

**Visegrad Group Academies Forum
Jabłonna, 25 – 26 May 2009**

Monday, 25 May

13.00 Lunch

**Session I
Chairman – Professor Michał Kleiber
President of the Polish Academy of Sciences**

14.00 – 14.10 Welcoming of the delegations, current issues arising

14.10 – 15.00 Short presentation of reforms:

- Polish Academy of Sciences – Professor Andrzej Górski,
Vice-President
- Hungarian Academy of Sciences – Professor József
Pálinkás
- Slovak Academy of Sciences – Professor Ján Slezák
- Academy of Sciences of the Czech Republic – Professor Jiří
Drahoš

Discussion

15.00 – 15.20 Presentation of the Cooperation Agreement between ASTRIUM
and Centre for Space Research PAS – opportunities and
challenges
Professor Jacek Kossut

15.20 – 15.50 COFFEE BREAK

**Session II
Chairman – Professor Štefan Luby
President of the Slovak Academy of Sciences**

15.50 – 16.25 European Research Council – present and future of the ERC in
the Scientific Council members' view
Professor Norbert Kroó
Professor Michał Kleiber

16.25 – 16.50 Problem of Regional Research Infrastructure Centres in the context of the V4 Group
Reminiscences of the Czech Presidency Conference *Research Infrastructures and the Regional Dimensions of ERA* (Prague, 24 – 25 March 2009) – Professor Jan Palouš

Discussion

16.50 – 18.00 Visegrad Group Academies Young Researcher Award 2009:
Neurosciences and related behavioural sciences

Presentations by laureates:

16.50 – 17.05 M.D. Jiří Šedý, Ph.D., Academy of Sciences of the Czech Republic

17.05 – 17.20 Katarzyna Kalita-Bykowska, Ph.D., Polish Academy of Sciences

17.20 – 17.35 RNDr. Mojmír Mach, Slovak Academy of Sciences

17.35 – 17.50 Éva Mikics, Ph.D., Hungarian Academy of Sciences

Propositions of the next year topic, discussion

18.30 Dinner

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Session III

**Chairman – Professor József Pálinkás
President of the Hungarian Academy of Sciences**

9.00 – 9.25 Impact of financial and economic crisis on science and research in the V4 countries – Professor Štefan Luby, discussion

9.25 – 9.45 Czech EU presidency
Dr. Jan Hrušák

9.45 – 10.05 Current situation in the V4 countries in respect to the good practices in science, proposition to organize a joint seminar on ethics in science in 2010
Professor Andrzej Górski

10.05 – 10.25 Central European Journal of Social Sciences and Humanities
Dr. Jacek Kornacki, editor-in-chief
Professor Jaroslav Pánek

10.25 – 10.45 COFFEE BREAK

Session IV
Chairman – Professor Jiří Drahoš
President of the Academy of Sciences of the Czech Republic

- 10.45 – 11.05 4th World Science Forum (Budapest, 5-7 Nov. 2009)
Professor József Pálinkás
- 11.05 – 11.25 *Between West and East: Four national narratives in Central Europe* - joint V4 publication
Professor Przemysław Urbańczyk
Professor Jaroslav Pánek
- 11.25 – 11.45 Joint initiatives of the V4 Academies: new ideas – discussion
- 11.45 – 12.00 Conclusion of the meeting
Professor Andrzej Górski
- 12.30 Lunch