Warzywoda**, Deputy Director of the International Department, Polish Power Transmission and Distribution Operator (PSE S.A.).
- **Konrad Świrski**, Chairman of the Board, Transition Technologies S.A.

Lithuania:

- **Paulius Kozlovas**, Head of Strategy department, Litgrid AB.

Ukraine:

- **Roman Andarak**, Deputy Minister of Energy of Ukraine for Digital Development, Digital Transformations, and Digitalization.
- **Paweł Józef Stańczak**, Advisor of CEO at Representation of Gas Transmission System Operator of Ukraine in EU.
- **Serhii Nazarenko**, Head of the Office for Identification and Countering Threats to Critical Infrastructure Objects, NPC Ukrenergo.
- **Marco Biersinger**, DTEK Head of business development, M&A.

Discussion topics:

- The impact of the energy crisis in Ukraine and the synchronization of Lithuania and Ukraine with the European power grid on the regional situation.
- Development visions for the energy generation sector in PL-LT-UA, directions of change (e.g., nuclear energy), funding sources, and cooperation potential.
- The possible role of Polish and Lithuanian entities/companies in modernizing Ukraine's energy sector. Ukrainian expectations vs. realistic partnership opportunities.

13.15 - 14.00 Lunch/networking.

14.00 – 15.15 **SESSION III: Strategic Transport Corridors in the Regions.**

Moderator: *Dariusz Kostrzębski*, Chairman of the Transport Committee, Polish-Ukrainian Chamber of Commerce.

Panelists:

Poland:

- *Lukasz Górecki*, President of the board, PKP LHS Sp. z o.o.

- *Dominik Landa*, Director of the Strategy and Development Department, Port of Gdańsk Authority SA (Morski Port Gdański S.A.),

- *Paulina Lang*, Project Coordinator, Office for Implementation of Strategy and Planning of the Railway Sub-program, Centralny Port Komunikacyjny sp. z o.o.

Lithuania:

- *Laimonas Nekrošius*, Chief Executive Officer, LTG Cargo Polska sp. z o.o.

- *Liliana Jaroslavska*, Transport attaché, Embassy of the Republic of Lithuania to the Republic of Poland.

Ukraine:

- *Artem Khachatryan*, Commercial Director of "UZ Cargo Poland".

- *Anna Tigipko*, Strategic Assets Control, TAS Group.

Discussion topics:

- Perspectives, current status, and development strategies for railway projects in the region (modernization/European gauge/new railway corridors);

- The Baltic-Black Sea transport corridor as a challenge for the railway and port infrastructure of the three countries;

- Economic perspectives of the UA-PL/UA-PL-LT trade route;

- The role of transshipment hubs.

15.15 – 16.30 **SESSION IV: High-tech in the area of security and dual-use goods**

Moderator: *Jarosław Sulkowski*, Counselor, Department of Defense Industry, Ministry of Economic Development and Technology

Panelists:

Poland:

- *Rafał Harmoza*, Director, International Industrial Cooperation and Marketing Office, Polska Grupa Zbrojeniowa S.A.

- *Paweł Poncyłjusz*, President of the Management Board, MindMade Ltd (WB Group).

Lithuania:

- *Sigutė Stankevičiūtė*, Director of the "ManuFutureLab" Division, Lithuanian Innovation Agency.

- *Augustinas Vizbaras*, Co-founder/Chief Operating Officer, BROLIS Defence.

Ukraine:

- *Yevhen Alkhimov*, Director of Pallada Shipyard Limited Liability Company.

- *Alex Stepura*, Founder & Chairman, LLC Aviation Production Company "SKYETON".

Discussion topics:

- challenges and needs of the security sector in the context of the war in Ukraine (increased demand for modern defence systems, cybersecurity and military technologies);

- the importance of developing the dual-use goods sector for the economy and security of the Lublin Triangle countries (dual-use technologies as a driving force for economic development and national security);

- the role of EU funds in developing the high-tech sector.

16.30 Closure of the Forum.