



**Programme of the First Parliamentary Summit of the
International Crimea Platform
Zagreb, 24-25 October 2022**

24 October 2022

20:00 **Welcome dinner for the Speakers/Chairpersons of national parliaments and international parliamentary organisations** co-hosted by the Speaker of the Croatian Parliament, Mr Gordan Jandroković and the Chairman of the Verkhovna Rada of Ukraine, Mr Ruslan Stefanchuk

Note: photo and filming only on the arrivals and handshaking

Location: *the Westin Hotel, Crystal Ballroom*

25 October 2022

8:25 – 9:15 **Arrival of the Heads of Delegations to the *National and University Library***
(Address: Ulica Hrvatske bratske zajednice 4)

Note: Welcome at the main entrance by the Speaker of the Croatian Parliament and the Chairman of the Verkhovna Rada of Ukraine

Note: photo and filming opportunity

9:15 – 9:25 **Family photo**

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9:30 – 10:30 **Opening of the First Parliamentary Summit of the International Crimea Platform**

Opening remarks by the co-host countries:

- Mr Gordan Jandroković, Speaker of the Croatian Parliament
- Mr Ruslan Stefanchuk, Chairman of the Verkhovna Rada of Ukraine

- Mr Andrej Plenković, Prime Minister of the Republic of Croatia
- Mr Volodymyr Zelenskyy, President of Ukraine, [video address](#)

10:30 – 11:45 **Special addresses**

11:45 – 12:00 **Coffee break**

12:00 – 13:50 **Plenary session: remarks by the Speakers/Chairpersons of the parliaments of the participating countries of the International Crimea Platform and by the presidents of participating parliamentary assemblies**

The plenary session will focus, inter alia, on the multiple aspects of the potential parliamentary contribution to the achievement of the five priority areas of the International Crimea Platform (non-recognition policy, sanctions, human rights, safety and freedom of navigation, economic and environmental consequences of the occupation of Crimea), as well as on ways to continue providing comprehensive support for Ukraine, while maintaining pressure on Russia to end its temporary occupation of Crimea and other parts of Ukrainian territory.

13:50 – 14:00 **Adoption of the Joint Declaration and Closing Remarks** by the Speaker of the Croatian Parliament and the Chairman of the Verkhovna Rada of Ukraine

14:00 – 14:20 **Joint press conference** by the Speaker of the Croatian Parliament and the Chairman of the Verkhovna Rada of Ukraine

SIDE EVENTS

24 October 2022

9:00 – 17:00

Joint activities of the *Crimea Platform Expert Network* and the *Office of the Crimea Platform*

26 October 2022

15:00 – 17:00

Online Meeting of International Crimea Platform Ombudspersons

Online link to follow