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CONFERENCE PROGRAM

“POST-SOCIALISM: HYBRIDITY, CONTINUITY AND CHANGE”

SATURDAY, JUNE 25

09.00 – 9.45 REGISTRATION

09.45 – 10.15 OPENING OF THE CONFERENCE

10.15 – 11.00 KEYNOTE ADDRESS:

Vesna Vuk Godina (University of Ljubljana)

Survival Strategies of Households and Individuals in Post-socialist Societies between Hybridity, Continuity and Change: An Anthropological Account

11.00 – 12.30 SESSION 1: CONTOURS OF POST-SOCIALISM (CHAIR: MIRAN LAVRIČ)

Rudi Klanjšek (University of Maribor)

(Socio)Economic Realities in Four SEE Countries - From Crisis to Crisis. And Beyond

Marko Malović, Vesna Petrović & Aleksandar Zdravković (Institute of Economic Sciences, Belgrade)

Misunderstanding of FDI in W. Balkans: Cart before the Horse and Wheels without Suspension

Predrag Cvetičanin (University of Niš), Inga Tomić-Koludrović (Institute of Social Sciences Ivo Pilar, Split), Mirko Petrić, (University of Zadar) & Adrian Leguina Ruzzi (University of Manchester)

Hybridity of Social Structure in SEE Societies: From Occupational to Existential Class

Dmitry Rudenko (Tyumen State University)

Poverty and Inequality in Russia During the Post-socialist Transformation

12.30 – 13.45 LUNCH

13.45 – 14.30 KEYNOTE ADDRESS:

Eric Gordy (University College London)

Revisiting Post-socialist Teleology

14.30 – 16.00 PARALLEL SESSIONS 2 & 3:

14.30 – 16.00 SESSION 2: SONGS OF FREEDOM, NARRATIVES OF OPPRESSION AND NEW REALITIES I
(CHAIR: ANDREJ NATERER)

Balázs Böcskei (Hungarian Academy of Sciences)

From Liberal Democracy to Illiberalism: New Authoritarian Regimes, Hungarian Illiberalism and the Crisis of the “Real Existing Liberalism”



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Miran Lavrič, (University of Maribor), Danijela Gavrilović, (University of Niš), Ivan Puzek (University of Zadar) & Rudi Klanjšek (University of Maribor)

The Effects of the Economic Crisis on Values and Attitudes in Southeast Europe: Erosion of Trust, Retraditionalization and the Decline of Public Good Morality

Stefan Janković (University of Belgrade) & Jorn Koelemaij (Ghent University)

A Peculiar Case of Post-socialist Urban Transformation: Analyzing Processes and Struggles around the Belgrade Waterfront Project

14.30 – 16.00 PARALLEL SESSIONS 2 & 3:

14.30 – 16.00 SESSION 3: SONGS OF FREEDOM, NARRATIVES OF OPPRESSION AND NEW REALITIES II
(CHAIR: RUDI KLANJŠEK)

Snježana Ivčić, Ana Vračar, Lada Weygand (Organization for Workers Initiative and Democratisation) & Aleksandar Džakula (University of Zagreb)

Privatization of Primary Health Care in Croatia – Transition from Social to Free Market

Anna Calori (University of Exeter) & Kathrin Jurkat (Humboldt University)

Workers' Narratives and Property Transformations: Continuity and Change in Post-socialist Bosnia and Serbia

Milan Škobić (Central European University, Budapest)

Acknowledging Precarity: Youth and Labor Relations in a Small Town in Northern Vojvodina

16.00 – 16.45 COFFEE BREAK

16.45 – 17.30 KEYNOTE ADDRESS:

Geoff Pugh (Staffordshire University Business School)

Informal Institutions: Good and Bad; and How to Tell the Difference

17.30 – 19.00 SESSION 4: INFORMALITY IN POST-SOCIALISM (CHAIR: ADNAN EFENDIĆ)

Jan Bazyli Klakla (Jagiellonian University Kraków)

The Role of Customary Law in Maintaining Social Order in the Times of Transition

Endrit Lami (Budapest University of Technology and Economics, Hungary), Luca J. Uberti (University of Otago, New Zealand), Drini Imami (Agricultural University of Tirana, Albania), Geoffrey Pugh (Staffordshire University, UK)

Good Governance and Corruption in Post-Conflict Kosovo, 2001-14: Time Series Evidence from the Mining Sector

Cristine Palaga (Babeş-Bolyai University of Cluj-Napoca)

From Informal Exchanges to Dual Practices: The Shadows of the Romanian Health Care Reform

Marija Žurnić, (New Europe College, Bucharest)

Transition and Corruption in Eastern Europe. The Role of Political Scandals in Post-Milošević Serbia



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SUNDAY, JUNE 26

10.00 – 10.45 KEYNOTE ADDRESS:

Alena Ledeneva (University College London)

Formal vs. Informal under Post-Socialism: Evidence from the Global Informality Project

11.00 – 12.30 SESSION 5: LIFE-STRATEGIES OF INDIVIDUALS AND GROUPS IN POST-SOCIALISM (CHAIR MIRKO PETRIĆ)

Urban Boljka (Social Protection Institute of the Republic of Slovenia)

Fight Against Poverty or Fight Against Welfare Dependency?

Augustin Derado (Institute of Social Sciences Ivo Pilar Split) & Nemanja Krstić (University of Niš)

Small Farmers in Post-socialist Serbia and Croatia – A Qualitative Analysis of Life-strategies in 10 Agricultural Households

Tamara Narat (Social Protection Institute of the Republic of Slovenia)

Child-centeredness as a Survival Strategy of Families With Children

Marija Obradović (Institute for Recent History of Serbia) & Nada Novaković (Institute of Social Sciences, University of Belgrade)

Socio-economic Strategies of the Workers Employed in Public Enterprises, in Conditions of Ownership Transformation in Serbia: A Case Study of Srbijagas and EPS

12.30 – 14.00 LUNCH

14.00 – 16.00 PARALLEL SESSIONS 6 & 7:

14.00 – 16.00 SESSION 6: DEALING WITH THE PRESENT AND THE PAST (AT THE SAME TIME) I (CHAIR: IVAN PUZEK)

Marcin Lubaś (Jagiellonian University in Krakow)

Politics beyond the Ethno-Religious Divide? Exclusion and Boundaries in a Western Macedonian Village

Ivana M. Milovanović (University of Novi Sad)

Some Characteristics of Daily Life of Women in Postwar Divided City (Life Conditions and Lifestyle of Bosniac Ethnicity Women)

Andrew Hodges (Institute of Ethnology and Folklore Research, Zagreb)

The Importance of Being Patriotic: Croatian 'Minority' Negotiations of Veze in Serbia

14.00 – 16.00 SESSION 7: DEALING WITH THE PRESENT AND THE PAST (AT THE SAME TIME) II (CHAIR: PATRICK SCHENK)

Aleksandra Kolaković (Institute for Political Studies, University of Belgrade)

Dealing with Past in the Former Yugoslav States: Paradigms of History Textbooks and Culture of Remembrance



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Roozbeh B Baker (University of Surrey)

Post-Socialist Continuity and Change: Legal Reform in BiH

Katja Kahlina (Marie Skłodowska Curie Fellow)

Political Homophobia in Post-socialist Context: The Case of Croatia

Bogdan Zawadewicz (Research Group “Frozen and Unfrozen Conflicts”, Regensburg)

The Role of Symbolic Capital in Shaping the Separatists’ Strategies – the Case of Bosnia and Ukraine

16.00 – 16.30 COFFEE BREAK

16.30 – 17.15 KEYNOTE ADDRESS:

Alan Warde (University of Manchester)

Re-assessing Cultural Capital: Some Theoretical Considerations

17.15 – 19.15 SESSION 8: EVERYDAY LIFE AND CULTURES IN POST-SOCIALISM
(CHAIR: PREDRAG CVETIČANIN)

Tamara Petrović-Trifunović (Institute for Philosophy and Social Theory, University of Belgrade)

Intimations of the New Symbolic Struggles in Contemporary Serbia: Subcultural Contributions

Ivana Spasić (University of Belgrade)

Citizen, User, Consumer, or Beneficiary: Changing Visions of the Individual and the State on the Example of the Belgrade City Transport

Željka Zdravković (University of Zadar), Mirko Petrić (University of Zadar), Inga Tomić-Koludrović (Institute of Social Sciences Ivo Pilar Split)

Individual Lifestyle Consumption and Household Capitals in Four South-East European Countries in the Times of Crisis

Mina Petrović & Milena Toković (Faculty of Philosophy, University of Belgrade)

Cultural Heritage and Searching for Identity in Post-Socialist City: Two Case Studies from Serbia

Krešimir Krolo, Sven Marčelić & Željka Tonković (University of Zadar)

Cultural Lifestyles and Values of Urban Youth in Adriatic Croatia

19.15 – 19.30 CLOSING OF THE CONFERENCE