

CEVRO with support of the National Endowment for Democracy would like to invite you to a conference

## Supporting Democracy through the Experience of Others

Why is sharing the transitional experience important for supporting the democratic development worldwide? What are the lessons learnt based on the experience of countries that started democracy more than 25 years ago?

Presentation of the book „Memory of Nations: Democratic Transition Guide“ will be part of the conference.

Monday, 18 September, 16.30 – 18.30 hrs.  
CEVRO Institute, Jungmannova 17, 110 00 Prague 1

For participation, please register at [marakova@cevro.cz](mailto:marakova@cevro.cz).

Working language of the conference is English.

### Speakers

**Meelis Saueauk (EST)** - Senior Research Fellow, Estonian Institute of Historical Memory, Tallinn

**Joachim Förster (GER)** – Head of the Department of the Use of Stasi-Documents, The Federal Commissioner for the Records of the State Security Service of the former German Democratic Republic (BStU), Berlin

**Stefano Bottoni (HUN)** - Senior Fellow, Research Center for the Humanities, Hungarian Academy of Sciences, Budapest

**Franciszek Dabrowski (POL)** - Main Specialist at the Institute of National Remembrance, Warsaw, and Lecturer at the Academy of Warfare, Warsaw

**Evgenia Lezina (RUS)** – Senior Research Fellow, Analytical Levada Centre, Moscow

### Moderation

**Pavel Žáček (CZE)** – Former Director of the Institute for the Study of Totalitarian Regimes, Prague