

# LIBERTY AND FREEDOM: KOŚCIUSZKO'S LEGACY



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**Dear Madam/Sir,**

On behalf of Mykolas Romeris University (Lithuania), Harriman Institute of Columbia University (USA), and European Humanities University (Belarusian university in exile, Lithuania) we would like to invite you to the International Forum (virtual) on Freedom and Liberty on the occasion of the 275th anniversary of the birth of Andrzej Tadeusz Bonawentura Kościuszko (1746-1817), a Polish- Lithuanian-Belarusian-American hero, a fighter for freedom and liberty.

We will be celebrating Kościuszko's inspiring contribution and legacy at an international forum to be held in Vilnius, the capital of Lithuania, on the date of his birth, **February 4, 2021**. The event will gather political leaders, renowned lawyers, freedom activists, historians and other other speakers in the field of foreign policy, law, history and social affairs. Law, politics, human rights and history experts from all over the world will speak at the international forum. The event will be attended by Ms. Sviatlana Tsikhanouskaya, the exiled leader of the Belarus nation, the former Polish Prime Minister Hanna Suchocka, President of the Court of Justice of the European Union Koen Lenaerts, Deputy Chairman of the Defense Committee of the German Parliament Karl Lamers, US security expert Ian Brzezinski, Central European University Rector Michael Ignatieff and many others.

We strongly believe that this event will contribute to supporting freedom, democracy, rule of law in Belarus, Ukraine, Europe and in the world and advance collaboration and engagement among Europe and the U.S. on such important issues as history, rule of law, freedom and liberty.

**The registration is open till February 3rd, 2021, 7 pm EET.**

[Registration form here](#)

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