



LATVIJAS REPUBLIKAS SAEIMA



OUR DREAM SCHOOL

CLOSING CONFERENCE OF DISCUSSION SERIES AT MINORITY SCHOOLS

2 March 2018

Baltic Hall, Saeima, Jēkaba iela 6/8, Riga, Latvia

The conference is organised in collaboration with the Education, Culture and Science Committee of the Saeima and the British Council in Latvia

Moderator: Dr. paed. Zanda Rubene, Member of the Board of the Independent Education Society

12:30 – 13:00 **Registration**

13:00 – 13:10 **Conference Opening**

Mr Aldis Adamovičs, Chair of the Education, Culture and Science Committee of the Saeima

Ms Gunta Arāja, Deputy State Secretary, Director of Policy Initiatives and Development Department of the Ministry of Education and Science

Mr Guntars Catlaks, Head of the National Centre for Education

Ms Zane Matesoviča, Country Director, British Council in Latvia

13:10 – 13:25 **Presentation about the “Our Dream School” series of nine discussions at minority schools**

Ms Inese Magdaļenoka, Assistant Headmaster of Līvāni Secondary School No. 1, Member of the Independent Education Society

13:25 – 14:10 **Our Dream School: Dialogue, Equality, Cooperation**

Dr Zvi Bekerman, Hebrew University of Jerusalem

14:10 – 14:20 **Q&A session with Dr Zvi Bekerman**

14:20 – 14:40 **Coffee break**

14:40 – 15:05 **Panel discussion. Are challenges and solutions to a modern education process specific to and different at minority schools?**

Participants:

Mr Aldis Adamovičs, Chair of the Education, Culture and Science Committee of the Saeima

Mr Romāns Alijevs, Headmaster of Riga Classical Gymnasium

Mr Arturs Fedotovs, Headmaster of Daugavpils Secondary School No. 9

Ms Jeļena Vediščeva, Headmaster of Riga Secondary School No. 40

Ms Tatjana Andriječa, Student, Form 12, Riga Jugla Secondary School

15:05 – 15:45 **Public debate**

15:45 – 16:00 **Summary**

Dr. paed., Dr. theol. Laima Geikina, Member of the Board of the Independent Education Society

Language channels: 0 – Floor; 1 – Latvian; 2 – English

The conference will be broadcast live on the Saeima webpage www.saeima.lv