



**NORDIC UKRAINE ADVOCACY SUMMIT**  
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**The joint declaration by the Ukrainian, Nordic, and Baltic civil society organizations  
participants of the Nordic Ukraine Advocacy Summit 2024 Helsinki**

We, the undersigned Ukrainian, Nordic, and Baltic civil society organizations, gathered at the Nordic Ukraine Advocacy Summit in Helsinki Finland on June 14-15th, 2024, to reaffirm our commitment to supporting Ukrainian victory, post-war recovery, and Ukraine's EU and NATO integration.

We welcome the May 2024 [Joint Statement of the Nordic - Ukrainian Summit in Stockholm](#) and reaffirm civil society's crucial role in providing "immediate and long-term support to Ukraine" that is "crucial for European, Euro-Atlantic and global security." Strengthened by the diversity of our bodies of work, we commit to intensifying inter-organizational cooperation in support of the September 2023 [Nordic-Baltic Cooperation Agreement on Ukraine](#) to support Ukraine, end Russian aggression, and "underpin democracy, the rule of law, and human rights." We commit to ensuring our civil society activities serve to support the goals of the [Ukrainian 10-Point Peace Plan](#).

United in our mission of Ukrainian victory on Ukrainian terms, we resolve to commit our collective civil society efforts in support of:

- Ukrainian identity, language, culture, science and education, viewed as investment in Ukrainian victory;
- Western military aid and training needed for Ukraine to win the war and prevent future Russian aggression;
- public diplomacy that promotes a just and lasting peace based on international law, including the UN Charter, that respects Ukraine's sovereignty, independence and territorial integrity;
- advocacy campaigns promoting knowledge about the war and Ukraine, countering Russia's war of aggression by constraining its influence;
- financial and humanitarian aid to the Ukrainian people and national reconstruction;
- ensuring that Russia is held accountable for war crimes;
- legal assistance to making Russia pay for all damages caused by the war of aggression;
- recovery from damage to the environment and wildlife caused by the Russian invasion;
- implementing Ukraine's reform agenda, necessary for its integration into the European Union and NATO through good governance advocacy and expertise as well as watchdog efforts;

- Ukrainian diaspora and allies' civic engagement to promote the interests of Ukrainians abroad,
- promoting and supporting the development of rehabilitation programs for war veterans and civilians

The governments of the Nordic and Baltic nations are some of the most forward leaning supporters of Ukraine, providing indispensable financial, humanitarian, political and military support. The people of the Nordic and Baltic nations have the highest levels of support for Ukraine in the world, providing a moral and democratic mandate to their respective national governments to continue supporting Ukraine. The undersigned Nordic, Baltic, and Ukrainian civil society organizations, through our collective efforts, resolve to ensure that ties between the Nordic, Baltic, and Ukrainian governments and people are only strengthened over time.

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Congress of Ukrainians in Estonia	Estonia	
Finland Ukraina Ostrobotnia Kalyna	Finland	
Aurora4UA ry	Finland	
Pro Patria - Suomi - Ukraina Ry	Finland	
Nordic Ukraine Forum	Sweden	
Ukrainian Security and Cooperation Center	Ukraine	
International Center for Ukrainian Victory	UKRAINE	
Ukrainian Association in Tampere	Finland	
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