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Society of Friends of Roerich Museum in Latvia,
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Riga, Latvia.

Salutations to The Congress of All Baltic Roerich Societies!

It is with special elation that the Master Institute of United Arts, the School of the Roerich Museum, which was founded by Prof. Nicholas de Roerich in 1921 in America, sends its Message of greetings and heartiest wishes to the Congress of All Baltic Roerich Societies.

The marked significance of the date of the first meeting of the Congress which combines besides the wide cultural program, also the two jubilee dates of our great leaders Prof. Nicholas de Roerich - forty years of Academic Activity, and fifty years of Artistic Scientific and Literary Activity - impells us to unite our hearts with yours in striving towards the accomplishment of the noble ideals promulgated by Nicholas de Roerich throughout his entire life and work.

Since the issues of education will form some of the fundamental points of your program, we, who have worked under the guidance of Professor Nicholas de Roerich, world renowned educator, in fostering the close union of arts and life by bringing them into the system of modern education, shall look eagerly toward the findings and resolutions which will be adopted during your sessions on this vital question.

May the Congress achieve great success in sending its message of Service to Culture and Creative Labor throughout the world, while honoring its Inspirer and Leader, Nicholas de Roerich.

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Trustee and Director

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On the memorable occasion of The First Congress of All Baltic Roerich Societies, Roerich Museum greets with a special feeling of joy, the assembled members and friends, wishing them success in the noble endeavors for the work on the field of Universal Culture.

The date of this meeting is especially significant to our Institution, Roerich Museum in America, as it marks the Fortieth Anniversary of the Academic activity and the Fiftieth Anniversary of the creative, artistic and scientific activities of our beloved Leader and Founder of our Educational Institutions in America, which are affiliated with the Roerich Museum.

The great humanitarian project, the Roerich Pact and Banner of Peace, given by Prof. Roerich to humanity, and already adopted by 21 countries of North, South, and Central America, will be, as we see from your program, one of the main issues taken up at your Congress. We feel confident that you will lend your efforts toward safeguarding treasures of culture in Europe as we have striven and are continuing to do so in America.

It has been our great privilege to be guided for the last fifteen years by Professor Roerich, the world-renowned artist, educator, and indefatigable worker for the Forces of Good. We hope that his inspiring life and mission will be a Beacon Light to all those gathered at the First Congress of the Roerich Baltic Societies, leading them to new conquests on the field of Art, Beauty, and Labor.

Sim Lightman,
Vice President