

INTERNATIONAL WORKSHOP

Code of Resilience: from Local Security to International Solidarity

25 February 2026, Riga, Latvian War Museum, Smilšu street 20

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| 9:30–10:00 | Registration |
| 10:00 –10:10 | Opening Inese Vaivare , Director, Latvian Platform for Development Cooperation (Latvia) Dimitrijs Trofimovs , State Secretary, Ministry of the Interior of the Republic of Latvia |
| 10:10–10:30 | Key note: Anna Proskurina , communication officer of Democracy International (Germany/Ukraine) |
| 10:30–12:00 | NGO Panel Discussion: "Human Security through Self-Organization: Local Action, Global Context" Yuliia Vusenko , deputy of the Volyn Regional Council, a representative to the Congress of Local and Regional Authorities of the Council of Europe (Ukraine) Chelsea Gongalov , Grants Coordinator at the Global level, Polish Humanitarian Action (Poland) Gaja Šavelė , Director of National Coalition of Non-Governmental Organisations (Lithuania) |
| 12:00–12:45 | Lunch |
| 12:45–13:05 | Key note: Nebojsa Medojevic , Disaster and Crisis Preparedness expert |
| 13:05–14:30 | Institutional Panel: "Bolstering Local Resilience through National and International Initiatives: A Systemic Approach" Juris Poikāns , Ambassador-at-Large for Support to Ukraine Gatis Švika , Director of the Sectoral Policy Department, Ministry of the Interior of the Republic of Latvia Ivars Nakurts , Deputy Chief of the State Fire and Rescue Service National Crisis Management Centre (speaker tbc) |
| 14:30–15:15 | Working groups: active citizenship I Local resilience (EN); Local resilience (LV); Global solidarity (LV) |
| 15:15–16:00 | Working groups: active citizenship II Local resilience (LV); Global solidarity (LV); Global solidarity (EN) |
| 16:00–16:15 | Coffee break |
| 16:15–16:45 | Key Takeaways and Discussion of Recommendations |
| 16:45–17:00 | Closing and next steps |