



20/20 Central Asia and OSCE: progress and prospects
OSCE Bishkek Academy
Bishkek, Kyrgyzstan, 11-12 October 2010

11 October

18.00 Arrival of participants
Cocktail reception

12 October Venue: Botanichesky per 1A, Bishkek Kyrgyzstan

9-9.30 Welcome
- Dr. Maxim Ryabkov, Director of the OSCE Academy
- Virginie Coulloudon, OSCE Spokesperson: 20 years since the Paris Charter

9.30-10.30 Session 1: **Political and strategic changes in Central Asia**
Keynote speaker: Professor Neil MacFarlane, Oxford University
Moderator: Maxim Ryabkov

10.30-11.00 Break

11.00-12.30 Session 2: **Kyrgyzstan – perspectives and implications for the region**
Keynote speaker: Dr Martha Olcott, Carnegie Endowment
Moderator: Ambassador Andrew Tesoriere, Head of the OSCE Centre in Bishkek

12.30-14.15 Lunch
Group photo

14.15-15.30 Session 3: **Afghanistan**
Keynote speaker: Andres Ilves, BBC and Chair of Peace Direct
Moderator: Ambassador Tesoriere

15.30-16.00 Break

16.00-17.30 Session 4: **Central Asia – future perspectives**
Moderator: Virginie Coulloudon