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## DRAFT PROGRAM

8:30 – 9.00	Registration
9.00 – 9.30	Opening Victor Chirila, Executive Director, Foreign Policy Association Viktorija Braziunaite, Project Manager, Parliamentary Forum for Democracy
9:30 – 11:00	<i>Session I. Public budgets: Central budget, other central funds (social security and other), municipalities</i> <i>Session II. State budget spending: its scope, goals and results; the importance of transparency. The utilization of foreign - including EU - financial assistance and its supervision.</i>
11.00 – 11.30	Coffee Break
11.30 – 13.00	<i>Session III. State budget revenues: what should the taxpayers expect in the coming year?</i> <i>Session IV. Budget deficits and the public debt: be cautious.</i>
13.00 – 14.00	Lunch