STUDENT ADVOCACY DAY University of Padova

ACADENIC FREEDON AND BELARUS storytelling and advocacy

9:00-9:30

INTRODUCTION AND INSTITUTIONAL GREETINGS

Francesca Helm and Claudia Padovani, University of Padova, SPGI Viviana Nosilia, University of Padova, DISLL Camilla Girasole, University of Padova, International Relations Area Assessora Francesca Benciolini, Municipality of Padova

9:30 - 11:00

INTERSECTIONS IN ADVOCATING FOR ACADEMIC FREEDOM - SAR ITALIA AND ARQUS Chairs: Claudia Padovani and Francesca Helm SAR ITALY PODCAST PROJECT

Isolde Quadranti, Anna Maria de Salvo, University of Verona, and Fernanda Torre, Turin Polytechnic

14:00-17:30

TELLING STORIES FROM BELARUS

14:00-15:30 *THE UNBROKEN GENERATION* **BELARUSIAN STUDENTS AGAINST AUTHORITARIAN REGIME** Skaryna Press Interview with Ihar Ivanou Testimonials from Maksim Zafranski. Member of the Belari

Testimonials from Maksim Zafranski, Member of the Belarusian Students' Association, and Alana Gebremariam, former political prisoner, diplomat, "Youth Caucus" delegate of the Coordination Council

15:30-16:00 Break

16:00-17:30

ARQUS PROJECT ON ACADEMIC FREEDOM PODCAST Mariam Kharpoutli and Ilaria Berti, graduates from the University of Padova SAR SEMINAR STUDENT STORYTELLING PROJECTS Burcu Simsek, Hacettepe University, Turkey with students 11:00-11:30 Break

11:30-13:00

CAN YOU RAISE YOUR VOICE?

Chair: Tatiana Krivobokova, graduate from the University of Padova

HEAR HER OUT: BELARUSIAN STORIES FROM BEHIND THE BARS

Yvette Amibukiro, Maryam Omowumi Omitoogun, Theodora Obiageli Onwuta, Selenay Yucesoy, University of Padova, with Alana Gebremariam, former political prisoner, diplomat, "Youth Caucus" delegate of the Coordination Council

ACADEMIC FREEDOM ON THE RECORD

Sonia Ibrahim, Areen Moghmas, Matteo Parola, Maria Sarkis, Samuel Sciarini (University of Padova) with Maksim Zafranski (Member of the Belarusian Students' Association)

General discussion

IL MONDO È FINITO . NOI INVECE NO **ANTHOLOGY OF BELARUSIAN CONTEMPORARY POETRY** Book presentation by Alessandro Achilli and Maya Halavanava With the participation of the poet Hanna Komar

Poetry reading

JUNE 5, 2025 MEETING ROOM

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