

Schiller Institute Convenes ‘Forum for A New Paradigm’

April 23—In last week’s issue, we began our coverage of the Schiller Institute’s conference in Frankfurt, Germany, April 13-14. This was the fourth in a series of international events since November 2012 on the theme, “[Forum for a New Paradigm](#)” The gathering of 300 people in Frankfurt from every continent (except Antarctica!) adopted a resolution endorsing “the immediate voting up of a Glass-Steagall Act in the United States,” calling this “a matter of life or death.”

Particularly noteworthy was the representation from Russia (four speakers) and Ukraine (one speaker).

Last week we published the keynote speeches by Institute founder Helga Zepp-LaRouche and her husband Lyndon LaRouche. Zepp-LaRouche used the history of U.S. President Franklin Roosevelt’s measures to pull the United States out of the Great Depression, notably Glass-Steagall, to show the approach that Europe and the U.S. must take today—rather than the EU’s hideous “Cyprus Template” which is now being imposed by the financier oligarchy. Lyndon LaRouche’s presentation, “The Strategic View from the United States,” was a *tour d’horizon* of the world strategic situation, the imminence of economic collapse and thermonuclear war, unless nations defeat the British imperial system and master the American System of political-economy—the Hamiltonian system, as exemplified by Glass-Steagall.

This week we continue with other speeches from the first panel, “The Hope for the Future—The SDE as the Platform for the Common Aims of Civilization”; the third panel, “The Future of Eurasian Cooperation”; and the fourth panel, “There Is Life After the Euro.” More to come in forthcoming issues!