



Overcoming the Cold War: 30th Anniversary of the Meeting between Mikhail Gorbachev and Ronald Reagan in Moscow

Roundtable, June 4, 2018

Agenda

13.00-13.45 – Opening

Olga Zdravomyslova, Executive Director of the Gorbachev Foundation

Nina Rozhanovskaya, Coordinator and Academic Liaison of the Kennan Institute
in Russia

Thomas M. Leary, Minister Counselor for Public Affairs, Embassy of the United
States of America

Sergey Rogov, Academic Director of the Institute for the U.S. and Canadian Stud-
ies, Russian Academy of Sciences (ISKRAN)

Video about the meeting between Mikhail Gorbachev and Ronald Reagan on the Red Square on May 31, 1988

With commentary by **Pavel Palazhchenko**, Gorbachev Foundation

13.45-15.30

Dialogue between Russian and U.S. Leaders: from Confrontation to Trust

Moderators: Nina Rozhanovskaya, Kennan Institute, **Andrey Ryabov**, IMEMO

Key speakers:

Jack Matlock, Ambassador of the United States of America to the USSR

Vladimir Pechatnov, Doctor of History, Professor, Chair of the Department of
European and American Studies at the Moscow State Institute of International Re-
lations (MGIMO University): *The role of leaders and the problem of trust*

Speakers:

Olga Pavlenko, Professor, Chair of the Department of Area Studies and Foreign
Policy, Vice-Rector for Research, Russian State University for the Humanities:
*The problem of trust in relations between Moscow and Washington during Ronald
Reagan's presidency*

Vladimir Dvorkin, Doctor of Engineering, Chief Researcher, Primakov National Research Institute of World Economy and International Relations (IMEMO), Russian Academy of Sciences: *The role of meetings between Gorbachev and Reagan in ensuring strategic stability*

Feodor Voitlovsky, Doctor of Political Science, Corresponding Member of the Russian Academy of Sciences, Director of Primakov National Research Institute of World Economy and International Relations (IMEMO)

Ivan Kurilla, Doctor of History, Professor of the European University at St. Petersburg: *The turn towards Soviet-American cooperation: domestic political logic*

Valery Garbuzov, Doctor of History, Professor, Director of the Institute for the U.S. and Canadian Studies, Russian Academy of Sciences (ISKRAN): *Evolution of the Russian-U.S. interaction in the 20th and 21st centuries*

15.30-16.00 – Coffee break

16.00-17.30

People-to-People Diplomacy, New Thinking and Mass Media

Key speakers and moderators:

David Foglesong, Rutgers University

Victoria Zhuravleva, RSUH

Speakers:

Robert English, Associate Professor of the University of Southern California: *Misunderstanding the Cold War's end*

David Foglesong, Professor, Rutgers University: *Citizen diplomacy and the breaking of American images of the Soviet enemy: How the Cold War ended in the hearts and minds of Americans*

Victoria Zhuravleva, Doctor of History, Professor, Chair of the American Studies Department, Russian State University for the Humanities: *Gorbachev and Reagan in American political cartoons: evolution of images*

Dina Fainberg, Ph.D., Lecturer in Modern History, City University of London: *A moment of truth: Cold War correspondents confront Old and New Thinking*

Larisa Skuratovskaya, M.D., Ph.D., Scientific Secretary of the Research Institute of General Pathology and Pathophysiology, member of the international Physicians for the Prevention of Nuclear War movement: *The role of Soviet and American women in ending the Cold War*

17.30-18.00 – Concluding Discussion