

Diplomacy is an instrument for realizing national interests and conducting foreign policy through dialogue, negotiations, and the maintenance of a responsible balance between state principles and political realities. Diplomacy is an integral part of the state-building process. It secures Ukraine's position within the system of international relations while bolstering its sovereignty, security, and international agency.

The Ukrainian diplomatic tradition has evolved over centuries – from Cossack diplomatic missions and Hetman universals to the modern, multi-vector diplomacy of an independent state. The continuity of political thought, accountability for state decisions, and the capacity for strategic balance formed the foundation for restoring the diplomatic service following the declaration of Ukraine's independence in 1991. Modern Ukrainian diplomacy is built upon the principles of professionalism, patriotism, and integrity, ensuring the steadfast defense of national interests.



Today, amidst unprecedented global challenges, diplomacy plays a vital role in securing international support, consolidating the global community around the principles of international law, and intensifying sanctions pressure. Key priorities include strengthening defense capabilities through strategic partnerships, protecting the rights of citizens abroad, and advancing initiatives to achieve a just peace, and the restoration of territorial integrity and global security.

Ukrainian diplomacy has become a powerful mechanism for uniting international partners and shaping a secure future. Standing in unity with the democratic world, Ukraine defends the principles of freedom and law, restoring historical justice and paving the way toward a safer tomorrow.

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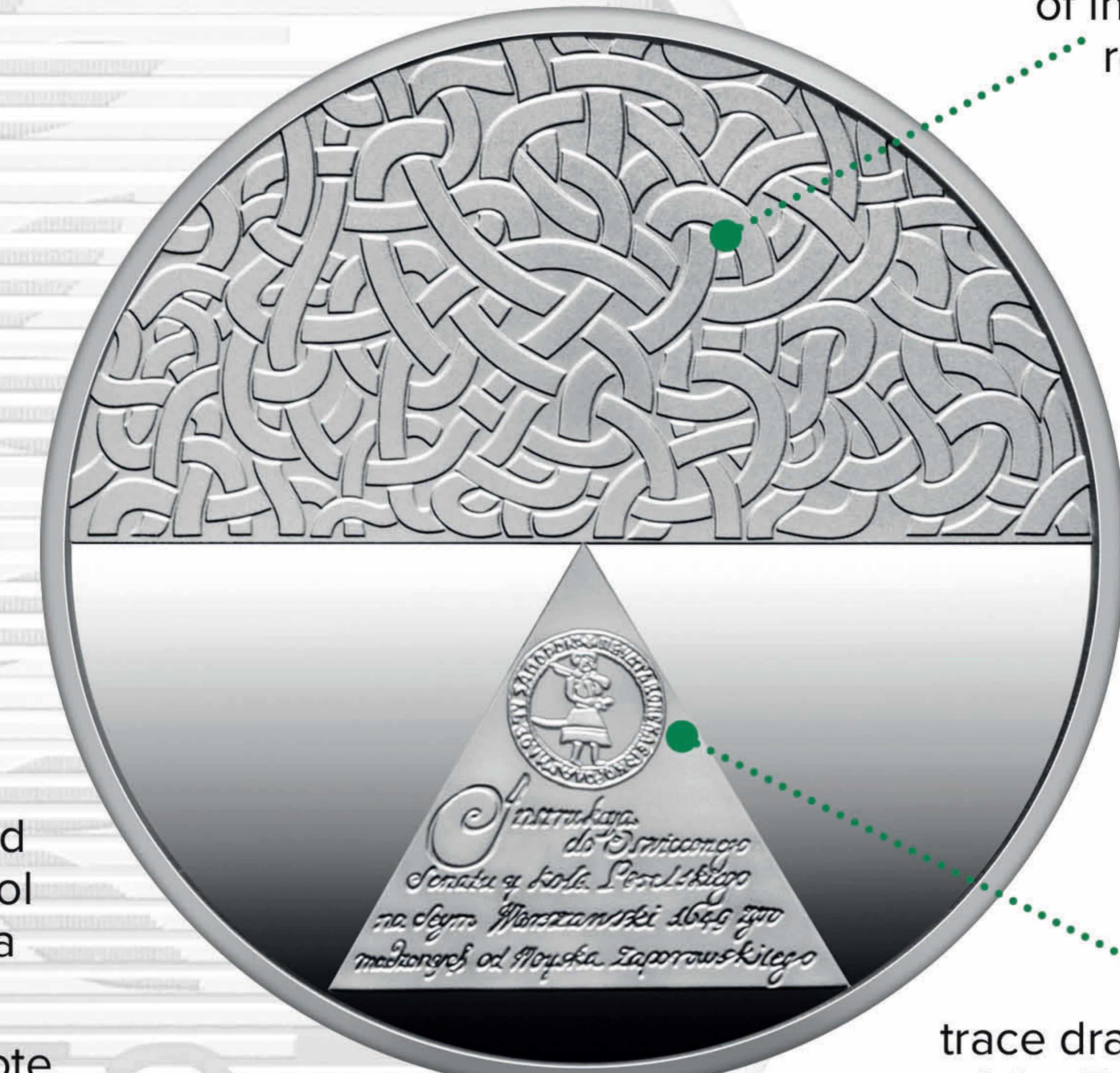
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