

Final Conference

“TRANSPARENT AND FINANCIALLY HEALTHY MUNICIPALITIES IN UKRAINE”

**March 20, 2018, Radisson Blu Hotel
(22 Yaroslaviv Val Street, Kyiv)**

09:30-10:00 – Registration, welcome coffee

10:00-12:00 – Conference

Moderator: **Victor Mashtabey** – Chairman of the Supervisory Board of ICPS, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of Ukraine

Opening

Peter Golias – Director of the Institute of Economic and Social Reforms (INEKO, Slovak Republic)

Iryna Stepanova – Communications director of the ICPS, Coordinator of the project “Transparent, financially sound and competitive municipalities in Ukraine”

Platform 1. Transparency of 50 largest cities in Ukraine

Moderator: **Victor Mashtabey** – Chairman of the Supervisory Board of ICPS, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of Ukraine

Yehor Kyian – Economic expert of the ICPS

Presentation of the updated ranking “Transparency of 50 largest cities in Ukraine: 2017”

Michal Piško – Project Coordinator of Transparency International Slovakia

Mykola Rubchak – Ministry of Regional Development, Construction, Housing and Communal Services of Ukraine

Other representatives of state authorities (to be confirmed)

Platform 2. Financial health of budgets in the regions and region centers of Ukraine

Moderator: **Victor Mashtabey** – Chairman of the Supervisory Board of ICPS, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of Ukraine

Yehor Kyian – Economic expert of the ICPS

Presentation of the updated ranking “Financial health of budgets in the regions and region centers of Ukraine”, introduction to research methodology

Jakub Kmet – Expert in implementation of participatory decision making in Slovak municipalities.

Closing

11:30-11:45 – Discussion of the state authorities` position on current transparency issues in Ukraine's municipalities

11:45-12:00 – Awarding ceremony for the winners of the Transparency and the Financial health rankings

12:00 – Final words and stand-up buffet