
Virtual Session 1 – Wednesday – 8:00-9:45 am

V1-01 Periodicals as Data: Hands-on Workshop I - VR 1

Mgr.: Andrew Paul Janco, Haverford College

V1-02 Biochemistry without Borders: Global Flows of Germs, Plants, and Poisons - VR 2

Chair: Kiril Avramov, U of Texas at Austin

Papers: Mary Catherine Neuburger, U of Texas at Austin

"'Ripe' Communism: Tomatoes and Peppers in Postwar Bulgarian Diet and Bio-imaginary"

Lyubomir Raychev Pozharliev, Leibniz Institute for Regional Geography

"Vaccination Campaigns in Bulgaria, 1945-2021: Elites, Coercion, and Mistrust in a Global Perspective"

Benjamin Brendel, U of Marburg (Germany)

"Food, Pesticides, and Health in the GDR"

Disc.: Kiril Avramov, U of Texas at Austin

Mgr.: Mary Catherine Neuburger, U of Texas at Austin

V1-03 The Concept of Minority in Imperial and Post-imperial Political Imaginaries - VR 3

Chair: Alexander M. Semyonov, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)

Papers: Anton Kotenko, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)

"The Concept of Minority in the Ukrainian Political Language at the End of the Late 19th Century"

Wiktor Marzec, U of Warsaw (Poland)

"Who Can Be a National Minority?: Polish Controversies on National Minorities from the Birth of Mass Politics to the Post-Versaille Parliamentary Debate"

Rebekah Ramsay, U of Central Asia (Kyrgyzstan)

"Petty Nationalities and Customary Crimes: Conceptualizing 'Minority' and Situating Ethnicity in the Kazakh Cultural Revolution"

Disc.: Alexandra Medzibrodzky, Independent Scholar

Mgr.: Anton Kotenko, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)

V1-04 New Perspectives on Russian Digital Political Culture: I - (Roundtable) - VR 4

Chair: Michael S. Gorham, U of Florida

Part.: Françoise Daucé, EHESS (France)

Michael S. Gorham, U of Florida

Polina Kolozaridi, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)

Vera Zvereva, U of Jyväskylä (Finland)

Mgr.: Michael S. Gorham, U of Florida

V1-05 Solidarity Contested I: Religious, Ethnic, and National Solidarities and Indifference in Russia's Western Borderlands, 1830s-1930s - VR 5

Chair: Susan Grunewald, U of Pittsburgh

Papers: Barbara J. Skinner, Indiana State U

"Unia as the New Old Belief?"

Scott M. Kenworthy, Miami U of Ohio

"Making Uniates Orthodox: Strategies of Incorporating the Uniates of Kholm Into the Orthodox Church in the 1890s"

Irina K. Paert, U of Tartu (Estonia)

"The Russian Student Christian Movement in the Baltic:

Ecumenical Aspects, Orthodoxy, and National Indifference in the 1920-1930s"

Disc.: Paul William Werth, U of Nevada, Las Vegas

Mgr.: Moira O'Shea, U of Chicago

V1-06 Polish Culture between West and East - VR 6

Chair: Izabela Kalinowska-Blackwood, SUNY Stony Brook

Papers: Arkadiusz Lewicki, U of Wrocław (Poland)

"Another Day of Life: Kapuscinski's Book and an Animated Documentary – Between Cultures"

Jedrzej Morawiecki, U of Wrocław (Poland)

"Farewell to the East: About Homogenization and Diversification of the Image of Post-Soviet Areas in Polish Reportage of the Last 25 Years"

Marcin Adameczak, Polish National Film School (Poland) / Adam

Mickiewicz U (Poland)

"Constructing Cinematic Imaginary West in Eastern Europe: The Case of Bollywood Co-productions Set in Eastern European Locations"

Piotr Zwierzchowski, Kazimierz Wielki U (Poland)

"Almost Like E.T.: Polish Films for Children in the 1980s"

Disc.: Elzbieta U. Ostrowska, U of Łódź (Poland)

Mgr.: Jedrzej Morawiecki, U of Wrocław (Poland)

V1-07 Establishing the Self: Identity, Self-Esteem, and Self-Image in Post-Totalitarian Consciousness - VR 7

Chair: Tamara Hundorova, National Academy of Sciences (Ukraine)
Papers: Antonina Vitaliivna Berezovenko, National Technical U of Ukraine "KPI" (Ukraine)
"Post-Totalitarian Identities at Intersections of National and International Historical Narratives: Ukraine, Bulgaria and Russia Cases"
Olga Gomilko, National Pedagogical Dragomanov U (Ukraine)
"The Hybridity of Ukrainian Identity: A Post-Colonial Challenge or a Global Logic?"
Disc.: Lada Kolomiyets, Taras Shevchenko National U of Kyiv (Ukraine)
Mgr.: Lada Kolomiyets, Taras Shevchenko National U of Kyiv (Ukraine)

V1-08 Crippling Eastern Europe: Disability Discourses and Practices - VR 8

Chair: Svetlana Borodina, Columbia U
Papers: Cassandra Hartblay, U of Toronto Scarborough (Canada)
"Crip Kinship and Disability Theatre Performance Ethnography of Russia 2010-2016"
Kateřina Kolarova, Charles U in Prague (Czech Republic)
"Viral Crises and Crippling Postsocialist Chronicity"
Natalia Pamula, U of Warsaw (Poland)
"Crip Testimonies in Poland 2018-2020"
Magdalena Zdrodowska, Jagiellonian U (Poland)
"Accessible Television for Deaf Poles"
Disc.: Thuc Linh Nguyen Vu, European U Institute (Italy)
Mgr.: Dilafruz Nazarova, Rutgers, The State U of New Jersey

V1-09 Undergraduates and ASEEES: Aspects of Mentorship, Teaching, and Guidance for the next ASEEES Generation - (Roundtable) - VR 9

Chair: Robert Edward Niebuhr, Arizona State U
Part.: Don Fette, Arizona State U
Tatiana Filimonova, College of Wooster
Robert Edward Niebuhr, Arizona State U
David Pickus, Shandong U (China)
Mgr.: Nana Gulic, U of Toronto (Canada)

V1-10 Literature, Language(s), and the Nation: Neoromantic Cultural Myths in Contemporary Ukraine and Belarus - VR 10

Chair: Kirill Ospovat, U of Wisconsin-Madison
Papers: Manuel Ghilarducci, Humboldt U Berlin (Germany)

"(Un-)Representing Belarus: Negative Ontology and Meta-historiography in Ihar Babkoŭ's 'Adam Klakotski and his Shadows' (2001)"

Marco Puleri, U of Bologna (Italy)
"Metalinguistic Reflections in Contemporary Belarusian and Ukrainian Literature: A Comparative Analysis of Viktor Martinovich's 'Mova' and Vladimir Rafeenko's 'Mondegrin'"
Alessandro Achilli, University of Cagliari (Italy)
"Poetry between Individuality, Collectivity, and National Myth in Contemporary Ukraine and Belarus"
Disc.: Miriam Finkelstein, U of Graz (Austria)
Mgr.: Katherina Boicheva Kokinova, Bulgarian Academy of Sciences (Bulgaria)

V1-11 From Abyssinia to Samarkand: Russian Representations of Race in the Age of Empire - VR 11

Chair: John McCannon, Southern New Hampshire U
Papers: Jeanne-Marie Jackson, Johns Hopkins U
"A Different Kind of Difference: Gannibal across Time, Race, and Modality"
Maria Taroutina, Yale-NUS College (Singapore)
"Exotic Aesthetics: Depictions of Blackness in Nineteenth-Century Russian Painting"
Ludmila Piters-Hofmann, Jacobs U Bremen (Germany)
"The Genie in the Samovar: Representation of the Orient in Painting and on the Stage in Late Imperial Russia"
Disc.: Allison Leigh, U of Louisiana at Lafayette
Mgr.: Mary Arnstein, Association for Slavic, East European, and Eurasian Studies

V1-12 Terror, Trauma, and Memory: The Short and Long-Term Consequences of the Civil War in Hungary, 1918-1921 - VR 12

Sponsored by: Hungarian Studies Association
Chair: Alice Freifeld, U of Florida
Papers: Bela Bodo, U of Bonn (Germany)
"Black Humor and the White Terror: Jewish Responses to Violence in Hungary, 1918-1921"
Judith Szapor, McGill U (Canada)
"The Legacy and Impact of the Numerus Clausus Law in Hungary, 1920-1948"
Rudolf Paksa, Institute of History, HAS (Budapest)
"Memory of Three Revolutions: the Democratic, the Bolshevik,

and the Counter Revolution in Hungary"

Disc.: Alice Freifeld, U of Florida
Mgr.: Judith Szapor, McGill U (Canada)

V1-13 Perspectives on Sino-Russian Relations in Eurasia: A Panel in Memory of Greg Shtraks - (Roundtable) - VR 13

Chair: Elizabeth Anne Wishnick, Montclair State U
Part.: Brian Carlson, Center for Security Studies, ETH Zurich (Switzerland)
Gaye Christoffersen, Johns Hopkins U
Nargis Kassenova, Harvard U
Alexander Lukin, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
Elizabeth Anne Wishnick, Montclair State U
Mgr.: Nadiia Bernard-Kovalchuk, Sorbonne U (France)

V1-14 Book Discussion: "Clientelism and Nationality in an Early Soviet Fiefdom: The Trials of Nestor Lakoba," by Timothy Blauvelt - (Roundtable) - VR 14

Chair: Sergey Salushchev, UC Santa Barbara
Part.: Paul Crego, Library of Congress
Stephen Francis Jones, Mt Holyoke College
Claire P. Kaiser, McLarty Associates
Erik R. Scott, U of Kansas
Jeremy Smith, U of Eastern Finland (Finland)
Mgr.: Timothy K. Blauvelt, Ilia State U (Georgia)

V1-15 New History of Soviet Cinema: Distribution, Cinefication, Spectatorship - VR 15

Chair: Claire Knight, U of Bristol (UK)
Papers: Maria Belodubrovskaya, U of Chicago
"How Popular?: Soviet Films in Distribution, 1946–1952"
Lina Kaminskaite-Jancoriene, Lithuanian Academy of Music and Theatre (Lithuania)
"Expanding Film Exhibition Infrastructure in the Soviet Union: Cinefication of Western Borderlands, 1945–1960"
Kristina Tanis, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"POPSTAT vs Box Office: How to Measure the Popularity of Trophy Films in Moscow Cinema Theatres (1947-1950)"
Disc.: Claire Knight, U of Bristol (UK)
Mgr.: Kristina Tanis, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)

V1-16 Difference and Permeation: Slavic-Jewish Cultural Palimpsests in the 20th Century - VR 16

Chair: Joel J. Janicki, Soochow U (Taiwan)
Papers: Grażyna Wiesława Dawidowicz, Independent Scholar
"The Activity of the Barbican Mission among Białystok Jews Before World War II: A Historical Perspective"
Anna Janicka, U of Białystok (Poland)
"A Remark on Incinerating Polish-Jewish Memory: The Poetry of London Émigré Tamara Karren"
Robert Szymula, U of Białystok (Poland)
"On the Russian Language of East European Jews in Israel (Selected Aspects)"
Disc.: Joel J. Janicki, Soochow U (Taiwan)
Mgr.: Robert Szymula, U of Białystok (Poland)

V1-17 Rebels, Monsters, and Rage: Polish and Polish-American Women in History and Culture - VR 17

Chair: Karen M Majewski, Independent Scholar
Papers: Anna Muller, U of Michigan, Dearborn
"Between Motherhood, Patriotism, and Anger, or What Does the History of Emotions Add to Our Understanding of Change in Polish History?"
Beth C. Holmgren, Duke U
"The Roots of Women's Rage?: Polish Women Filmmakers on the Controlling Constructs of Marriage, Motherhood, and Upward Mobility"
Marta Cieslak, U of Arkansas
"A Disgusting Crime': Infanticide in the Polish/Polish-American Community in the United States in the Early 20th Century"
Sylvia Kuzma-Markowska, U of Warsaw (Poland)
"Birth Control Rebels: Debating and Practicing Contraception in Interwar Polish-American Community"
Disc.: Michał J Wilczewski, Northwestern U
Mgr.: Anastasia Felcher, Blinken Open Society Archives (Hungary)

V1-19 Communism from the Margins: Central and Eastern European Competing Agendas and Global Engagements - VR 19

Chair: Jill Massino, UNC at Charlotte
Papers: Natalia Telepneva, U of Strathclyde (UK)
"In Defence of the State': Czechoslovak Security Training for Africa"
Sielke Beata Kelner, Leiden U (Netherlands)
"Mediate Locally, Project Globally: Nicolae Ceausescu's Middle

East Policy"

Jure Ramsak, Science and Research Centre of Koper (Slovenia)
"Development Ecumenism: Asymmetrical Socialisms and
Symmetrical Outline of the 1970s Global Economic Reform"
Milorad Ladic, George Washington U
"(Un)making Detente: Yugoslavia and the Global 1970s"

Disc.: Jill Massino, UNC at Charlotte

Mgr.: Jure Ramsak, Science and Research Centre of Koper (Slovenia)

V1-20 The Crisis of Socialist Modern Urbanism: Critical Voices on Socialist Urban Planning and Architecture in the 1970s and 1980s - VR 20

Chair: Arpad von Klimo, Catholic U of America

Papers: Malte Rolf, U of Oldenburg (Germany)
"Saving Architectural Heritage: Soviet Preservationism and the
Critical Discourses on Modern Urbanism in the USSR during the
1970s"

Lidia Klein, UNC at Charlotte

"Jane Jacobs Goes East: North Ursynów Housing Complex in
Warsaw"

Petr Roubal, Institute of Contemporary History, CAS (Czech Republic)
"Urban Dystopia on Socialist TV Screens: Czechoslovak Popular
Media and the Challenge to Socialist Modernism"

Mgr.: Petra Svardová, Institute of History, SAS (Slovakia)

V1-21 Peripheral Liberalism: Interdisciplinary Perspectives on Market Economists during the Soviet Collapse, 1970-2000 - VR 21

Chair: David C. Engerman, Yale U

Papers: Olessia Kirtchik, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"A Sociological View of the Russian 'Neoliberal' Moment: Paths to
Power of Soviet Reformist Economists"

Adam E Leeds, Columbia U

"Yegor Gaidar's Comparative Sociology of Hierarchical
Structures"

Kevin Axe, Freie U Berlin (Germany)

"Tallinn – Moscow – Budapest: A Historical and Geographical Re-
assessment of the Intellectual Roots of Market Reforms in Estonia"

Tobias Rupprecht, Freie U Berlin (Germany)

"The Road from Snake Hill: A Global Intellectual History of
Russian Neoliberalism"

Disc.: David C. Engerman, Yale U

Mgr.: Benedict Edward DeDominicis, Catholic U of Korea (South Korea)

V1-22 Managing Nationalism? The National Question and Centre-Periphery Relations during Perestroika - VR 22

Chair: Earl Joshua Hodil, Yale U

Papers: Mike Loader, U of Glasgow (UK)
"Self-Rebranding during Perestroika: The Re-emergence of the
Latvian National Communists as Nationalists"
Riccardo Mario Cucciolla, U of Naples (Italy)
"Soviet 'Disunion' and the Federal Question in the Debates of the
Russian 'Democrats,' 1989-1991"
Carolina de Stefano, U of Eastern Finland (Finland)
"Managing Ethnic Diversity and Conflicts in Times of Crisis:
Experts and the Political Elite in Moscow in the Face of the
Union's Disintegration, 1989-1993"

Disc.: Anna Marie Whittington, Harvard U

Mgr.: Earl Joshua Hodil, Yale U

V1-23 The February 1948 Communist Coup in Czechoslovakia: International Consequences - VR 23

Chair: Marek Cejka, Mendel U in Brno (Czech Republic)

Papers: Vít Smetana, Institute of Contemporary History, CAS (Czech Republic)
"Great Powers and the Communist Coup in Czechoslovakia"
Eva Taterova, Mendel U in Brno (Czech Republic)
"Czechoslovak Part in Creation of the State of Israel"
Martin Nekola, Project Czechoslovak Talks (Czech Republic)
"Communist Coup in Czechoslovakia and the Cold War Exile"
Peter Ruggenthaler, Ludwig Boltzmann Institute for Research of War
Consequences (Austria)
"After Budapest and Prague, Vienna?"

Disc.: Benjamin Frommer, Northwestern U

Mgr.: Eva Taterova, Mendel U in Brno (Czech Republic)

V1-24 Russian Federalism, Political Power, and Pandemic Responses - VR 24

Chair: Ora John Edward Reuter, U of Wisconsin-Milwaukee / NRU Higher
School of Economics (Russia)

Papers: Nikolay Petrov, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"Transition to a New Model of Russian Governors' Appointments
as a Reflection of Regime Transformation"
Joan T. DeBardeleben, Carleton U (Canada)
"Putin's 'Power Vertical' and the Competitiveness of Gubernatorial
Elections in Russia"
Darrell L. Slider, U of South Florida

"A Pandemic of Bad Policies: The Regional Dimension of Russia's
Response to the Covid-19 Crisis"

Margarita Zavadskaia, U of Helsinki (Finland)

"COVID-19 Scepticism in Russia and Its Potential Political
Effects"

Disc.: Ora John Edward Reuter, U of Wisconsin-Milwaukee / NRU Higher
School of Economics (Russia)

Mgr.: Leah Rasmussen, Carleton U

V1-25 The Soviet as anti-Soviet - VR25

Chair: Aleksandr Fokin, Tyumen State U (Russia)

Papers: Aleksandr Fokin, Tyumen State U (Russia)

"Vox populi in the USSR"

Aleksei Aleksejevich Popov, Chelyabinsk State U (Russia)

"Fraternal Mutual Assistance and Economic Relations of the
CMEA Countries: Contradictions between Economic and
Ideological Rationales for Cooperation"

Alexandra S. Arkhipova, Russian Presidential Acad of Nat'l Economy &
Public Admin (Russia)

"Soviet Secret Languages"

Disc.: David Brandenberger, U of Richmond

Mgr.: Aleksandr Fokin, Tyumen State U (Russia)

**V1-26 Painting and Photographing Imperial Russia: Visual Histories of
Time and Space - VR26**

Chair: Tatiana Saburova, Indiana U Bloomington

Papers: Sarah Badcock, U of Nottingham (UK)

"Time Out from the Daily Grind: Ordinary Russians at Rest in the
Art of Ilya Repin"

Dominik Gutmeyr-Schnur, U of Graz (Austria)

"Images of Antiquity and Modernity: Photographing the Imperial
Caucasus in the Early 20th Century"

Tatiana Saburova, Indiana U Bloomington

"Seeing Turkestan from Siberia: Semirech'e between Past and
Future in Photographs of Vasili Sapozhnikov"

Disc.: Peter Waldron, U of East Anglia (UK)

Mgr.: Tatiana Saburova, Indiana U Bloomington

V1-27 Tolstoy and the Universal - VR27

Chair: Tatyana Gershkovich, Carnegie Mellon U

Papers: Elizabeth Frances Geballe, Indiana U Bloomington

"Bring the Interpreter': Tolstoy's Fictional Translators"

D. Brian Kim, U of Pennsylvania

"Unspoken Universals: Tolstoy, Esperanto, and the Problem of
Multilingualism"

Olga Ovcharkaia, Stanford U

"Ethical Dilemma: Tolstoy and Charity during the Russian Famine
of 1891-1892"

Vadim Shneyder, UCLA

"Allegory, Universality, and Tolstoy's Political Parables of 1903"

Disc.: Jinyi Chu, Yale U

Mgr.: Sibelan E. S. Forrester, Swarthmore College

**V1-28 Translation as Intersection I: Translating Diversity in the Soviet
Union - VR 28**

Chair: Ekaterina Samorodnitskaya, Russian Presidential Acad of Nat'l Economy
& Public Admin (Russia)

Papers: Iuliia Kozitskaia, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)

"Kazakh Literature in Russian Translations on the Pages of Soviet
Journals"

Zakhar Ishov, Uppsala U (Sweden)

"Natalya Gorbanevskaya and Joseph Brodsky: Translating Poland"

Hannu Kemppanen, U of Eastern Finland (Finland)

"Creating or Hiding Diversity through Translation?: The Covers of
Western Rock Records Released during the Perestroika Period and
the Early 1990s"

Disc.: Susanna Witt, Stockholm U (Sweden)

Mgr.: Maria Y. Khotimsky, MIT

V1-29 Problems of State-building - VR29

Chair: Raymond Casimer Taras, Tulane U

Papers: Zulfiyya Abdurahimova, Harvard U

"Reaching the Poor: Welfare Regimes in Resource-Rich
Authoritarian Regimes Azerbaijan, Kazakhstan, and Russia"

Per Ekman, Uppsala U (Sweden)

"What Explains Success and Failure in State Building?: Evidence
from Ukraine and Georgia After the Color Revolutions"

Disc.: Mark R. Beissinger, Princeton U

Mgr.: Allison Schmidt, U of Pennsylvania

**V1-30 Contemporary Russian Language and Discourse II: Historical Roots
and Contemporary Applications of Russian Political Discourse - VR30**

Chair: Ksenia Kiriya, Independent Scholar
Papers: Elaine Marie McClarnand MacKinnon, U of West Georgia
"Bolshevizing the Commedia dell'arte in Early Soviet Theater: An Analysis of the Semantics and Semiotics of Konstantin Miklashevsky's The Last Bourgeois"
Elena Volkova, Moscow State U (Russia)
"Biblical Protest: Alexey Navalny as Religious Character"
Ksenia Kiriya, Independent Scholar
"He-Who-Must-Not-Be-Named: What Does Kremlin Call Alexey Navalny?"
Alexei Shmelev, Moscow State Pedagogical U (Russia)
"Special Cases of Gender Agreement in Russian"
Disc.: Anna Plisetskaya, Charles U in Prague (Czech Republic)
Mgr.: Aleksandra Shubina, Ohio State U

V1-31 Re-configuring Urban Spaces of Central Europe: 1918 to Present - VR31

Chair: Robert Balogh, U of Public Service (Hungary)
Papers: Csaba Zahoran, National U of Public Services (Hungary)
"Roman Past – Romanian Future: Symbolic Nationalizing of Romanian Cities Since 1918 – The Case of the Capitoline Wolf Statues"
Dana Kusnirova, Pavol Jozef Safarik U (Slovakia)
"Kosice's Industrial Development as Path Dependency"
Robert Balogh, U of Public Service (Hungary)
"The Role of Energy, Coal, and Interests in the Remaking of an Urban Center in Southern Hungary"
Disc.: Patricia Fogelova, Centre of Social and Psychological Sciences of Slovak Academy of Sciences, Institute of Social Sciences
Mgr.: Aliide Naylor, Independent Scholar

V1-32 What Can We Learn from Each Other?: Frank Conversations between Translators and Authors - (Roundtable) - VR32

Sponsored by: East European Politics and Societies and Cultures
Chair: Krzysztof Jasiewicz, Washington and Lee U
Part.: Sean Cotter, U of Texas at Dallas
Przemysław Czaplinski, Adam Mickiewicz U (Poland)
Jiří Suk, Institute for Contemporary History, CAS (Czech Republic)
Joanna Trzeciak, Kent State U
Andrzej W. Tymowski, American Council of Learned Societies
Mgr.: Krzysztof Jasiewicz, Washington and Lee U

V1-33 The Remobilization and Rehabilitation of Veterans in Eastern Europe: 1918-1925 - VR33

Chair: Piotr J. Wrobel, U of Toronto (Canada)
Papers: Oksana Dudko, U of Toronto (Canada)
"The Comrade Jesus Christ Resurrected': Remobilization of Ukrainian Galician Army Soldiers into the Red Army"
Aleksandra Pomiecko, US Holocaust Memorial Museum
"Soldiers Remobilized as 'Green Partisans' in the Polish-Soviet Borderlands, 1918-1925"
Oksana Vynnyk, U of Alberta (Canada)
"Remobilization Versus Rehabilitation: Veterans in Interwar Lviv"
Thomas C. Stevens, U of Pennsylvania
"The Rehabilitation of Red and Rebel Veterans in 1920s Soviet Tambov"
Disc.: Jochen Boehler, U of Jena (Germany)
Mgr.: Christine Grant, Carnegie Mellon U

V1-34 HIV/AIDS in Post-Soviet Culture and Social Life - VR34

Chair: Tatiana Klepikova, U of Potsdam
Papers: Ekaterina Suverina, Garage Museum of Contemporary Art
"Sexuality, Gender Politics, and HIV Epidemic in Contemporary Russia"
Tatiana Klepikova, U of Potsdam
"Whose Epidemic?: 'Viral Dramaturgies' of HIV/AIDS in Russian Theater and Drama"
Alexander Kondakov, U College Dublin (Ireland)
"An Approach to the Study of HIV among Gay and Bisexual Men in the Former USSR"
Alexandra Novitskaya, Stony Brook U
"Gay, Male, HIV+, and Russian: Intersectionality in Transnational Queer Migration"
Mgr.: Tatiana Klepikova, U of Potsdam

V1-35 The Oeuvre of Vladimir Sharov: Beyond History - (Roundtable) - VR35

Chair: Anastasia de La Fortelle, U of Lausanne (Switzerland)
Part.: Anastasia de La Fortelle, U of Lausanne (Switzerland)
Alexander Dmitriev, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
Amina Gabrielova, Purdue U
Mark N. Lipovetsky, Columbia U
Mgr.: Anastasia de La Fortelle, U of Lausanne (Switzerland)

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Friday, December 3 (CST)
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V1-36 New Wine and Old Bottles: Innovative Approaches to Old Russian Sources - VR36

Chair: Gwyn M Bourlakov, US Air Force

Papers: Cornelia Soldat, U of Cologne (Germany)

"Heinrich von Staden and the Conquest of Mexico"

Brian James Boeck, DePaul U

"The Rise and Fall of an All-Russian Saint: Nikita and His Patron, Pimen of Novgorod, 1553-1570"

Evgeny Grishin, St. Patrick's College, Maynooth

"Miatezh' in the Church: Religious Dissent in the Documents from Late Seventeenth-century Viatka"

Disc.: Elena Boeck, DePaul U

Mgr.: Cornelia Soldat, U of Cologne (Germany)

V1-37 Making Contact: Russian Interactions with the West in the Nineteenth Century and in the Early Soviet Period - VR37

Chair: Lars Thomas Lih, Independent Scholar

Papers: Adam Coker, Brewton-Parker College

"A la Francaise: French Cultural Influence on the Decembrists"

Jeanie Welch, Independent Scholar

"Sailing Forbidden Seas: Nineteenth Century Russian-American Maritime Disputes"

Kelly J Evans, Eastern Washington U

"Lenin on America: Lenin's Contacts with American Workers"

Disc.: Lars Thomas Lih, Independent Scholar

Mgr.: Jeanie Welch, Independent Scholar

V1-38 University in Uncertainty: The Russian Case (Historical and Sociological Aspects) - VR38

Chair: Andrey Shcherbenok, U of Tyumen (Russia)

Papers: Mikhail Gribovskiy, Tomsk State U (Russia)

"'The Rebellious Professor': A Protest Activity in the University Environment of the Early XX Century"

Alexander N. Sorokin, Tyumen State U (Russia)

"'Homo Universitates' in the Context of Socio-cultural and Political Transformations: A Key Study of Siberian Universities in the Soviet Period"

Victor Taki, U of Rochester / Tomsk State U / U of Tyumen

"HiPO Students: Options for Passive Rebellion and Active Actions (Case of Tomsk State University)"

Irina Dezhina, Skolkovo Institute of Science and Technology (Russia)

"XXI Century: Combining Teaching and Research in Russian Universities: Changing Formats"

Disc.: Harley D. Balzer, Georgetown U

Mgr.: Victor Taki, U of Rochester / Tomsk State U / U of Tyumen

Virtual Session 2 – Wednesday – 10:00-11:45 am

V2-01 Periodicals as Data: Hands-on Workshop II - VR 1

Chair: Andrew Paul Janco, Haverford College

Mgr.: Andrew Paul Janco, Haverford College

V2-02 The Role and Dynamics of the Opposition in Russia: From Centre to Periphery - VR 2

Chair: Margarita Zavadskaya, U of Helsinki (Finland)

Papers: Oleksiy Bondarenko, U of Kent (UK)

"Between Loyalty and Opposition: The Communist Party of Russia and a New Centre-periphery Divide"

Jan Matti Dollbaum, U of Bremen (Germany)

"The Long-term Effects of Protest on Opposition Politics in Autocracies"

Julia Baumann, Ludwig-Maximilians-U Munich (Germany)

"How Does Opposition Contest Municipal Elections Under the Conditions of Electoral Authoritarianism?: Exploring Local Dynamics in Contemporary Russia"

Disc.: Margarita Zavadskaya, U of Helsinki (Finland)

Mgr.: Oleksiy Bondarenko, U of Kent (UK)

V2-03 Language, Textual Tradition, and Interpretation in Medieval Slavic Culture - VR 3

Chair: Jan Ivar Bjørnflaten, U of Oslo (Norway)

Papers: Andriy Danylenko, Pace U

"Thietmar and al-Mas'ūdī on Slavic Gods, Temples, and Writing"

Marcello Garzaniti, U of Florence (Italy)

"Glossolalia and Liturgy in Vita Constantini-Cyrilli (VC XV:2)"

Thomas Karl Daiber, U of Giessen (Germany)

"Accepted or Translated?: The Church Offices in Vita Constantini-Cyrilli (VC V:2)"

Robert Romanchuk, Florida State U

"The Muscovite Traditions of Digenis Akritis and Buovo d'Antona"

Disc.: Ivan N Petrov, U of Lodz (Poland)

Mgr.: Ekaterina V. Klimenko, Institute of Philosophy and Sociology, PAS (Poland)

V2-04 New Perspectives on Russian Digital Political Culture: II - (Roundtable) - VR 4

Chair: Vera Zvereva, U of Jyväskylä (Finland)

Part.: Alexandra S. Arkhipova, Russian Presidential Acad of Nat'l Economy & Public Admin (Russia)

Svetlana S. Bodrunova, St Petersburg State U (Russia)

Ksenia Ermoshina, CIS CNRS / Citizen Lab (France)

Mgr.: Michael S. Gorham, U of Florida

V2-05 History of the Present - (Roundtable) - VR 5

Chair: Joachim von Puttkamer, U of Jena (Germany)

Part.: Bathsheba Rose Demuth, Brown U

Dimitar Kenarov, Independent Scholar

Ondrej Slacalek, Charles U in Prague (Czech Republic)

Dariusz Stola, Institute of Political Studies, PAS (Poland)

Mgr.: Holly Case, Brown U

V2-06 Solidarity Contested II: Religious, Ethnic, and National Solidarities and Indifference in Russia's Western Borderlands, 1830s-1930s - VR 6

Chair: Mara Veronica Kozelsky, U of South Alabama

Papers: Heather J. Coleman, U of Alberta (Canada)

"Confessional Indifference and the Nationalizing Church in 19th-Century Kyiv Province"

Catherine Gibson, U of Tartu (Estonia)

"Converts, Reconverts, and Half-Believers: Mapping Shades of Religious Belonging in the Baltic Provinces"

Darius Staliunas, Lithuanian Institute of History (Lithuania)

"Can the Tsar Protect a House of God?: The 'Kraziai Massacre' of 1893"

Disc.: Barbara J. Skinner, Indiana State U

Mgr.: Moira O'Shea, U of Chicago

V2-07 Book Discussion: "Weak Strongman: The Limits of Power in Putin's Russia," by Timothy Frye - (Roundtable) - VR 7

Chair: Scott Gehlbach, U of Chicago

Part.: David C. Engerman, Yale U

Bryn Rosenfeld, Cornell U

Katerina Ivanovna Tertychnaya, U College London (UK)

Mgr.: Mary Arnstein, Association for Slavic, East European, and Eurasian Studies

V2-09 Poland Between East and West: Third Way Narratives and New Identity Construction - VR 9

Chair: Claudia Rose Kelley, Columbia U

- Papers:* Raymond Andrew Patton, CUNY John Jay College of Criminal Justice
"Between Metropole and Periphery: Poles and Colonialism in the Late 19th Century"
Eleanor Soekorv, U of Pittsburgh
"The Three Seas Initiative: A Total Repudiation of Piłsudski's Intermarium project?"
Tadeusz Jerzy Koczanowicz, U of Zurich (Switzerland)
"Making of a Nation or a New Social Sensitivity?: Edward Abramowski and the Frankfurt School"
- Disc.:* Christopher Caes, Columbia U
Mgr.: Anastasia Felcher, Blinken Open Society Archives (Hungary)
- V2-10 Texts and Contexts - VR 10**
Chair: Barbara Henry, U of Washington
Papers: Ksenia Papazova, U of Manchester (UK)
"A byl li mal'chik?": Vintage Book Design and Our Three Senses"
Richard Tate, U of Florida
"Grazing at the Edge of Empires: Resilience of Plant Use Knowledge in Ach'ara, Georgia (Caucasus)"
Agata Zborowska, U of Warsaw (Poland)
"Negotiating Ownership Relations in Post-War Poland: Insights from Period Diaries"
James H. Meyer, Montana State U
"A Wary Embrace: Nâzım Hikmet's Flight to the USSR"
- Disc.:* Nathaniel Knight, Seton Hall U
Mgr.: Katherina Boicheva Kokinova, Bulgarian Academy of Sciences (Bulgaria)
- V2-11 Shifting Pluralities in the East European Legal-Political Landscape: 19th-early 20th Centuries - VR 11**
Chair: Emily Greble, Vanderbilt U
Papers: Iva Lucic, Uppsala U (Sweden)
"Nature and Law on a Multiple-Imperial State Margin: Forest Use Regulation in Bosnia-Herzegovina during the Inter-imperial Transition from Ottoman to Austro-Hungarian Empire, 1878-1908"
Vladislav Lilic, Vanderbilt U
"War and Peace in Imperial Borderlands: The Ottoman-Montenegrin War of 1862 and the Dogged Indeterminacy of Sovereignty"
Patrick Monson, Princeton U
"Towards a More 'Just, Merciful, and Equal Court for All Our Subjects': Legal Reform in Imperial Russia's Baltic Region, 1860-

- 1880"
Disc.: Stefan Bastian Kirmse, U of Leibniz ZMO (Germany)
Virginia Martin, U of Wisconsin-Madison
Mgr.: Benedict Edward DeDominicis, Catholic U of Korea (South Korea)
- V2-12 Spectacle, Complaint, and Representation: Disability Advocacy from the late-Soviet Period to the Present in Russia and Central Asia - VR 12**
Chair: Cassandra Hartblay, U of Toronto Scarborough (Canada)
Papers: Gyuzel Kamalova, U of Toronto (Canada)
Cassandra Hartblay, U of Toronto Scarborough (Canada)
"Legacies of Late-Soviet Disability Advocacy: First Floor Apartments and Public Complaint in Northwestern Russia"
Svetlana Borodina, Columbia U
"Spectacular Aesthetics of Disability Inclusion and Exclusion in Russia"
Dilmurad Yusupov, U of Sussex (UK)
"The Legacy of Soviet Disability Organising as a Barrier for Grassroots and Cross-Disability Movement in Uzbekistan"
- Disc.:* Anna Klepikova, European U at St. Petersburg (Russia)
Mgr.: Svetlana Borodina, Columbia U
- V2-13 Cultural Diplomacy: Soviet Internationalism after World War II in Europe and the Developing World - VR 13**
Chair: Elizabeth Bishop, Texas State U
Papers: Virginia Carter Olmsted McGraw, Colby College
"Designers Abroad: Soviet Fashions and Consumer Goods at International Competitions and Trade Fairs"
Severyan Dyakonov, The Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies (Switzerland)
"Soviet and American Evaluation of Each Others' Public Diplomacy Programs in India in the 1950s/60s"
Riikkamari Johanna Muhonen, Central European U (Hungary)
"Foreign Friends of the Soviet Union?: Soviet Internationalism in Higher Education"
- Disc.:* Elizabeth Bishop, Texas State U
Mgr.: Zayra M Badillo Castro, SOAS U of London (UK)
- V2-14 Beyond Journalism: The Mediatization Theory Approach to Ukrainian Mediascape - VR 14**
Chair: Kateryna Boyko, Uppsala U (Sweden)

Papers: Kateryna Boyko, Uppsala U (Sweden)
"The Digital Tortuga: Illegal File-Sharing and the Mediatisation of Civic Engagement"

Natalya Ryabinska, Collegium Civitas (Poland)
"Taking Humor Seriously: Shared Knowledge in Zelensky's 'Vecherniy Kvartal' Show"

Roman Horbyk, Södertörn U (Sweden)
"Home and War in the Pocket: The Use of Mobile Communication Technology on the Frontline in Eastern Ukraine"

Disc.: Marta Dyczok, U of Western Ontario (Canada)

Mgr.: Roman Horbyk, Södertörn U (Sweden)

V2-15 The Postsecular Approach to Memory Processes: Eastern Europe and Russia - VR 15

Chair: Nikolai Vukov, Bulgarian Academy of Sciences (Bulgaria)

Papers: Zuzanna Bogumil, Institute of Archaeology and Ethnology, PAS (Poland)
"On the Postsecular Memory of Soviet Repressions in Russia"

Yuliya Yurchuk, Umeå U (Sweden)

Andrii Fert, National U of "Kyiv-Mohyla Academy" (Ukraine)
"Sacralization of Memory of Euromaidan Protests from a Post-secular Perspective"

Agata Sustova Drelova, Institute of History, SAS (Slovakia)
"Martyrdom for Purity: Catholic Memory and Sexuality in Postsocialist Slovakia"

Disc.: Irina K. Paert, U of Tartu (Estonia)

Piotr H Kosicki, U of Maryland, College Park

Mgr.: Zuzanna Bogumil, Institute of Archaeology and Ethnology, PAS (Poland)

V2-16 Conflict, Displacement, and Trauma: Gathering and Interpreting Oral Histories in the South Caucasus - VR 16

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Chair: Stephen Francis Jones, Mt Holyoke College

Papers: Syuzanna Petrosyan, U of Southern California
"The Start of the Karabakh Movement: Perceptions, Hopes, and Intentions"

Irina Levin, Arizona State U
"Displaced People, Misplaced History: The Incommensurable Histories of Ahiska/Meskheta"

Irakli Khvadagiani, SOVLAB (Georgia)
"The Victims of Post-Stalinist Political Terror in Georgia: Live Shadows of Forgotten History"

Disc.: Timothy K. Blauvelt, Ilia State U (Georgia)

Mgr.: Ellen Bleier, U of Notre Dame

V2-17 History, Politics, and Memory: The South Caucasus from the Romanovs and Ottomans to the Putin-Erdogan Era - VR 17

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Chair: Stephen Badalyan Riegg, Texas A&M U

Papers: Asya Darbinyan, Clark U
"Deceived' or 'Saved?': Russian Authorities and the Ottoman-Armenian Refugees in the Caucasus during the First World War"
Ani Garabed Ohanian, Clark U

"Violent Memories: The Entangled Histories of Bolsheviks and Kemalists in the South Caucasus"

Pietro Annanias Shakarian, American U (Armenia)

"Between Moscow and Ankara: Anastas Mikoyan and Armenian National Narratives during the Thaw, 1954-1964"

Artyom H. Tonoyan, U of Minnesota

"Caucasus in Turmoil: Religion and Violence During the Second Karabakh War"

Disc.: Stephen Badalyan Riegg, Texas A&M U

Mgr.: Aliide Naylor, Independent Scholar

V2-18 Continuities and Encounters in Postwar Jewish History: Polish and Soviet Case Studies - VR 18

Chair: Kamil Kijek, U of Wroclaw (Poland)

Papers: Nicole Freeman, Ohio State U
"Restoring Childhood and Rebuilding Jewish Life: Educational Activities at Children's Homes in Poland, 1945-1950"

Frankee Lyons, U of Illinois at Chicago

"Beyond Israel: Jewish Responses to the Gomułka Aliyah, 1956-1960"

Douglas E. Selvage, Humboldt U Berlin (Germany)

"'Zionism is Fascism': Antizionism (and Antisemitism) in Soviet-Bloc Propaganda and Active Measures, 1967-1989"

Alexandra Zborovskiy, U of Pennsylvania

"Venetian Waltz, Roman Holiday, American Tragedy': Soviet Jewish Expectations and Encounters in Transit"

Disc.: Kamil Kijek, U of Wroclaw (Poland)

Mgr.: Kamil Kijek, U of Wroclaw (Poland)

V2-19 Developing Successful Curriculum for Reaching ILR 2/3 - VR 19

Chair: Maria V Bourlatskaya, U of Pennsylvania
Papers: Maria V Bourlatskaya, U of Pennsylvania
"Enriching Curriculum with Projects Involving Native Speakers"
Maria Alley, U of Pennsylvania
"Archives-based Tasks in Advanced-level Language and Culture Curriculum"
Olena Chernishenko, ICA
"Reaching ILR 2/2/1+: Enriched Curriculum"
Disc.: Olga Ogurtsova, Beloit College
Mgr.: Olena Chernishenko, ICA

V2-20 The Enduring Question of National Identity - VR 20

Chair: Carolina de Stefano, U of Eastern Finland (Finland)
Papers: Vanni D'Alessio, U of Naples (Italy)
"Ethnic Surfing and Minority Identification: Choosing Italian Schooling in Socialist Yugoslavia"
Biljana Vujcic, U of Toronto (Canada)
"Serbian and Queer in the West: Diaspora Postsocialist Studies of Nationalism & Identity Formation"
Sanja Puljar D'Alessio, U of Rijeka (Croatia)
Boris Ruzic, U of Rijeka (Croatia)
"The Balkan Route: Locals' and Migrants' Perception of the 'Migrant Image' in Croatian Gorski Kotar"
Larysa Bilous, U of Alberta (Canada)
"Anti-Semitism in Kyiv (1914-1918): The Continuum of Violence"
Disc.: Nikolay Zakharov, Södertörn U (Sweden)
Mgr.: Nana Gulic, U of Toronto (Canada)

V2-21 Bakhtin's Polyphonic Voices and Revolutionary Russia - VR 21

Sponsored by: Allan K. Wildman Group for the Study of Society, Politics, and Culture in the Russian Revolutionary Era
Chair: Boris B Gorshkov, Kennesaw State U
Papers: Lara Douds, Northumbria U (UK)
"Petitioning the Soviet President, 1919-24: The Role of Kalenin's Reception in Establishing Soviet Power"
Michael Stanford Melancon, Auburn U
"Bakhtin's Experience as Left SR in 1917-18: The Theory of Polyphony vs Monologue in the Making"
Alice K. Pate, Kennesaw State U
"The Russian Intelligentsia and 1917"

Ian Thatcher, U of Ulster (UK)
"Liberalism and the Rule of Law in 1917"

Disc.: Boris B Gorshkov, Kennesaw State U
Mgr.: Alice K. Pate, Kennesaw State U

V2-22 The New Cycle of Populism & Nationalism - VR 22

Chair: Istvan Benczes, Corvinus U (Hungary)
Papers: Lenka Bustikova-Siroky, Arizona State U
"Support for Uncivil Society and Radical Right Parties: A List Experiment in Ukraine"
Florian Bieber, U of Graz (Austria)
"Genetic Nationalism: The Use of DNA Testing in Balkan Nationalist Discourses"
Roman Hlatky, U of Texas at Austin
"EU Influence and Nationalist Voting: Evidence from Central and Eastern Europe"
Tsveta Petrova, Columbia U
Maria Snegovaya, Johns Hopkins U
"From Democratization to Populism: Explaining the Rise and Resilience of Populism in Central Europe"
Disc.: Krisztina Szabó, Corvinus U (Hungary)
Joanna Orzechowska-Waclawska, Jagiellonian U (Poland)
Mgr.: Allison Schmidt, U of Pennsylvania

V2-23 Teaching Gender in Russia: Challenges, Opportunities, Futures - (Roundtable) - VR 23

Chair: Laurie Essig, Middlebury College
Part.: Laurie Essig, Middlebury College
Ella Rossman, U College London (UK)
Pavel Vasilyev, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia) / Siberian State Medical U (Russia)
Elena Zdravomyslova, European U at St. Petersburg (Russia)
Mgr.: Viktoria Vinokurova, Higher School of Economics

V2-24 The Art of Diversity: Representation of Difference in Interwar Central Europe - VR 24

Chair: Tamara Scheer, Pontifical Institute Santa Maria dell' Anima (Italy)
Papers: Marta Filipova, Masaryk U (Czech Republic)
"Selling Blackness in Modern Central European Art"
Vendula Hnidková, U of Birmingham (UK)
"Czech Minority Schools: A Massive Propaganda Tool?"

Julia Secklehner, Masaryk U (Czech Republic)

"Uncovering Diversity: Visual Representations of
Czechoslovakia's Multi-Ethnic Heritage"

Disc.: Nicholas Sawicki, Lehigh University

Mgr.: Marta Filipova, Masaryk U (Czech Republic)

**V2-25 Evolution and Revolution: Darwinism in Russian Radical Thought -
VR25**

Chair: Fabian Baumann, U of Chicago

Papers: Brendan Mooney, Miami U

"Huxley's Darwinism and Revolutionary Thought in Russia"

Pascale Danielle Siegrist, German Historical Institute (UK)

"Socialist Darwinism: Mutual Aid and the Anarchist Tradition"

Mirjam Voerkelius, U of Maryland, Baltimore County

"The 'Second Home of Darwinism': Darwinism, Revolution, and
the Moscow Darwin Museum"

Disc.: Elena Aronova, UC Santa Barbara

Mgr.: Fabian Baumann, U of Chicago

**V2-26 Captive Historiography: New Research on Marxism-Leninism in
Eastern Europe before De-Stalinization - VR26**

Chair: Jan Mervart, Institute of Philosophy, CAS (Czech Republic)

Papers: Adela Hincu, Institute for Philosophy "Alexandru Dragomir" (Romania)

Stefan Baghiu, Lucian Blaga U of Sibiu (Romania)

"The Other of Marxism-Leninism: Debates on Existentialism in
1950s Romania"

Una Blagojevic, Central European U (Hungary)

"Philosophical Fronts in Yugoslavia: Varieties of Marxism-
Leninism in the 1950s"

Zsafia Lorand, U of Cambridge (UK)

"Women's Rights and Marxism-Leninism in Post-WWII Hungary"

Agata Zysiak, U of Warsaw (Poland)

"Marxism in Practice?: Thinking the University and Working-class
Education in Postwar Poland"

Disc.: Jan Mervart, Institute of Philosophy, CAS (Czech Republic)

Mgr.: Adela Hincu, Institute for Philosophy "Alexandru Dragomir" (Romania)

V2-27 Cognitive Historicism in Russian Literature - VR27

Chair: Polina Dimcheva Dimova, U of Denver

Papers: Brett Cooke, Texas A&M U

"Sense and Sentimentalism: Emotional Contagion in and of 'Poor

Liza'"

Valeriia Mutc, Yale U

"The Science of Theater: Cognitive Psychology in the Drama of
Anton Chekhov and Lev Tolstoy"

Amina Gabrielova, Purdue U

"Sharov and Krzhizhanovsky on Theater and Life"

Disc.: MATTHEW MANGOLD, George Mason University

Mgr.: Mykyta Tyshchenko, Ohio State U

**V2-28 Moral Economies in an Age of State Expansion: Urban and Rural
Claim-making and the Social Contract in Eastern/East-Central
Europe, 1905-39 - VR 28**

Chair: Immo Rebitschek, U of Jena (Germany)

Papers: Claire Morelon, U of Padua (Italy)

"Social Justice and Citizenship: Cost-of-living Protests in the
Bohemian Lands, 1905-1920"

Colleen M Moore, James Madison U

"Mobilizing the Moral Economy: How Russian Peasants
Legitimated the State during World War I"

Gábor Egry, Institute of Political History (Hungary)

"The Moral Economy of High Imperial Capital?: The (Non-
)Nationalization of Foreign Companies in Post-WWI Romania and
the Idea of a Romanian National Economy"

Lucian George, U of Oxford (UK)

"Greedy Farmers versus Workshy Workers: Urban-Rural Moral
Competition and the Shadow of WWI in the Politics of Interwar
Czechoslovakia"

Disc.: David William Darrow, U of Dayton

Mgr.: David William Darrow, U of Dayton

**V2-29 Translation as Intersection II: Translating Intersectionality and
Interdisciplinarity - VR29**

Chair: Aleksei Semenenko, Umeå U (Sweden)

Papers: Lada Kolomiyets, Taras Shevchenko National U of Kyiv (Ukraine)

"Teaching Translation Studies as an Interdiscipline in the Early
Soviet Ukraine"

Evgeniia Belskaia, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)

"Unity in Diversity: French Translators of La Littérature
Internationale"

Elena Ostrovskaya, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)

"Black and White: African-American poetry in the 1930 USSR"

Susanna Witt, Stockholm U (Sweden)

"At the Intersection of World and Soviet Literature: The Case of Aleksandr Deich"

Disc.: Brian James Baer, Kent State U

Mgr.: Maria Y. Khotimsky, MIT

V2-30 Hopes and Realities of Soviet and post-Soviet Reforms: Phases and Forms of Reform Attempts from Khrushchev to Early Putin - (Roundtable) - VR30

Chair: Jeffrey Kenneth Hass, U of Richmond / St. Petersburg State U (Russia)

Part.: Kirill Boldovskiy, Russian Academy of Sciences (Russia)

Paul Thomas Christensen, Boston College

Jeffrey Kenneth Hass, U of Richmond / St. Petersburg State U (Russia)

Nikita Andreevich Lomagin, European U at St. Petersburg (Russia)

Denis Melnik, HSE University (Moscow)

Mgr.: Jeffrey Kenneth Hass, U of Richmond / St. Petersburg State U (Russia)

V2-31 New Readings of Nikolai Leskov's Classics - VR31

Chair: Olga Y. Maiorova, U of Michigan

Papers: Madeline Tingle, Columbia U

"On and Under Horses: The Depiction of Violence in Nikolai Leskov's 'The Enchanted Wanderer'"

Ani Abrahamyan, Indiana U Bloomington

"Between Ethnography and Fiction: Pavel Yakushkin's Influence on Leskov's Early Prose"

Maya Kucherskaya, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)

"What Leskov is Made of?"

Disc.: Olga Y. Maiorova, U of Michigan

Gabriella Safran, Stanford U

Mgr.: Sibelan E. S. Forrester, Swarthmore College

V2-32 Sino-Russian Relations II: Water, Food, and Environment - VR32

Chair: Keun Wook Paik, Oxford Institute for Energy Studies (UK)

Papers: Jiayi Zhou, Stockholm International Peace Research Institute (Sweden)

"Food and Agricultural Geopolitics in the Sino-Russian Rapprochement"

Li Guo, U of British Columbia (Canada)

"Eco-Developmental Leadership in the Making?: Three Fronts of China's Biodiversity Governance and the Implications for China's Cooperation with Russia and BRI Countries on Sustainability"

Elizabeth Anne Wishnick, Montclair State U

"Many Rivers to Cross: Water at the Nexus of China's Eurasian Integration Plans"

Eugene Simonov, Rivers without Boundaries International Coalition

"China-Eurasia Hydrohegemony Ltd"

Disc.: Elena Feditchkina Tracy, U of Illinois

Mgr.: Elena Feditchkina Tracy, U of Illinois

V2-33 Gender-based Violence in Eastern Europe: History, Forms, Understanding, and Emancipation - (Roundtable) - VR33

Chair: Violeta Davoliute, Vilnius U (Lithuania)

Part.: Dovile Budryte, Georgia Gwinnett College

Daina S. Eglitis, George Washington U

Alexandra Martha Hrycak, Reed College

Monika Kareniauskaite, Lithuanian Institute of History (Lithuania)

Mara Lazda, CUNY Bronx Community College

Mgr.: Tetiana Shyshkina, Central European U (Hungary)

V2-34 B-Sides (of) Dominant Culture: From Marginal Fictions to the Fictionalization of Margins - VR34

Chair: Tatjana Rosic Ilic, Singidunum U (Serbia)

Papers: Dragan Momir Djordjevic, XIII Belgrade Grammar School (Serbia)

"The Rubber Soul Project (1995) and Its Lonely Road between Poetics and Ideologies"

Tatjana Rosic Ilic, Singidunum U (Serbia)

"Winter Diary by Srdjan Valjarevic and Vesna Pavlovic: Mapping the Transitional Necropolitics"

Goran Lazicic, U of Graz (Austria)

"East of Hatamah: Diversity and Intersectionality in Kristian Novak's Novel 'A Gipsy, but the Handsomest'"

Disc.: Tatjana Aleksic, U of Michigan

Mgr.: John Meyers, LASA

V2-35 Socialism or Barbarism IV: Was Socialism Good For Women? I: Socialism, Women, and Social Reproduction - VR35

Chair: Katja Praznik, U at Buffalo

Papers: Tamara Vukov, U de Montréal (Canada)

"We Had All of That, It Was Just Called Something Different': Tracing Alternative Lineages of Social Reproduction in Yugoslav Socialist Legacies"

Jana Kujundzic, U of Essex (UK)

"Women Worker and Partisan or a Rape Victim?: Yugoslavia's

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Socialist Legacy and Violence Against Women"

Wiktoria Szczupacka, Institute of Art, PAS (Poland)

"Avant-garde, Women, and Work: Based on the Example of Three
Warsaw Institutions of the 1970s"

Ivana Hanacek, U of Zadar (Croatia)

"The Mother and the Worker: Contextual Readings of the
Representation of Women in Socialist Realist Art in Croatia"

Disc.: Yulia Gradszkova, Stockholm U (Sweden)

Mgr.: Katja Praznik, U at Buffalo

**V2-37 In Pursuit of a Modus Vivendi: National Mythmaking in the Soviet
Bloc - VR37**

Chair: Olga Kim, Williams College

Papers: Inese Strupule, U College London (UK)

"Ingvars Leitis's Documentary Films on Ethnic Latvians in Siberia,
1975–89: Religion, Human Rights, and National Representation"

Eve Barden, U of Pittsburgh

"The Sacred, the Profane, the Symbolic Space and Time, and the
Medieval Self in the Stop-motion Short Secha pri Kerzhentse
(1971)"

Disc.: Olga Kim, Williams College

Mark M. Trotter, Indiana U Bloomington

Mgr.: Olga Kim, Williams College

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- V3-01 Periodicals as Data: Hands-on Workshop III - VR 1**
Mgr.: Andrew Paul Janco, Haverford College
- V3-02 Jerusalems here, Jerusalems there...: The Current State of Research on the Theme of Jerusalem in Early Modern Russia - (Roundtable) - VR 2**
Chair: Eve Levin, U of Kansas
Part.: Kevin Michael Kain, U of Wisconsin-Green Bay
Daniel B. Rowland, U of Kentucky
Cornelia Soldat, U of Cologne (Germany)
Mgr.: Anastasia Felcher, Blinken Open Society Archives (Hungary)
- V3-03 Cult, Gender, Charisma: Female and Male Leader Figures in 20th Century Hungarian Media - VR 3**
Chair: Arpad von Klimo, Catholic U of America
Papers: Dóra Czeferner PhD, Hungarian Academy of Sciences (Hungary)
"Female Monster, Soviet Spy, or Pioneer of Women's Emancipation?: Images of Rosika Schwimmer in the Hungarian Press"
Arpad von Klimo, Catholic U of America
"The Cardinal versus the Red Dictator: Jozsef Mindszenty and Matyas Rakosi in Hungarian Media"
Balazs Apor, Trinity College Dublin (Ireland)
"Historical Legacies and Political Image-Building in Hungary under János Kádár and Viktor Orbán"
Disc.: Judith Szapor, McGill U (Canada)
Steven Jobbitt, Lakehead U (Canada)
Mgr.: Ellen Bleier, U of Notre Dame
- V3-04 From Borderland to No Man's Land: Jewish Refugees and Statelessness on the Demarcation Line of German-Occupied Poland - VR 4**
Chair: Natalia Aleksium, Touro College
Papers: Lidia Zessin-Jurek, Masaryk Institute and Archives CAS (Czech Republic)
"Outlaws in No Man's Land: Polish Jewish Refugees on the 1939 German-Soviet Border"
Michal Frankl, Masaryk Institute and Archives CAS (Czech Republic)
"Dark Side of a Triangle: The Suwałki No Man's Land"
Wolfgang Schellenbacher, Documentation Centre of Austrian Resistance (Austria)
"We Can't Go Back or Forward...': Austrian Jews in the Nisko

- Border Region, 1939-1940"
Disc.: Natalia Aleksium, Touro College
Mgr.: Agnes Katalin Kelemen, Masaryk Institute and Archives, CAS (Czech Republic)
- V3-05 Soviet and Post-Soviet Prison Texts Reconsidered - VR 5**
Chair: Wilson Tharpa Bell, Thompson Rivers U (Canada)
Papers: Olga Muller Cooke, Texas A&M U
"Monuments of Internal Freedom': Evgenia Ginzburg and Nina Gagen-Torn in Kolyma"
Emily Stetson Van Buskirk, Rutgers, The State U of New Jersey
"Varlam Shalamov's Documentary Prose: The Kolyma Tales and Literature of Fact"
Jose Vergara, Bryn Mawr College
"Make It Old, Make It New: Khodorkovsky, Navalny, and Post-Soviet Prison Stories"
Disc.: Cynthia A. Ruder, U of Kentucky
Mgr.: Jose Vergara, Bryn Mawr College
- V3-06 Book Discussion: "The Autocratic Middle Class: How State Dependency Reduces the Demand for Democracy," by Bryn Rosenfeld - (Roundtable) - VR 6**
Chair: Grigore Pop-Eleches, Princeton U
Part.: Timothy M. Frye, Columbia U
Pauline Jones, U of Michigan
Tomila V Lankina, LSE (UK)
Mgr.: Bryn Rosenfeld, Cornell U
- V3-09 Dostoevsky's Imperial Ideologies - VR 9**
Chair: Vadim Shneyder, UCLA
Papers: Kate Rowan Holland, U of Toronto (Canada)
"Temporality in Dostoevsky's Imperial Imagination"
Lynn E. Patyk, Dartmouth College
"Selling War: Concern and Atrocity in Dostoevsky's 'A Writer's Diary'"
Edyta Bojanowska, Yale U
"Dostoevsky's Pushkin Speech, or the Dark Side of (Russian) Universalism"
Disc.: Yuri Corrigan, Boston U
Mgr.: Mykyta Tyshchenko, Ohio State U
- V3-10 Imagining and Exercising Power in Pre-Modern Russia - VR 10**
Chair: Michael S. Flier, Harvard U

Papers: Pavel Vladimirovich Lukin, Inst of Russian History, RAN (Russia)
"All Novgorod the Great' and Novgorodian Republican Rhetoric"
Susana Torres Prieto, IE U (Spain)
"Political Theology in Kievan Rus': A Reassessment of Sources"
Russell Edward Martin, Westminster College
"Through the Lens of Semen Shakhovskoi: Reimagining Power in Muscovy"

Disc.: Donald Ostrowski, Harvard U
Mgr.: Susana Torres Prieto, IE U (Spain)

V3-11 Cinematic Circulations Between the USSR and Africa - VR 11

Chair: Svetlana Boltovska, Gesine Drews-Sylla (German-Russian Museum Berlin-Karlshorst (Germany))

Papers: Gabrielle Chomentowski, U of Sorbonne - Paris 1 (France)
"Ivan the Terrible' on African Screens: Distribution, Exhibition, and Reception of Soviet Films in Africa during the Cold War"
Elena Razlogova, Concordia U (Canada)
"Paulin Soumanou Vieyra and Senegalese Cinema in the Soviet Union"
Gesine Drews-Sylla, U of Würzburg (Germany)
"Soviet Georgia in Senegal: Otar Ioselani's 'Et la lumière fut' (1989)"

Disc.: Schamma Schahadat, U of Tübingen (Germany)
Mgr.: John Meyers, LASA

V3-12 Political Cartooning and the Multicultural Empire: Intersectional and Interdisciplinary Perspectives - VR 12

Chair: Ellen Elias-Bursac, American Literary Translators Association

Papers: Nives Rumenjak, Webster U Leiden (Netherlands) / U of Pittsburgh
"Civil Disobedience in a Multicultural Empire: Political Cartoons and Freedoms in Late 19-Century Croatia"
Naomi Caffee, Reed College
"The Devil and the Mullah: Satirical Personae in the Pre-revolutionary Press of the South Caucasus"
Edward Portnoy, YIVO Institute for Jewish Research
"Follow My Nose: Yiddish Caricature during the Late Russian Empire"

Disc.: Oleg Minin, Bard College
Mgr.: Aleksandra Shubina, Ohio State U

V3-13 Bearers of Postmemory: Literature after the End of Yugoslavia - (Roundtable) - VR 13

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Chair: Nada Petkovic, U of Chicago

Part.: Tatjana Aleksic, U of Michigan
Vladislav Beronja, U of Texas at Austin
Dunja Dusanic, U of Belgrade (Serbia)
Ana Banić Grubisic, U of Belgrade (Serbia)
Vladimir Zoric, U of Nottingham (UK)

Mgr.: Dunja Dusanic, U of Belgrade (Serbia)

V3-14 Engaged Cinema: Investigating (Catholic) Church, Religion, and Ethnicity in Polish Film - VR 14

Chair: Andrzej W. Tymowski, American Council of Learned Societies

Papers: Elzbieta U. Ostrowska, U of Łódź (Poland)
"To Kill a Priest: 'Righteous Anger' in Spoor (2017) by Agnieszka Holland"
Joanna Rydzewska, Swansea U (UK)
"Religion, Postsecular Modernity, and the Ethics of Reconciliation in Ida (2013)"
Izabela Kalinowska-Blackwood, SUNY Stony Brook
"No More Hide and Seek: Documentary Cinema and Sexual Molestation by Priests"

Disc.: Joanna Nizynska, Indiana U Bloomington
Mgr.: Nathan Isaacson, Association for Slavic, East European, and Eurasian Studies

V3-15 Soviet Wartime Propaganda - VR 15

Chair: David Brandenberger, U of Richmond

Papers: Lars Thomas Lih, Independent Scholar
"Why We Fight: Propaganda Narratives in the Russian Civil War"
Wendy Goldman, Carnegie Mellon U
"Turning Point in the Great Patriotic War: Propaganda and Popular Response"
Jochen Hellbeck, Rutgers, The State U of New Jersey
"The Propaganda Warrior as Documentarist: Ilya Ehrenburg and the Germans"

Disc.: Ronald Grigor Suny, U of Michigan
Mgr.: Trevor Erlacher, U of Pittsburgh

V3-16 Russia vis-à-vis Asia: Entangled Self-Reflections with the Eastern "Other" - VR 16

Chair: Austin Thomas Jersild, Old Dominion U

- Papers:* Sören Urbansky, German Historical Institute
"Sinophobia and the 'Chinese Theater' in 1930s Vladivostok"
Chia Yin Hsu, Portland State U
"Chervontsy in Manchuria: Bolshevik Money, Marxist Praxis, and Chinese Resistance"
Martin Wagner, Humboldt U Berlin (Germany)
"Farewell to Stalin and Mao: Entangled Reevaluations of the Past in the 1950s Soviet Union and 1970s/80s China"
- Disc.:* Austin Thomas Jersild, Old Dominion U
Mgr.: Austin Thomas Jersild, Old Dominion U
- V3-17 The Humans of Soviet Humanism: Lichnost, Feeling, and Revolution I: From the Cultivation of Lichnost' to the Cult of Personality - VR 17**
- Chair:* Zachary Rewinski, Colorado State U
Papers: Tatyana Gershkovich, Carnegie Mellon U
"Reading Tolstoy Red: Soviet Diarists Reckon with the Author's Narratives of Self"
Ania Aizman, U of Michigan
"Anarchist Concepts of Lichnost' After the Revolution"
Maya Larson, U of Oregon
"Racializing Discourse and the Cult of Stalin's Lichnost'"
- Disc.:* Anatoly Pinsky, U of Helsinki (Finland)
Mgr.: Ania Aizman, U of Michigan
- V3-18 Interdisciplinary Approaches to Russian Politics in the Late Putin Era - VR 18**
- Chair:* Joe Colleyshaw, Brown U
Papers: Alina Ryabovolova, U of Massachusetts Amherst
"Russia: My History as a Collaborative Project"
Lauren Woodard, Yale U
"A Common Language, A Common Culture: Producing Cultural Similarity in Russia's Migration Policies"
Julie D. Hemment, U of Massachusetts Amherst
"Funny Zone: Stiob, Political Performativity, and Morphing Forms of Humor in Russian Politics"
- Disc.:* Mikhail D Suslov, U of Copenhagen (Denmark)
Mgr.: Joe Colleyshaw, Brown U
- V3-19 Paths to Holocaust Justice in Postwar Central and Eastern Europe - VR 19**
- Chair:* Katarzyna Person, Jewish Historical Institute (Poland)

- Papers:* Olga Kartashova, New York U
"The Role of Jews in the Post-Holocaust Justice in Poland"
Vanessa Voisin, U of Bologna (Italy)
"Lev Ginzburg and the Krasnodar Trial of Second World War Perpetrators, 1963-1967"
Emil Kerenji, US Holocaust Memorial Museum
"Early War Crimes Trials in Postwar Yugoslavia"
- Disc.:* Katarzyna Person, Jewish Historical Institute (Poland)
Mgr.: Tetiana Shyshkina, Central European U (Hungary)
- V3-20 Subterranean Fire: The Selected Poetry of Natalka Bilotserkivets - (Roundtable) - VR 20**
- Chair:* Michael M. Naydan, Pennsylvania State U
Part.: Michael M. Naydan, Pennsylvania State U
Alla Perminova, Taras Shevchenko National U of Kyiv (Ukraine)
Oleksandra Wallo, U of Kansas
- Mgr.:* Michael M. Naydan, Pennsylvania State U
- V3-21 Contested Loyalties, Dynamic Subjectivities: Uniate Clergymen of the Former Polish-Lithuanian Commonwealth in the Nineteenth Century - VR 21**
- Sponsored by: Eighteenth-Century Russian Studies Association
Chair: Andrey Ivanov, U of Wisconsin-Platteville
Papers: Tomasz Hen-Konarski, Polish Academy of Sciences (Poland)
"Social Mobility in Times of Political Change: The Careers of Elite Greek Catholic Churchmen in Early Austrian Galicia"
Alicja Kitlasz, U of Warsaw (Poland)
"A 'National Apostate' or a Man of His Times?: The Case of Placyd Jankowski"
Jared N. Warren, European University Institute
"Hipolit Terlecki and the Oriental Society for the Union of All Christians of the Orient"
- Disc.:* Andrey Ivanov, U of Wisconsin-Platteville
Mgr.: Andrey Ivanov, U of Wisconsin-Platteville
- V3-22 Depicting Old Belief: Condemnation, Rehabilitation, and the View from the West - VR 22**
- Sponsored by: Association for the Study of Eastern Christian History and Culture
Chair: Page Herrlinger, Bowdoin College
Papers: Charles H. Arndt, Vassar College

"A Game of Musical Power Centers: Old Belief, Belaia Krinita, Moscow, and Petersburg in Mel'nikov-Pecherskii's 'In the Forests'"
J. Eugene Clay, Arizona State U

"Diversity of Dissent: Images of Sectarianism in Mel'nikov-Pecherskii's 'In the Hills'"
Alexey Muravyev, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"Beyond The Icon and the Axe: Protopope Avvakum, Pierre Pascal, and Western Reimagining of Old Belief"

Disc.: Thomas Marsden, U of Stirling (UK)
Mgr.: Charles H. Arndt, Vassar College

V3-23 Tsarist and Soviet Internationalism: Experts on the Move in Pursuit of Globalizing Agendas - VR 23

Chair: Louis H. Porter, Texas State U

Papers: Geoffrey Durham, U of Pennsylvania
"Russia between Autarky and Integration: The Internationalization of Metrological and Monetary Standards in the Nineteenth Century"

Louis H. Porter, Texas State U
"Knowledge Internationals: Paul Otlet and the Russian Bibliographical Society, 1913-1930"

Taylor Zajicek, Princeton U
"'Though Neighbors, We Hardly Know Each Other': The Possibilities of Soviet-Turkish Scientific Exchange in the Interwar Period"

Liana Kirillova, Southern Illinois U Carbondale
"Friendship Projects: Three Dimensions of Soviet Internationalism under the Aegis of the Student Construction Brigade Movement, 1960s-70s"

Disc.: Francine R. Hirsch, U of Wisconsin-Madison
Mgr.: Moira O'Shea, U of Chicago

V3-24 Gendered Aesthetics of the Post-Soviet Far Right - (Roundtable) - VR 24

Chair: Maria Engström, Uppsala U (Sweden)

Part.: Liana Battsaligova, Yale U
Fabrizio Fenghi, Brown U
Alexandar Mihailovic, Brown U
Roman Utkin, Wesleyan U
Maya Vinokour, New York U

Mgr.: Roman Utkin, Wesleyan U

V3-25 A Highway without Any Exits: The Soviet World of Work Confronts the World Economy of the Mid-1980s - VR25

Chair: Karen Petrone, U of Kentucky

Papers: Martin J. Blackwell, Stetson U
"From Informals to Venture Capitalists: Leningrad's Youth and the Privatization of Soviet Life, 1985-1988"
Michael Benjamin De Groot, Indiana U Bloomington
"A Cold Blizzard of Insolvency: The Soviet Umbrella and the Debt Crisis of the Early 1980s"
James Allen Nealy, Duke U
"From 'Experiment' to 'Method': The Dispersal of the Shchekino Method throughout Soviet Industry"

Disc.: Diane P. Koenker, U College London (UK)
Mgr.: Zayra M Badillo Castro, SOAS U of London (UK)

V3-26 Revolutionary Projects in Theory and Practice: 1920s-1930s - VR26

Chair: Matthew Aaron Light, U of Toronto (Canada)

Papers: Adeeb Khalid, Carleton College
"Radical Turkism in Early Soviet Central Asia"
Michael Anthony Reynolds, Princeton U
"Gyrations and Gyroscopes: Enver Pasha's Vision for Transforming Muslim Eurasia"
Milena Methodieva, U of Toronto (Canada)
"One Revolution among Many: Balkan Muslims, Kemalism, and Other Radical Projects"

Disc.: Onur Isci, Bilkent U (Turkey)
Mgr.: Aliide Naylor, Independent Scholar

V3-27 Translation as Intersection III: Translating Women, Women Translating - VR27

Chair: Kirill Levinson, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)

Papers: Alla Burtseva, Independent Scholar
"Friendship Lives in Our Hearts: Soviet Translations from Turkmen Women's Literature"
Elena Zemskova, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"Adelina Adalis: Female Poet-translator between the Center and Peripheries of the Soviet Empire"
Anna Nizhnik, Russian State U for the Humanities (Russia)
"F-pis'mo Poetic Project and Translation Strategies of Contemporary Russian Feminist Culture"
Anna Antonova, U of Alberta (Canada)

"Feminist Translation in Ukrainian Context: Yevheniya Kononenko's Trailblazing Approach"

Disc.: Laurence H Bogoslaw, East View Press

Mgr.: Maria Y. Khotimsky, MIT

V3-28 Albanian Migrations, Past and Present - (Roundtable) - VR 28

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Chair: Elton Skendaj, Georgetown U

Part.: Nataša Gregoric Bon, Scientific Research Centre SAZU (Slovenia)

Smoki Musaraj, Ohio U

Kailey Alana Rocker, UNC at Chapel Hill

Mgr.: Smoki Musaraj, Ohio U

V3-29 Geopolitics and Strategy in Contemporary Russia and Eurasia - VR29

Chair: Adam N. Stulberg, Georgia Institute of Technology

Papers: Delgerjargal Uvsh, New York U

"Negative Shocks and Positive Actions: Regional Policies for Natural Resource Revenue Decline in Russia"

Kalina Kalinova Damianova, King's College London (UK)

"Russia's Social, Political, and Economic Order and the Case of Ownership Changes in Russia's Gas Sector, 2010-2020"

Adnan Vatansver, King's College London (UK)

"'Cheap Energy' for Russian Citizens: Exploring the Tenacity of Russia's Social Contract"

John C Stanko, Indiana U

"Kazakhstan's Ambassadorial Corps: Toward an Independent Foreign Policy or Stuck in the Russian Track?"

Disc.: Adam N. Stulberg, Georgia Institute of Technology

Mgr.: Allison Schmidt, U of Pennsylvania

V3-30 Post-Soviet Reforms and Reformers under Stress: How do Reform Ecosystems Function in Hard Times? - VR30

Chair: Ivan S. Grigoriev, NRU Higher School of Economics St. Petersburg (Russia)

Papers: Anna A. Dekalchuk, NRU Higher School of Economics St. Petersburg (Russia)

"Post-Soviet Reforms and Reformers in Hard Times: Presentation of the Research Project"

Mikhail Komin, Center for Advanced Governance (Russia)

"Public Experts Under and After Dictatorships: Evidence from the Post-Soviet States"

Andrey Starodubtsev, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)

"Government-international Organization Policy Interactions: Exploring Different Patterns of Engagement in Reform Process in the post-Soviet Space"

Disc.: Vladimir Gel'man, European U at St. Petersburg (Russia)

Mgr.: Mikhail Komin, Center for Advanced Governance (Russia)

V3-31 The Imperial, Soviet, and Post-Soviet Soldier: A Roundtable in Honor of Mark von Hagen II - (Roundtable) - VR31

Chair: Kenneth Martin Pinnow, Allegheny College

Part.: Emily Hoge, UC Berkeley

Harry Merritt, Amherst College

Norihiro Naganawa, Hokkaido U (Japan)

Carol (Kira) Belkin Stevens, Colgate U

Alexandre Sumpf, U of Strasburg (France)

Mgr.: Kenneth Martin Pinnow, Allegheny College

V3-33 Socialist Internationalism beyond Legitimacy: Affect, Cosmopolitanism, and Decolonization in the German Democratic Republic - VR33

Chair: George Bodie, U College London (UK)

Papers: George Bodie, U College London (UK)

"A Global GDR?: The GDR, Decolonization, and Socialist Internationalism beyond Legitimacy"

Johanna Folland, German Historical Institute

"Between Pragmatism and Idealism: Socialist Internationalism as Affect in the Cold War"

Eric Burton, U of Innsbruck (Austria)

"Solidarity Sonderweg? East Germany and Mozambique's Failed Campaign to Join Comecon"

Disc.: Kathleen Wroblewski, U of Michigan

Mgr.: George Bodie, U College London (UK)

Meetings and Events – 2:00 – 3:30 PM CST

American Association for Ukrainian Studies - (Meeting) - VR 1

ASEEES Virtual Reception - (Reception) - VR 2

SRAS Archive and Research Information Session - VR 3

Chair: Renee Stillings, SRAS

Virtual Session 4 – Thursday – 8:00-9:45 am

V4-01 Clashing Ideologies: Language, Identity and Politics in Ukraine and Kazakhstan - VR 1

Chair: Debra Friedman, Indiana U

Papers: Alla Nedashkivska, U of Alberta (Canada)

"The New Ukrainian Orthography: Non-linguistic Dimensions of Language Debates"

Bridget Goodman, Nazarbayev U (Kazakhstan)

"Ideologies of Three Languages in English-medium Higher Education in Ukraine and Kazakhstan"

Natalia Kudriavtseva, Kherson National Technical U (Ukraine)

"Renegotiating Ideologies via Language Socialization: The Case of the Free Ukrainian Language Courses in Ukraine"

Laada M. Bilaniuk, U of Washington

"Not Dead Yet: The Politics of Discourse and Performativity of the Ukrainian National Anthem"

Disc.: Volodymyr Kulyk, National Academy of Sciences (Ukraine)

Debra Friedman, Indiana U

Mgr.: Debra Friedman, Indiana U

V4-02 Ambiguities of Russian Orthodox Revival: Interdisciplinary Perspectives - (Roundtable) - VR 2

Chair: Wendy R. Salmond, Chapman U

Part.: Alexander Agadjanian, Russian State U for the Humanities (Russia)

John Burgess, Pittsburgh Theological Seminary

Katia Dianina, U of Virginia

Zhanna Kormina, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)

Jacob Lassin, Arizona State U

Mgr.: Daria Dyakonova, International U in Geneva (Switzerland)

V4-03 The Koryo-saram Diaspora: Experiencing "Korean-ness" in the Soviet Union and post-Soviet World - VR 3

Chair: Zayra M Badillo Castro, SOAS U of London (UK)

Papers: Caroline Laura Ridler, U of Nottingham (UK)

"Understanding Viktor Tsoi as Koryo-saram: Korean Identity in the Perestroika-era Soviet Union"

Elise S. Ahn, U of Wisconsin-Madison

"On 'Diasporicity': Exploring Everyday Sociocultural Practices within the Kazakhstani Korean Community"

Henry Yeonsu Jeong, U of Toronto (Canada)

"Where Do We Go?: In Understanding the Cultural Reception of the Koryo-saram Diaspora in Post-Democratisation Korea"

Disc.: Wookjin Cheun, Indiana U Bloomington

Ekaterina Kliuikova, Perm State U (Russia)

Mgr.: Zayra M Badillo Castro, SOAS U of London (UK)

V4-04 Fake Equality: The Activity, Impact, and Representation of Women in Photo Clubs and Organizations in the Late Soviet Period - VR 4

Chair: Mark Allen Svede, Ohio State U

Papers: Jessica Marie Werneke, Habib U (Pakistan)

"Women as Amateur Photographers: Clubs, Professionalism, and the 'Industry' in the Late Soviet Period"

Ekaterina Vikulina, Russian State U for the Humanities (Russia)

"Soviet Nude Photography and Photo-club Movement in the 1960s"

Maria V Garth, Rutgers, The State U of New Jersey

"Rule of Thirds: Women in Photography Unions and Clubs of the Soviet Union from Post-Thaw to Perestroika, 1960s-1980s"

Disc.: Alise Tifentale, Riga Stradins U (Latvia)

Mgr.: Moira O'Shea, U of Chicago

V4-05 Constructing and Deconstructing the Images of Soviet and American Enemies in Cinematic Cold War - VR 5

Chair: Yulia Frolova, Herzen State Pedagogical U (Russia)

Papers: Nina Sputnitskaia, Gerasimov Institute of Cinematography (Russia)

"Cold War Fairytale and Fantasy Films and Representations of the Soviet Colonialist Ambitions: The Beginning"

Marina Kulikova, St Petersburg State U (Russia)

"How did the Cold War Enemy Sound?: Linguistic Means of Constructing the Cinematic Images of American and Soviet Enemies"

Oleg V. Riabov, Herzen State Pedagogical U (Russia)

"Deconstructing the Image of the Enemy?: Cinematic Representations of Americans in the Soviet Thaw"

Maksim Kazyuchits, Gerasimov Institute of Cinematography (Russia)

"Representations of the Enemy in the Sergei Gerasimov's Cinema and the Cold War"

Disc.: Liudmila Leonidovna Kleshchenko, Herzen State Pedagogical U (Russia)

Mgr.: Yulia Frolova, Herzen State Pedagogical U (Russia)

**V4-06 Fielding Positionalities: Reflections from the Post-Soviet Space -
(Roundtable) - VR 6**

Chair: Jasmin Dall'Agnola, Oxford Brookes U (UK) / Eurasian, East and Central European Studies Women Academics Forum (UK)

Part.: Marnie Howlett, LSE (UK)
Rasa Kamarauskaite, U College London (UK)
Abigail Karas, U of Oxford (UK)
Andrea Peinhopf, University of York
Mgr.: Tetiana Shyshkina, Central European U (Hungary)

**V4-07 Everyday Schooling, Social Conflicts, and State-building in the
Romanian, Hungarian, and Soviet Peripheries: 1900-1940 - VR 7**

Chair: Irina Livezeanu, U of Pittsburgh

Papers: Anca Filipovici, Romanian Institute for Research on National Minorities (Romania)
"The Fall from Innocence: Adolescents and Political Radicalization in Interwar Romania"
Petru Negura, U of Leibniz East and Southeast European Studies (Germany)
"Discipline and Punishment in the Rural Schools of Soviet and Romanian Border Areas, 1918-1940: The Case of Bessarabia and Transnistria"
Ágoston István Berecz, Central European U (Hungary)
"Romanian Students in Hungarian-Language High Schools, 1867–1914"

Disc.: Irina Livezeanu, U of Pittsburgh

Mgr.: Petru Negura, U of Leibniz East and Southeast European Studies (Germany)

V4-08 Propaganda and Truth Regimes in Contested Times - VR 8

Chair: Melissa Feinberg, Rutgers, The State U of New Jersey

Papers: Anna Maria Podciborska, U of Gdańsk (Poland)
"How Americans Won the Hearts and Minds of the Oppressed: USIA's Operations in Communist Poland"
Andreea Deciu Ritivoi, Carnegie Mellon U
"Finding the Truth: Cold War Propaganda and the Lure of Absolute Knowledge"
Ioana Macrea-Toma, Open Society Archives (Hungary) / Central European U (Hungary)
"The Soul Catchers: The Art and Science of Surveys on Eastern Europe during the Cold War"

Benno Nietzel, Bielefeld U (Germany)

"Cold War Propaganda, Communication Research, and the Effects of Truth"

Disc.: Melissa Feinberg, Rutgers, The State U of New Jersey

Mgr.: Andreea Deciu Ritivoi, Carnegie Mellon U

V4-09 Bodies, Boundaries, and the Beyond in Soviet Autobiographic Writing - VR 9

Chair: Lida Oukaderova, Rice U

Papers: Irina Sirotkina, Inst for the History of Science & Technology, RAS (Russia)

"Difficulties with the Body: Sport and Bodily Awareness in Autobiographical Discourses of Soviet Athletes"

Geordie Kenyon Sinclair, Harvard U

"Survival of Desire/Desire for Survival: The Diaries of Anna Barkova"

Linda Kvitkina, Independent Scholar

"Staged Physicality: Maya Plisetskaya's Autobiography and Narratives of Body in Ballet"

Aleksandra Bessonova, European U at St. Petersburg (Russia)

"Body and Spirituality in Soviet Autobiographic Writing: Diaries of a Devoted Anthroposophist"

Disc.: Anne Eakin Moss, U of Chicago

Mgr.: Linda Kvitkina, Independent Scholar

V4-10 Seeing Like a State: Soviet Information Gathering during Late Stalinism - VR 10

Chair: David Brandenberger, U of Richmond

Papers: Irina Makhlova, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)

"Writing About the Party Members Who Stayed in the Occupied Soviet Territories: An Analysis of Narratives"

Seth Bernstein, U of Florida

"The Secret Police Officer as an Oral Historian in the Late Stalinist Period"

Paula Chan, Georgetown U

"From Total War to Fractured Source Base: Putting the Soviet Extraordinary State Commission Back Together Again"

Disc.: Karel Berkhoff, NIOD Institute for War, Holocaust and Genocide Studies (Netherlands)

Mgr.: Andrew Paul Janco, Haverford College

V4-11 Violence and Memory: On the Use of History in the Current Belarusian Crisis - VR 11

Chair: Felix Ackermann, German Historical Institute (Poland)

Papers: Iryna Ramanava, European Humanities U (Lithuania)

"A New Historical Agenda?: Mobilizing Sites of Stalinist Violence during the Protests of 2020"

Aliaksandr Dalhouski, Leonid Levin History Workshop (Belarus)

"The Role of Sites of World War II Memory in the Belarusian Political Crisis of 2020"

Aliaksei Bratachkin, European College of Liberal Arts in Belarus (Belarus)

"20th Century State Violence in Belarusian History Textbooks"

Disc.: Anika Walke, Washington U in St. Louis

Mgr.: Zmicer Herylovich, International Association for the Humanities (Lithuania)

V4-12 Book Discussion: "Mobilizing in Uncertainty: Collective Identities and War in Abkhazia," by Anastasia Shesterinina - (Roundtable) - VR 12

Chair: Georgi Matveevich Derluguan, New York U Abu Dhabi (UAE)

Part.: Susan Allen, George Mason U

Bruno Coppieters, U of Brussels (Belgium)

Olga Onuch, U of Manchester (UK)

Edward Schatz, U of Toronto (Canada)

Mgr.: Benedict Edward DeDominicis, Catholic U of Korea (South Korea)

V4-13 Contemporary Russian Language and Discourse I: New Ethics and Traditional Values - VR 13

Chair: Elena Shmeleva, V. V. Vinogradov Institute of Russian Language, RAS (Russia)

Papers: Anna Plisetskaya, Charles U in Prague (Czech Republic)

"The Concept of Traditional Values in Modern Russian Political and Media Discourse as an Instrument for Constructing a Heteropatriarchal Society"

Irina Mikaelian, Pennsylvania State U

"'New Ethics' and Russian Grammar of Gender"

Gasán Gusejnov, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)

"Why is it Even More Difficult to Find a Russian Equivalent for Diversity than for Identity or Discourse?"

Elena Shmeleva, V. V. Vinogradov Institute of Russian Language, RAS (Russia)

"Linguistic Response to Covid-19 in Russia"

Disc.: Alexei Shmelev, Moscow State Pedagogical U (Russia)

Mgr.: Susan Zayer Rupp, Wake Forest U

V4-14 The Novel of (Post)memory in Romania: Gender, Class, Affiliation - VR 14

Chair: Andreea Mironescu, Alexandru Ioan Cuza U of Iasi (Romania)

Papers: Andrei Terian-Dan, Lucian Blaga U of Sibiu (Romania)

"The Generation of Intermemory: Reconstructing Communism in Romanian Postmodern Fiction"

Cosmin Borza, Romanian Academy (Romania)

Claudiu Turcus, Romanian Academy, Cluj Branch (Romania)

"Post-Peasantry: Requiems for the Rural World in Marta Petreu's 'At Home, on the Field of Armageddon', Dan Lungu's 'Flickerings', and Florina Ilis's 'The Book of Numbers'"

Simona Mitroiu, Alexandru Ioan Cuza U (Romania)

"Remediations of a Multi-Troubled Past: Gendered Embodiments of Postmemory in Herta Müller's Novels"

Mihai Iovanel, Romanian Academy (Romania)

"Detecting Fascist and Communist Traumas Across Generations: Norman Manea, Dan Alexe, and Lavinia Braniste"

Disc.: Arleen Ionescu, Shanghai Jiao Tong U (China)

Mgr.: Dilafruz Nazarova, Rutgers, The State U of New Jersey

V4-15 Postmemory: Reimaginings of the Past in the Works of Sergei Lebedev - VR 15

Chair: Johanne Kalsaas, U of Bergen (Norway)

Papers: Alena Heinritz, U of Innsbruck (Austria)

"To Become a 'Clairvoyant of Memory': Narrating Postmemory in Novels by Sergei Lebedev"

Mariia Zhukova, St Petersburg State U (Russia) / U of Konstanz (Germany)

Innokentij Urupin, U of Konstanz (Germany)

"The Camp Commander and His Pupils: Pedagogic Aspects of Lebedev's Post-Memorial Narratives, with Reference to the TV Series 'Pereval Diatlova'"

Ingunn Lunde, U of Bergen (Norway)

"The Past Re-Presented: Energetic Rhetoric in the Works of Sergei Lebedev"

Disc.: Lars Thomas Lih, Independent Scholar

Mgr.: Johanne Kalsaas, U of Bergen (Norway)

V4-16 Pre-Modern and Modern Georgia - VR 16

Chair: Tamar Makharoblidze, Ilia State U (Georgia)

Papers: Bela Tsipuria, Ilia State U (Georgia)

"Diversity and/or Homogeneity in Georgian Literature"

Giuli Alasania, U of Georgia (Georgia)

"New Information from Persian Sources on the Georgian King Bagrat V"

Natia Dundua, Korneli Kekelidze National Center of Manuscripts (Georgia) / Ilia State U (Georgia)

"A Multilingual Annotated Electronic Parallel Corpus-based Edition of the Georgian Translation of the Book of Tobit"

Irina Lobzhanidze, Ilia State U (Georgia)

"Sustainability in the Digitalization Principles of Old Georgian Manuscripts"

Disc.: John Colarusso, McMaster U (Canada)

Mgr.: Julia Secklehner, Masaryk U (Czech Republic)

V4-17 Satellites of Tsvetaeva - VR 17

Chair: John Wright, Columbia U

Papers: Karina McCorkle, UC Berkeley

"Сказки и жизни: Where Likhvitskaya's Hidden in Tsvetaeva"

Molly Thomasy Blasing, U of Kentucky

"Reading Tsvetaeva in Tarusskie stranitsy"

Disc.: Miriam Tripaldi, U of Chicago

Mgr.: Karina McCorkle, UC Berkeley

V4-18 Unwatchable II: Mastering Aversion - VR 18

Chair: Eliane Fitzé, U of Fribourg (Switzerland)

Papers: Yelena Kalinsky, Michigan State U / H-Net

"Watching the Landscape in Collective Actions and Shepitko's 'The Ascent'"

Kaitlyn Tucker Sorenson, U of Chicago

"One of Us!": Radical Inclusivity in Freaks and Circus"

Daniel Paul Schwartz, McGill U (Canada)

"As Unseen from Space: The Collapse of the Soviet Union in Andrei Ujica Out of the Present"

Disc.: Eliane Fitzé, U of Fribourg (Switzerland)

Mgr.: Daria V. Ezerova, Columbia U

V4-19 Coping with Diversity: Minority, Youth, and Associational Culture in Interwar Yugoslavia - VR 19

Chair: Isidora Grubacki, Central European U (Hungary)

Papers: Fabio Giomi, Center for Turkish, Ottoman, Balkan and Central Asian Studies "CETOBaC" (France)

"A Radical Youth: Analyzing Catholic Associational Life in Interwar Yugoslavia through the Memoirs of Marica Stanković"

Jovana Papovic, EHESS (France)

"Turning Pallid and Lean Cheeks into Blushing and Smiling Faces': A Critical Scrutiny of the Discursive and Visual (Re)Presentations of the Sokol Youth in Interwar Yugoslavia"

Lucija Balikic, Central European U (Hungary)

"'Minority Question' in the Yugoslav Sokol Association in the Early 1920s"

Lisbeth Matzer, Ludwig-Maximilians-U Munich (Germany)

"Battling Diversity: The fight for 'German' Youth in Slovenia, 1930s to 1945"

Disc.: Caroline E. Mezger, U of Leibniz IfZ (Germany)

Mgr.: Lucija Balikic, Central European U (Hungary)

V4-20 Heritage and Activism in Central and Eastern Europe under Socialism and Beyond - VR 20

Chair: Petre Georgian Matei, Elie Wiesel National Institute for Studying the Holocaust in Romania (Romania)

Papers: Anastasia Felcher, Blinken Open Society Archives (Hungary)

"Monument Wars and the Collapse of the USSR: Synthesizing Global Media Reports"

Laura Demeter, University of Bamberg/Heritage Centre

"The Orthodox Church and Heritage Politics in Communist Romania and After 1989"

Evgeny Manzhurin, U of Eastern Finland (Finland)

"Should Cities Have Symbols?: How Local Heraldry Discourse Got Sneaked In, Was Legitimized, and Disseminated in the Late Soviet Union"

Disc.: Irina Nastasa-Matei, U of Bucharest (Romania)

Mgr.: Aliide Naylor, Independent Scholar

V4-21 Russian Literature and the State in the Long 19th Century - (Roundtable) - VR 21

Chair: Bella Grigoryan, U of Pittsburgh

Part.: Bella Grigoryan, U of Pittsburgh

Ilya Kliger, New York U

Kirill Ospovat, U of Wisconsin-Madison

- Mgr.:* Kirill Zubkov, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
Phyllis Conn, St. John's University
- V4-22 Transcultural Encounters in Soviet Animation II: Reception and Adaptation - VR 22**
- Chair:* Olga Blackledge, Bethany College
Papers: Elena Goodwin, U of Portsmouth
"Grotesque, Nonsense, and Allegory: English Motifs in Soviet Cartoons of the 1970s-1980s"
Aleksandra Shubina, Ohio State U
"Alisa's Journey: From Text to Screen, from the USSR to the USA"
Maryia Kastsjukovich, National Academy of Sciences of Belarus (Belarus)
"Belarusian Animation between Disney and Tarasov"
Disc.: Olga Blackledge, Bethany College
Mgr.: Olga Blackledge, Bethany College
- V4-23 Guns, Germs, and Holiday Deals: Eastern European Technology Transfers during the Cold War - VR 23**
- Chair:* Jelena Dureinovic, U of Vienna (Austria)
Papers: Dora Vargha, U of Exeter (UK)
"There and Back Again: Hungarian Doctors in North Korea and a Quest for Socialist International Health"
Igor Tchoukarine, U of Minnesota
"From Moscow to Manila via Brussels: Tourism and Technocratic Internationalism between Socialist Eastern Europe and the Global South"
Rosamund Therese Johnston, U of Vienna (Austria)
"Arms and No Influence?: How Socialist Czechoslovakia's Leaders Viewed Their Global Arms Exports"
Disc.: Elidor Mehilli, CUNY Hunter College
Mgr.: John C Stanko, Indiana U
- V4-24 Remembering Anatoly Grigorievich Vishnevsky: Demographer, Historian, Essayist, Historical Novelist - (Roundtable) - VR 24**
- Chair:* Yoshiko M. Herrera, U of Wisconsin-Madison
Part.: Alain Blum, Institut National d'Etudes Démographiques (France) / École des hautes études en sciences sociales (France)
Inna Leykin, Open U of Israel (Israel)
Michele Rivkin-Fish, UNC at Chapel Hill
Sergei V. Zakharov, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)

- Mgr.:* Liladhar R. Pendse, UC Berkeley
- V4-25 Radio Moscow, Decolonization, and the Cold War - VR25**
- Chair:* Rossen Djagalov, New York U
Papers: Masha Kirasirova, New York U Abu Dhabi (UAE)
"From Interwar Communists to Cold Warriors?: Arabic Radio Moscow Broadcasting in the 1950s"
Margaret Elizabeth Peacock, U of Alabama
"The Friendlier West: Soviet Broadcasting to Palestine in 1947"
Kristin Roth-Ey, U College London (UK)
"Radio Moscow Audience Research and Nation Branding"
Disc.: Dina Fainberg, U of London (UK)
Juliane Fuerst, Center for Contemporary History (Germany)
Mgr.: Masha Kirasirova, New York U Abu Dhabi (UAE)
- V4-27 Book Discussion: "Writing a Documentary History – 'Jews in Old Rus,'" by Alexander Kulik and "History of Rus' Metropolitanate," by Andrei Pliguzov - (Roundtable) - VR27**
- Chair:* Antony Polonsky, Brandeis U
Part.: Alexander Kulik, Hebrew U of Jerusalem (Israel)
Hugh M. Olmsted, Harvard U
Robert Romanchuk, Florida State U
Michelle Ruth Viise, Harvard U
Mgr.: Oleh Kotsyuba, Harvard U
- V4-28 Translation as Intersection IV: Book Discussion: Andrei Fedorov's "Introduction to Translation Theory," Translated by Brian Baer and "Literary Translation as Interpretation and Provocation," by Ilya Vinitsky - (Roundtable) - VR 28**
- Chair:* Dmitry Kharitonov, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
Part.: Brian James Baer, Kent State U
Aleksi Semenenko, Umeå U (Sweden)
Julia Trubikhina, Hunter College
Ilya Vinitsky, Princeton U
Mgr.: Elena Zemskova, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
- V4-29 Book Discussion: "The Routledge History Handbook of Central and Eastern Europe in the Twentieth Century: Volume 4: Violence," Edited by Włodzimierz Borodziej, Jochen Böhrer, and Joachim von Puttkamer - (Roundtable) - VR29**
- Chair:* Dariusz Stola, Institute of Political Studies, PAS (Poland)
Part.: Jochen Boehler, U of Jena (Germany)

Diana V. Dumitru, Ion Creanga State U (Moldova)
Keely Stauter-Halsted, U of Illinois at Chicago
Joachim von Puttkamer, U of Jena (Germany)

Mgr.: Sarah Kunte, U of Jena (Germany)

V4-30 Gender in Russian Imperial and Soviet Military History - VR30

Chair: Erica L. Fraser, Carleton U (Canada)

Papers: Ian Wylie Campbell, UC Davis

"Russians Will Always Indulge the Tears of Women and Children':
Masculinity and Violence in Tsarist Colonial Warfare"

Siobhan Hearne, Durham U (UK)

"Prostheses and Paternalism: Disabled Veterans in the Late Russian
Empire"

Masha Cerovic, École des hautes études en sciences sociales (France)

"War Wives: Women and the Soviet Partisan Movement during the
Great Patriotic War"

Claire E. McCallum, U of Exeter (UK)

"'My Sons Should Not Know What Their Father Has Known':
Veterans and Soldiers in the Soviet Fight for Peace, c.1945-65"

Disc.: Erica L. Fraser, Carleton U (Canada)

Mgr.: Nathan Isaacson, Association for Slavic, East European, and Eurasian
Studies

**V4-32 Socialism or Barbarism VI: Book Discussion: "Art Work: Invisible
Labor and the Legacy of Yugoslav Socialism," by Katja Praznik -
(Roundtable) - VR32**

Chair: Bojana Videkanic, U of Waterloo (Canada)

Part.: Katja Praznik, U at Buffalo

Jaka Primorac, Institute for Development and International Relations
(Croatia)

Nataša Prljevic, HEKLER

Tamara Vukov, U de Montréal (Canada)

Mgr.: Bojana Videkanic, U of Waterloo (Canada)

V4-33 Material Reality: The Local in Post-Socialist Space - VR33

Chair: Judyth Lynn Twigg, Virginia Commonwealth U

Papers: Konstantin Galkin, Sociological Institute RAS (Russia)

Elena Zdravomyslova, European U at St. Petersburg (Russia)

Elena A. Bogdanova, Centre for Independent Social Research (Russia)

Aliia Nizamova, European U at St. Petersburg (Russia)

"Dilemmas of Inclusion: Balancing between Formal and Informal

Care for Seniors in Peripheral Settlements of Russia during
COVID-19 Pandemic"

Simone Attilio Bellezza, U of Naples Federico II (Italy)

"From Discrimination to Inclusion: Oral Histories of Refugees
from the Chernobyl Exclusion Zone to Kyiv"

Joanna Rozmus, U of Vienna (Austria)

"Lost in Transition(s)? Perceptions, Space, and Everyday Life in
the Post-Socialist Countryside: A Case Study from Southern
Poland, 1991-2004"

Disc.: Judyth Lynn Twigg, Virginia Commonwealth U

Olga Kuchinskaya, U of Pittsburgh

Mgr.: Trevor Erlacher, U of Pittsburgh

**V4-34 Regional Specifics, Regionalism, and Multilevel Governance in Russia
- VR34**

Chair: Anna A. Dekalchuk, NRU Higher School of Economics St. Petersburg
(Russia)

Papers: Ivan S. Grigoriev, NRU Higher School of Economics St. Petersburg
(Russia)

Elizaveta Rodionova, NRU Higher School of Economics St. Petersburg
(Russia)

"It's Not (Only) the Governor, It's (Also) the Region: Economic
Profile of the Region and Gubernatorial Survival"

Petr Panov, Perm Federal Research Centre, Ural Branch of the Russian
Academy of Sciences (Russia)

"Regionalist Projects in Post-Soviet Russia: Their Legitimation and
Outcomes"

Valeriia Umanets, U of Wisconsin-Madison

"Public Employment and Legacies of Soviet State Feminism:
Cross-regional Dimension"

Konstantin Sulimov, Perm Federal Research Center, Ural Branch of the
Russian Academy of Sciences (Russia)

"Regions' Legislative Initiatives on the Federal Level and Their
Appeals to the Constitutional Court: Dynamics and Cross-Regional
Variations"

Disc.: Anna A. Dekalchuk, NRU Higher School of Economics St. Petersburg
(Russia)

Mgr.: Petr Panov, Perm Federal Research Centre, Ural Branch of the Russian
Academy of Sciences (Russia)

Virtual Session 5 – Thursday – 10:00-11:45 am

Soyuzmultfilm (Working Title): Film Teaser and Discussion - (Film) - VR 22

V5-01 Contemporary Historical Culture in Russia: Media, Local Practices, and Communities - VR 1

Chair: Mischa Gabowitsch, Einstein Forum (Germany)

Papers: Irina M. Savelieva, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"Personal Story vs Great Narrative: World War II Diaries from the Website 'Prozhito'"

Daria Khlevnyuk, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"'Reframing' Repressions: Memories of the Great Patriotic War and Stalin's Repressions in Russian Regional Museums"

Alexandra Kolesnik, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"Popular Music as Cultural Heritage: Memory of the Leningrad Rock Club in St. Petersburg"

Boris Stepanov, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"The Debates about the Panfilov's 28 Men in Russian Glossy Historical Periodicals"

Disc.: Aleksandr Fokin, Tyumen State U (Russia)
Andrey Volodin, Lomonosov Moscow State U (Russia)

Mgr.: Daria Khlevnyuk, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)

V5-02 Belief, Narrative, and Materiality: Multiple Faces of the Supernatural - VR 2

Sponsored by: Slavic, East European, and Eurasian Folklore Association

Chair: Margaret Hiebert Beissinger, Princeton U

Papers: Dorian B Juric, U of Ottawa (Canada)
"Where Does the Vila Live?: Revisiting a Simple Question"

Elena E Boudovskaia, Georgetown U
"'Birds Cannot Talk, but God Stands Guard Over Them': Divine Retribution for Crippling Bird Chicks in Carpatho-Rusyn and Ukrainian Stories"

Mariya Lesiv, Memorial U of Newfoundland (Canada)
"Supernatural Apparitions in Ukraine: Creating the Charisma of Place Via 'Comparative Links'"

Disc.: Sidney Dement, Binghamton U

Mgr.: Mykyta Tyshchenko, Ohio State U

V5-03 Propaganda and Protest: How Russians Make Sense of Media Narratives - VR 3

Chair: Georgiy Syunyaev, Columbia U / WZB Berlin (Germany)

Papers: Katerina Ivanovna Tertytchnaya, U College London (UK)
"A Single Protest, Multiple Narratives"

Ashley Blum, UCLA

"Choosing Propaganda: Understanding News Selection and Audience Preferences in Russia"

Georgiy Syunyaev, Columbia U / WZB Berlin (Germany)

Anton Shirikov, U of Wisconsin-Madison

"Learning About Bias: An Experiment on News Consumption in Russia"

Disc.: Quintin H. Beazer, Florida State U

Mgr.: Mary Arnstein, Association for Slavic, East European, and Eurasian Studies

V5-04 Bridging Scholarship, Advocacy, & Activism for Environmental Sustainability - (Roundtable) - VR 4

Sponsored by: Committee on Environmental Sustainability

Chair: Jane Tussey Costlow, Bates College

Part.: Pey-Yi Chu, Pomona College
Angelina Davydova, Office of Environmental Information (Russia)
Ian Micah Helfant, Colgate U

Elizabeth N Plantan, Stetson U
Elana Resnick, UC Santa Barbara

Mgr.: Elizabeth N Plantan, Stetson U

V5-06 Book Discussion: "How Women Must Write," by Olga Peters Hasty - (Roundtable) - VR 6

Chair: Lynne A. Hartnett, Villanova U

Part.: Sara Dickinson, U of Genoa (Italy)
Olga Peters Hasty, Princeton U
Ona Renner-Fahey, U of Montana
Charlotte Rosenthal, U of Southern Maine

Galina S. Rylkova, U of Florida
Ellen Bleier, U of Notre Dame

V5-07 Diversity of Responses to the Coronavirus Crisis: Old Patterns, New Challenges, Future World - (Roundtable) - VR 7

Chair: Barbara Joy Falk, Royal Military College of Canada (Canada)

Part.: Barbara Joy Falk, Royal Military College of Canada (Canada)
Sarah Lemmen, Complutense U of Madrid (Spain)
Libora Oates-Indruchova, U of Graz (Austria)

Mgr.: Cristina Petrescu, U of Bucharest (Romania)
Benedict Edward DeDominicis, Catholic U of Korea (South Korea)

V5-08 Printing News, Pressing Power: Periodical Production and Consumption Under the Tsars and the Soviets - VR 8

Chair: Louise McReynolds, UNC at Chapel Hill

Papers: Yelizaveta Raykhlina, New York U

"Networks of Russian Journalism in 1820s Petersburg"

Ala Creciun Graff, U of Maryland, College Park

"The Rise of Press Lords in Late Imperial Russia: Between Censorship and Autonomy"

Felix Day Cowan, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

"Service and Social Mobility: Kopeck Journalists in Late Imperial Russia"

Ekaterina Vladimirovna Kamenskaya, Ural Federal U (Russia)

"Window to the World: Own Correspondents of Soviet Press Abroad, 1950s-1980s"

Disc.: Jeffrey Peter Brooks, Johns Hopkins U

Mgr.: Yelizaveta Raykhlina, New York U

V5-09 The Urge to the Sea: Connecting the Baltic, Black, and Mediterranean Seas in Russian History - VR 9

Chair: John Athanasios Mazis, Hamline U

Papers: Vasilis Molos, New York U Abu Dhabi (UAE)

"Catherine Will Grant You Liberty: The Orlov Conspiracy, 1762-1770"

Lucien Frary, Rider U

"Russian-Swedish Relations during the Napoleonic Era"

Stella Ghervas, Newcastle U (UK)

"Views from the Other Side: Western Travelers on the Littoral of the Black Sea, 1800-1830"

Disc.: John Athanasios Mazis, Hamline U

Mgr.: Andrew Paul Janco, Haverford College

V5-10 Intra-Orthodox Conflict in Ukraine: Social, Political, Economic, and Media Aspects - VR 10

Chair: Catherine Wanner, Pennsylvania State U

Papers: Oxana Shevel, Tufts U

"THIS is our Ukrainian Church!" Intra-Orthodox Conflict in Ukraine and Discursive Constructions of a 'Ukrainian Church'"

Tornike Metreveli, Lund U (Sweden)

"Sentimental Orthodoxy in Ukraine"

Tymofii Brik, Kyiv School of Economics (Ukraine)

"'Thou Shalt Not Post': Religious Narratives and Discussions on Social Media"

Disc.: Jose V Casanova, Georgetown U

Mgr.: Catherine Wanner, Pennsylvania State U

V5-11 Copyright Law: Navigating between Knowledge and Misinformation on a Global Scale - (Roundtable) - VR 11

Chair: Ksenya I. Kiebusinski, U of Toronto (Canada)

Part.: Bogdan Horbal, New York Public Library

Barbara Brigida Krupa, Stanford U

Janice T. Pilch, Rutgers, The State U of New Jersey

Konstantin Starikov, Independent Scholar

Mgr.: James M Steffen, Emory U

V5-12 Nagorno Karabakh after the Second War: Who is Responsible? Who Won? What is Next? - (Roundtable) - VR 12

Chair: Mikail N. Mamedov, Georgetown U

Part.: Leyla Alieva, U of Oxford (UK)

Philip Gamaghelyan, U of San Diego

Tom de Waal, Carnegie Endowment for International Peace (Belgium)

Mgr.: Daria Dyakonova, International U in Geneva (Switzerland)

V5-13 Issues in East European and Caucasian Linguistics - VR 13

Chair: John Colarusso, McMaster U (Canada)

Papers: Tamar Makharoblidze, Ilia State U (Georgia)

"The Negation Matrix in Georgian Sign Language"

Oksana Lebedivna, National U of Kyiv-Mohyla Academy (Ukraine)

"Common Slavic r' in Ukrainian: The Case of Hutsul Proper Names in -uk-"

Bert Beynen, Temple U

"The Second or Archaic Plural in Georgian"

Rusudan Asatiani, Tbilisi State U (Georgia)

"Morphological Adaptations of Russian and Turkish Borrowings in Georgian"

Disc.: John Colarusso, McMaster U (Canada)

Mgr.: Aliide Naylor, Independent Scholar

V5-14 Reading pre-Soviet Belarusian Land Poetics Against European Romanticisms and Modernisms - VR 14

Chair: Alana Christine Felton, Yale U

Papers: Ángela Espinosa Ruiz, U of Warsaw (Poland)
"Belarusian Romanticism: Myth or Reality? Jan Barščeŭski's Prose in the Context of 19th Century European Literatures"
Alana Christine Felton, Yale U
"The Belarusian Muzhyk vs. The Belarusian Muzhik: Depictions of the Belarusian Peasant in N. A. Nekrasov and F. B. Bahushevich"
David Kurkovskiy, UC Berkeley
"Kulbak and Kolas: Epic Imaginations of Palestine in Belarus Between Yiddish, Belarusian Romanticism, and Modernism"

Disc.: Simon Lewis, U of Bremen (Germany)
Mgr.: Dilafruz Nazarova, Rutgers, The State U of New Jersey

V5-15 Book Discussion: "Reading Russia: A History of Reading in Modern Russia," Edited by Damiano Rebecchini and Raffaella Vassena - (Roundtable) - VR 15

Chair: Gary J. Marker, SUNY Stony Brook
Part.: Rodolphe Baudin, Sorbonne U (France)
Birgitte Beck Pristed, Aarhus U (Denmark)
Damiano Rebecchini, U of Milan (Italy)
Raffaella Vassena, U of Milan (Italy)
Mgr.: Raffaella Vassena, U of Milan (Italy)

V5-16 Inside the Publishing House: Formal Rules, Informal Connections, and Creative Agency in Late-Soviet Publishing - VR 16

Chair: Anastasiya Osipova, U of Colorado at Boulder
Papers: Olga Vinogradova, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"Creating Editorial Strategy in Soviet Settings: The Case of Detskii Mir Publishers"
Maria Mayofis, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"The Late-Soviet Practice of Peer-reviewing Fiction and Non-Fiction: Interactions Between Publishing Houses, Writers, and Reviewers"
Adrien Ivy Smith, Stanford U
"Sovietish Heymland, Aron Vergelis, and the Brief Life of Gorky's Yiddish Writing Program"

Disc.: Ann Komaromi, U of Toronto (Canada)
Mgr.: Anastasia Felcher, Blinken Open Society Archives (Hungary)

V5-17 Reading a Multi-Mediated Lenin in Russia, China, and the United States - VR 17

Chair: Elena V. Baraban, U of Manitoba (Canada)

Papers: Sofya Khagi, U of Michigan
"Lenin in 1991: Allo-History, Sacrality, and Hallucinogens"
Natalia Koulinka, UC Santa Cruz
"Reading Lenin in the U.S.A."
Go Koshino, Hokkaido U (Japan)
"Lenin in Chinese Comic Lianhuanhua"
Ruth Wurl, Stanford U
"The Lives of Lenin: Emmanuel Kazakevich's 'The Blue Notebook'"

Disc.: Elena V. Baraban, U of Manitoba (Canada)
Mgr.: Susan Zayer Rupp, Wake Forest U

V5-18 Variations on Émigré Self-Writing - VR 18

Chair: David M. Bethea, U of Wisconsin-Madison
Papers: Olga Yuri Sobolev, LSE (UK) / U of London (UK)
"The Self-Portrait of an Artist: Bunin the Life of Arseniev"
Irene Ingeborg Masing-Delic, UNC at Chapel Hill
"A 'Strange Liaison': Nabokov's 'Bachmann' as an Orpheus and Eurydice Story"
Edward Waysband, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"The Politics of Childhood in Autobiographical Works of Mandelstam 'The Noise of Time', Pasternak 'Safe Conduct, People and Propositions,' and Khodasevich 'Infancy'"
Carol R. Ueland, Drew U
"Natalya Reznikova's Self-liberation from Romance Fiction"

Disc.: Barry Paul Scherr, Dartmouth College
Mgr.: Edward Waysband, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)

V5-19 The Reception of Ancient Philosophy in Early Twentieth-Century Russia - VR 19

Sponsored by: Working Group on Philosophy and Intellectual History
Chair: Olga Lyanda-Geller, Purdue U
Papers: Tatiana Levina, Independent Scholar
"Liberated Nothingness: Neoplatonic References of the Russian Avant-garde"
Andrea Oppo, Pontifical U of Sardinia (Italy)
"Truth as a 'Self-Contradiction': Plato and Platonism in Pavel Florensky's Thought"
Vladimir Leonidovich Marchenkov, Ohio U
"A. F. Losev's Assimilation and Critique of G. W. F. Hegel's Theory of the Symbol"

- Disc.:* Thomas Seifrid, U of Southern California
Mgr.: Vladimir Leonidovich Marchenkov, Ohio U
- V5-20 "Genuine" and "Made-Up" Nations in the Balkans: Ethno-History and the Contest over Nationhood in the 20th and Early 21st Century - VR 20**
Chair: Vladimir Đorđević, Mendel U in Brno (Czech Republic)
Papers: Evgenii Andreevich Koloskov, St Petersburg State U (Russia)
"The Nation Are Those Who Speak...': Macedonian-Bulgarian Contest Over Language"
Matvey Lomonosov, U of Tyumen (Russia)
"Autochthony, Ethnocracy, and Secession: Albanian Myths of Antiquity and the Contest Over Citizenship in (North) Macedonia"
Noela Mahmutaj, U of Tirana (Albania)
"Making Sense of Wars and Violence in the Balkans: The 20th Century Violent Conflict in Albanian History"
Magdalena Reksc, U of Lodz (Poland)
"Identity Narratives in Serbia's Sandzak"
Disc.: Konstantin Khudoley, St Petersburg State U (Russia)
Mgr.: Matvey Lomonosov, U of Tyumen (Russia)
- V5-21 Remembering the 1990s: Interdisciplinary Perspectives on Studying the Memory of East-Central European Economic Transformations - (Roundtable) - VR 21**
Chair: Małgorzata Mazurek, Columbia U
Part.: Saygun Gokarikel, Bogazici U (Turkey)
Olga Malinova, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
Veronika Pehe, Institute of Contemporary History, CAS (Czech Republic)
Ksenia Robbe, U of Groningen (Netherlands)
Joanna Wawrzyniak, U of Warsaw (Poland)
Mgr.: Małgorzata Mazurek, Columbia U
- V5-23 Fulbright Program Promotes Diversity - (Roundtable) - VR 23**
Chair: Margaret Samu, The New School
Part.: Barbara C. Allen, La Salle U
Aferdita Krasniqi, Fulbright Scholar Program / CIES
Michele Leigh, Southern Illinois U
Margaret Samu, The New School
Mgr.: Nathan Isaacson, Association for Slavic, East European, and Eurasian Studies
- V5-24 State-business Relations in Central and Eastern Europe: Comparative Analyses with a Focus on Stability and Competitiveness - VR 24**
Chair: Istvan Benczes, Corvinus U (Hungary)

- Papers:* Krisztina Szabó, Corvinus U (Hungary)
"Economic Voting in Hungary"
Istvan Benczes, Corvinus U (Hungary)
"The Supply Side of Populism: The Case of Hungary"
Joanna Orzechowska-Waclawska, Jagiellonian U (Poland)
Nathan Alan-Lee, U College London (UK)
"State-Capture in Poland: The Making of a PiS Private State"
István Kollai, Corvinus U (Hungary)
"Political and Market Embeddedness of Entrepreneurs in Slovakia, Czech Republic and Hungary"
Disc.: Andras Tetenyi, Corvinus U (Hungary)
Mgr.: István Kollai, Corvinus U (Hungary)
- V5-25 Revising Narratives of Russian Economic Development: #thelong19thC - (Roundtable) - VR25**
Chair: Sergei Antonov, Yale U
Part.: Katherine Pickering Antonova, CUNY Queens College
Erika L. Monahan, U of New Mexico
Matthew P. Romaniello, Weber State U
Charles R. Steinwedel, Northeastern Illinois U
Galina Ulyanova, Institute of Russian History, RAS (Russia)
Mgr.: Phyllis Conn, St. John's University
- V5-26 Eurasian Borders Across Space and Time - VR26**
Chair: Elena I Campbell, U of Washington
Papers: Charlotte Elisabeth Henze, U of Basel (Switzerland)
"Frontier of the Russian Empire: The Treaty of Nystad and the Division of the Karelian Isthmus"
Paul William Werth, U of Nevada, Las Vegas
"Russia Within: On the Boundaries of Russia in its Imperial Formation (A Paper as Catechism)"
Andrey Shlyakhter, Woodrow Wilson Center, Kennan Institute
"Backs to the USSR: Explaining the Growth of the Soviet Border Guard, 1917-1939"
Disc.: Sören Urbansky, German Historical Institute
Mgr.: Elena I Campbell, U of Washington
- V5-27 Between Nationalisms and Internationalism: New Research on Mykhailo Drahomanov - VR27**
Chair: Anton Kotenko, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
Papers: Martin Rohde, U of Halle-Wittenberg (Germany)

"Mykhailo Drahomanov and His Influence on Galician-Ukrainian Scholarship during the Late 19th/Early 20th Century"

Fabian Baumann, U of Chicago

"Drahomanov Contra Shulgin: Generational and Ideological Conflicts among Kiev's Intelligentsia in the 1870s"

Andriy Zayarnyuk, U of Winnipeg (Canada)

"Mykhailo Drahomanov on the 'Jewish Question': A Reconsideration"

Disc.: Pascale Danielle Siegrist, German Historical Institute (UK)

Mgr.: Anton Kotenko, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)

V5-28 Remembering Conflict: Contemporary Representations of War on Post-Yugoslav Stages - VR 28

Chair: Miranda Jakisa, U of Vienna (Austria)

Papers: Jana Dolecki, U of Vienna (Austria)

"Women, War, and Memory: Strategies of Remembering and Narrating the War in 'Hotel Zagorje'"

Darija Davidovic, U of Vienna (Austria)

"When We Can't Talk, We Sing: Staging Srebrenica Massacre in 'Srebrenica. When We the Murdered Rise'"

Miranda Jakisa, U of Vienna (Austria)

"Gender and Affect Governance in Jasmila Zbanic's 'Quo vadis, Aida?'"

Disc.: Vladislav Beronja, U of Texas at Austin

Mgr.: Jelena Dureinovic, U of Vienna (Austria)

V5-29 Dissertation Topic Lightning Round: New Directions across Soviet and Post-Soviet Space - VR29

Chair: Oleh Kotsyuba, Harvard U

Papers: Mayya Shmidt, Uppsala U (Sweden)

"New Forms of Mutual Aid: The Case of Timebanking in Russia"

Joshua Tapper, Stanford U

"Perestroika Politics and the Revival of Soviet Jewish Community"

Claudia Lonkin, Quinnipiac U

"The Belarusian Chameleons: Reading Pesniary as Belarusian and Soviet, as Outsiders and State-Favorites"

Aleksandar Rankovic, U of Vienna (Austria)

"Transformation at the Margins?: (Anti-) Militarism and Sexuality in Late Yugoslavia"

Ursula Woolley, U College London (UK)

"Renegotiating Entangled Historical Identities as Assertion of Agency: Recent Interventions in Ukrainian Regional Public

Discourse Responding to Russian History Propaganda"

Mgr.: Liladhar R. Pendse, UC Berkeley

V5-30 Translation as Intersection V: Translating Sexual and Gender Identities - VR30

Chair: Nataliya Karageorgos, Wesleyan U

Papers: Ekaterina Samorodnitskaya, Russian Presidential Acad of Nat'l Economy & Public Admin (Russia)

"Gender Matters: Irinarch Vvedensky as Translator of a Victorian Novel"

Kadence Leung, U College London (UK)

"The Interplay of Valerii Pereleshin's (Queer) Translations and Homoerotic Poetry"

Kirill Levinson, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)

"Translator's Angst: Towards Translation and Usage Issues in Russian Freudianism"

Laurence H Bogoslaw, East View Press

"Why Pronouns 'Matter' Differently in Russian and English: Gender Inclusivity in Translation"

Disc.: Jonathan Craig Stone, Franklin & Marshall College

Mgr.: Elena Zemskova, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)

V5-31 State-Diaspora Relations in South-Central Europe in the Twentieth Century - VR31

Chair: Theodora Dragostinova, Ohio State U

Papers: Ethan Larson, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

"Open to the Public: The Yugoslav Diaspora and Interethnic Collaboration"

Miha Zobec, Scientific Research Centre SAZU (Slovenia)

"Commemorating 'Homeland' in Emigration: Emigrants from the 'Redeemed' Prekmurje and the 'Unredeemed' Julian March and Their Attitudes towards the Kingdom of Yugoslavia"

Kristina E. Poznan, U of Maryland, College Park

"From Interventionist Subvention to Impecunious Revisionism: The Hungarian State's Church and Press Subventions in the Aftermath of WWI"

Peter Q Wright, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

"Socialist Healthcare Labor in the Global South: Yugoslav Medical Professionals in Libya and Late Non-Aligned Internationalism"

Disc.: Theodora Dragostinova, Ohio State U

Mgr.: Ethan Larson, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

V5-32 The Soviet Rear of 1941-1945: Peculiarities of Daily Life during War Time (Based on Russian and Kazakhstani Materials) - VR32

Chair: Nikolai Vukov, Bulgarian Academy of Sciences (Bulgaria)

Papers: Roza Zharkynbayeva, al-Farabi Kazakh National U (Kazakhstan)
"Propaganda and Rumors during the War Time: Effect on the Labor Motivation of a Soviet Person (Based on Kazakhstani Materials)"

Evgeniya Anufrieva, Volgograd State Technical U (Russia)
"Comparative Analysis of Everyday Survival Practices of Front and Rear Areas' Residents (Based on the Materials of the Oral History Research)"

Ardak Abdiraimova, ATC (Kazakhstan)
"The Daily Life of Orphanages Evacuated to Kazakhstan: Issues of 'Labor Education'"

Akylbek Sarsenbayev, Academy of Logistic and Transport (Kazakhstan)
"Coercion and Persuasion at Kazakh Auls: Working and Living Conditions of Villagers"

Disc.: Nikolai Vukov, Bulgarian Academy of Sciences (Bulgaria)

Mgr.: Julia Secklehner, Masaryk U (Czech Republic)

V5-33 Unspoken Rules: Negotiating Hip Hop in the Post Soviet Space - VR33

Chair: Natalie Jean McCauley, U of Richmond

Papers: Florian Coppenrath, U of Leibniz ZMO (Germany)
"Rap in Kyrgyzstan and 'Kyrgyz Mentality'"

Aleksandra Marciniak, U of Michigan
"Russian Battle Rap as a Forum of Free Expression"

Michael Dennis Martin, U of Michigan
"Ne nado zhit' v Moskve: Locality and Legitimacy in Siberian Rap"

Disc.: Owen Kohl, U of Chicago

Mgr.: Natalie Jean McCauley, U of Richmond

V5-34 Problems of Democratic Consolidation - VR34

Chair: Margaret Hanson, Arizona State U

Papers: Yuval Weber, Texas A&M U / Marine Corps U
Edward James Lemon, Texas A&M U
Fabienne Bossuyt, Ghent U (Belgium)
"Consequences of Non-Consolidation: Evaluating Hierarchy and Resilience in Central Asia after COVID"

Paulina Maria Pospieszna, Adam Mickiewicz U (Poland)

Tsveta Petrova, Columbia U
"Democracy Promotion at Times of Democratic Rollback: The

Case of Poland, 1989-2019"

Maria Snegovaya, Johns Hopkins U

"Liberalizing Social Democrats: Economic Policies and Electoral Outcomes in Post-Communist Europe"

Lelde Luik, U of Tartu (Estonia)

"Understanding Democracy in Eastern Europe: A Lefortian Analysis with a View from Latvia"

Disc.: Margaret Hanson, Arizona State U

Mgr.: Nana Gulic, U of Toronto (Canada)

V5-35 Identity and Cultural Production - VR35

Chair: Anna Katsnelson, Columbia U

Papers: Alexey Shvyrvkov, Columbia U
"Bare Life with a Star: Death and Resistance in Jiří Weil's Life with a Star"

Nicolas Dreyer, U of Bamberg (Germany)

"Nineteenth-Century Transcultural German-Jewish-Russian Exchange"

Daniela Haarmann, Eötvös Loránd U (Hungary)

"The Female in the Hungarian Language Renewal: The Correspondence between Terézia Dóczy and Ádam Pálóczi Horváth"

Disc.: Anna Katsnelson, Columbia U

Mgr.: Tetiana Shyshkina, Central European U (Hungary)

V5-37 Book Discussion: "Russian Energy Chains: The Remaking of Technopolitics from Siberia to Ukraine to the European Union," by Margarita Balmaceda - (Roundtable) - VR37

Chair: Stacy Closson, Woodrow Wilson Center, Kennan Institute

Part.: Margarita Mercedes Balmaceda, Harvard U / Seton Hall U

Paul J. D'Anieri, UC Riverside

William M. Reisinger, U of Iowa

Peter Rutland, Wesleyan U

Mgr.: Zayra M Badillo Castro, SOAS U of London (UK)

V5-38 Digital Aesthetics and Industry Practices in Today's Russia - (Roundtable) - VR38

Chair: Yuliya Ilchuk, Stanford U

Part.: Gregory Alexeivich Dolgoplov, U of New South Wales (Australia)

Daria Shembel, San Diego State U

Elena Vasileva, Independent Scholar

Mgr.: Yuliya Ilchuk, Stanford U

Virtual Session 6 – Thursday – 12:00-1:45 pm

Childhood in Eastern Europe and Russia (ChEEER) - (Meeting) - VR33

SPECIAL EVENT - The Russian Museum (St. Petersburg) Tour - VR38

V6-01 Book Discussion: "Is Russia Fascist?" by Marlene Laruelle - (Roundtable) - VR 1

Chair: Nina Tumarkin, Wellesley College

Part.: Mitchell A. Orenstein, U of Pennsylvania

Brian D. Taylor, Syracuse U

Andreas Umland, Swedish Institute of International Affairs (Sweden)

Mgr.: Marlene Laruelle, George Washington U

V6-02 Debating Three Major Questions in Central and East European Politics - (Roundtable) - VR 2

Chair: Zsuzsa Csergo, Queen's U (Canada)

Part.: Jane Leftwich Curry, Santa Clara U

Eva-Clarita Pettai, U of Jena (Germany)

Paula M. Pickering, College of William & Mary

Jason Wittenberg, UC Berkeley

Sharon L. Wolchik, George Washington U

Mgr.: Paula M. Pickering, College of William & Mary

V6-03 Yoga in Russia - VR 3

Chair: Yvonne Helen Howell, U of Richmond

Papers: Marina Alexandrova, U of Texas at Austin

"'The Key to All the Wisdom of the East': Yoga in Pre-Revolutionary Russia"

Sergei Tcherkasski, Russian State Institute of Performing Arts /

St.Petersburg Theatre Arts Academy (Russia)

"Stanislavsky and Yoga: Past and Present of Russian Actor Training"

Sergey Pakhomov, Herzen State Pedagogical U (Russia)

"Russian Yoga in the XXI Century: Perspectives on Contemporary Trends and Realities"

Vladimir Wiedemann, BRIC Service

"Ram Mikhael Tamm (1911-2002): A Mystical Philosopher and the First Yogi in Post-War USSR"

Disc.: Yvonne Helen Howell, U of Richmond

Mgr.: Valerie Toropin, University of Texas at Austin

V6-05 Ukraine's Public Sphere in Times of Crisis - VR 5

Chair: Georgiy Kasianov, Institute of the History of Ukraine, NANU (Ukraine)

Papers: William Jay Risch, Georgia College

"Theater as Revolution: Protests and Counterprotests in Ukraine, 2013-14"

Marta Dyczok, U of Western Ontario (Canada)

"Journalists in Conflict"

Jan Claas Behrends, Centre for Contemporary History (Germany)

"Violence and Civility in Post-Maidan Ukraine"

Disc.: Olga Onuch, U of Manchester (UK)

Mgr.: Ekaterina V. Klimenko, Institute of Philosophy and Sociology, PAS (Poland)

V6-06 Contingency and the Future of Slavic and REEES - VR 6

Sponsored by: Working Group for Solidarity in REEES

Chair: Thomas Roberts, Smith College

Erica Camisa Morale, U of Southern California

Papers: Jason Andrew Cieply, Hamilton College

"A Short History of Adjunctification"

Rebecca Anne Mitchell, Middlebury College

"The 2020 Professor Purges in Retrospect"

Ania Aizman, U of Michigan

"Analyzing Contingency in Slavic"

Natalia Plagmann, Princeton U

"International Scholars and Contingency"

Zachary Hicks, UC Berkeley

Caitlin Giustiniano, U of Southern California

"Is the PhD the End of an Academic Career in Slavic?"

John Randolph, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

"Title VI and the Effects of Contingency"

Mgr.: Ania Aizman, U of Michigan

V6-07 Slavic Medical Humanities: Theory and Practice - (Roundtable) - VR 7

Chair: Konstantin Starikov, Independent Scholar

Part.: Giulia Dossi, Harvard U

Elena Fratto, Princeton U

Melissa Lynn Miller, U of Notre Dame

Valeriia Mutc, Yale U

Natalia Vygovskaia, Brown U

Mgr.: Mykyta Tyshchenko, Ohio State U

V6-08 Writing Communist History: Multidisciplinary Perspectives on Gender and Inequality in the Academy - (Roundtable) - VR 8

Chair: Muriel Blaive, Institute for the Study of Totalitarian Regimes (Czech Republic)

Part.: Muriel Blaive, Institute for the Study of Totalitarian Regimes (Czech Republic)

Padraic J. Kenney, Indiana U Bloomington

Libora Oates-Indruchova, U of Graz (Austria)

Kieran David Williams, Drake U

Kimberly Elman Zarecor, Iowa State U

Mgr.: Kieran David Williams, Drake U

V6-09 Characters, Images, and Concepts: Andrei Tarkovsky's Cinema in the Mirror of Philosophy - (Roundtable) - VR 9

Sponsored by: Working Group on Philosophy and Intellectual History

Chair: Vladimir Leonidovich Marchenkov, Ohio U

Part.: Alla Baeva, St. John's U

Marina Bykova, North Carolina State U

Vladimir Leonidovich Marchenkov, Ohio U

Vadim Shkolnikov, NRU Higher School of Economics St. Petersburg (Russia)

Mgr.: Vladimir Leonidovich Marchenkov, Ohio U

V6-10 Cultural History of the Soviet Family: Children, Parents, and Grandparents - VR 10

Chair: Botakoz Kassymbekova, Liverpool John Moores U (UK)

Papers: Silja Pitkanen, U of Jyväskylä (Finland)

"Families Under Construction: Children and Parents in Soviet Cultural Technology"

Ekaterina Voronova, Institute of Russian History, RAS (Russia)

"The 'Obscure Father Figure' in the Soviet Union in the 1950s and 1960s"

Botakoz Kassymbekova, Liverpool John Moores U (UK)

"Family Roles of Old People in Post-War Soviet Union"

Disc.: Martina Winkler, Christian-Albrechts-U Kiel (Germany)

Mgr.: Zayra M Badillo Castro, SOAS U of London (UK)

V6-11 Intellectual History and History of Ideas in Dialogue - (Roundtable) - VR 11

Chair: Aleksandra Konarzewska, U of Tübingen (Germany)

Part.: Kristina Andelova, Charles U in Prague (Czech Republic)

Una Blagojevic, Central European U (Hungary)

Aleksandra Konarzewska, U of Tübingen (Germany)

Anna Nakai, Central European U (Hungary)

Kyle Shybunko, New York U

Mgr.: Julia Furmanczyk, U of Tuebingen (Germany)

V6-12 Mobilizing Feminist Vulnerabilities: Practices of Care among Eastern European Migrant Women - VR 12

Chair: Maya Nadkarni, Swarthmore College

Nora Tyeklar, U of Texas at Austin

Papers: Grazyna Bielousova, Duke U

"Vulnerable Presence: Lithuanian Women Émigré's Practices of 'Home' in the US"

Katia Hartmann, ENS (France)

"Health Problems and Well-Being of Russian Lesbian Women in France: The Effects of Exile, Migration, and Acculturation"

Sanja Tepavcevic, Institute of Advanced Studies Koszeg (Hungary)

"Entrepreneurship and Integration of the Post-Soviet Female Immigrants in Austria and Hungary"

Aniko Szucs, Yale U

"Subverting Feminist Vulnerabilities: The Precarious Lives and Performances of Migrant East European Artists"

Disc.: Natalie Belsky, U of Minnesota Duluth

Mgr.: Ellen Bleier, U of Notre Dame

V6-13 Wayward Women: Interdisciplinary Perspectives on Female Deviance in Nineteenth-Century Russian Literature - VR 13

Chair: Natalie Jean McCauley, U of Richmond

Papers: Serenity Stanton Orengo, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

"Dostoevsky, the Kornilova Trial, and Pregnancy as a Murder Defense"

Colleen Lucey, U of Arizona

"Women's Emancipation in the Prose of Nadezhda Khvoshchinskaia"

LeiAnna X Hamel, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

"The Intersection of Science and the Gothic in Chekhov's 'The Mire'"

Disc.: Jenny Kaminer, UC Davis

Mgr.: Dilafuz Nazarova, Rutgers, The State U of New Jersey

V6-14 Great Collectors of Slavica and East Europeana along the East Coast (USA) - (Roundtable) - VR 14

Chair: Edward Kasinec, Columbia U / Hoover Institution

- Part.:* Anna Arays, Yale U
Angela Cannon, Library of Congress
Robert Harding Davis, Columbia U / Cornell U
Wojciech Siemaszkiewicz, New York Public Library
Ernest Alexander Zitser, Duke U
Mgr.: Jon C. Giullian, U of Kansas
- V6-15 Book Discussion: "Complaint to the Authorities in Russia: A Trap Between Tradition and Legal Modernization," by Elena Bogdanova - (Roundtable) - VR 15**
- Chair:* Deirdre Ruscitti Harshman, Christopher Newport U
Part.: Deirdre Ruscitti Harshman, Christopher Newport U
Kathryn Hendley, U of Wisconsin-Madison
Laura A. Henry, Bowdoin College
Jeremy Morris, Aarhus U (Denmark)
Mgr.: Elena A. Bogdanova, Centre for Independent Social Research (Russia)
- V6-16 Soviet Multinational Literature: Institutions and Canons - VR 16**
- Chair:* Marina Balina, Illinois Wesleyan U
Papers: Evgeny A. Dobrenko, U of Sheffield (UK)
"The Birth of Soviet Multinational Literature, 1927-1932"
Valentyna Kharkhun, Mykola Hohol State U of Nizhyn (Ukraine)
"The Party Leads': Embracing Socialist Realism in Soviet Ukrainian Literature of the 1930s"
Dalia Satkauskyste, Institute of Lithuanian Literature and Folklore (Lithuania)
"Lithuanian Version of Socialist Realism: Imposed Doctrine and Incorporated Tradition"
Loreta Macianskaite, Institute of Lithuanian Literature and Folklore (Lithuania)
"Liquid Socialist Realism in Lithuania: Ambiguities Petras Cvirka Appraisal"
Disc.: Myroslav Shkandrij, U of Manitoba (Canada)
Mgr.: Valentyna Kharkhun, Mykola Hohol State U of Nizhyn (Ukraine)
- V6-17 Eco-Writing: A Reading with Galina Rymbu, Shamil Idiatullin, Evgenia Nekrasova - VR 17**
- Sponsored by: Committee on Sustainability
Mgr.: Jose Vergara, Bryn Mawr College
- V6-18 The Collapse of Yugoslavia: Is it Over Yet and Was it Historically Relevant? - (Roundtable) - VR 18**

- Chair:* Francine Friedman, Ball State U
Part.: Stefano Bianchini, U of Bologna (Italy)
David B. Kanin, Johns Hopkins U
Robert Craig Nation, Dickinson College
Mgr.: Jelena Dureinovic, U of Vienna (Austria)
- V6-19 Migration in Russia: Museums and NGOs as a Social Agent - (Roundtable) - VR 19**
- Chair:* Ekaterina Suverina, Garage Museum of Contemporary Art
Part.: Daria Bobrenko, Garage Museum of Contemporary Art
Nikolay Lunchenkov, The Eurasian Coalition for Health, Rights, Gender and Sexual Diversity
Alexandra Philippovskaya, Garage Museum of Contemporary Art
Oksana Polyakova, Garage Museum of Contemporary Art
Raymond Casimer Taras, Tulane U
Mgr.: Mariia Shchekochikhina, Garage Museum of Contemporary Art
- V6-20 Teaching Lolita in the #MeToo Era: New Trial by a New Jury? - VR 20**
- Chair:* Elena Rakhimova-Sommers, Rochester Institute of Technology
Papers: Elena Rakhimova-Sommers, Rochester Institute of Technology
"Teaching Lolita with Reader-Response Theory"
Alisa Zhulina, New York U
"Teaching Lolita in Courses on Dramatic Literature"
Francesca McDonnell Capossela, Trinity College Dublin (Ireland)
"Reading Lolita with a Calculator: The 1.88% Project"
Disc.: Dana Dragunoiu, Carleton U (Canada)
Mgr.: Maureen Waters O'Neill, Laval U (Canada)
- V6-21 Citizenship and Statelessness in Eastern Europe and Beyond, 1918-1945 - VR 21**
- Chair:* Constantin Iordachi, Central European U (Hungary)
Papers: David Petruccelli, Dartmouth College
"The Policing of Stateless Jews in Interwar Europe"
Kathryn Ciancia, U of Wisconsin-Madison
"Negotiating Non-Territorial Citizenship: The Polish Consulate in Harbin during the Second World War"
Sara Silverstein, U of Connecticut
"Learning to be Internationalists: National Minorities in Interwar Europe"
Disc.: Holly Case, Brown U
Mgr.: Holly Case, Brown U

V6-22 Culture Two Revisited: Influence and Future Trajectories - (Roundtable) - VR 22

Chair: Julie Deschepper, Kunsthistorisches Institut in Florenz (Italy)
Part.: Nikolay Erofeev, U of Oxford (UK)
Antony Kalashnikov, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
Michał Murawski, U College London (UK)
Vladimir Paperny, UCLA
Tijana Vujosevic, U of British Columbia (Canada)
Mgr.: Antony Kalashnikov, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)

V6-23 Living and Fighting Among Ruins: Urban Stories of Soviet Survival during the Great Patriotic War - VR 23

Chair: Maris Rowe-McCulloch, U of Regina (Canada)
Papers: Marilyn Campeau, Leibniz Institute for Contemporary History (Munich, Germany)
"Documenting Destruction and Survival: Stalingrad as an Artistic Turning Point in Red Army Soldiers' Frontline Drawings, 1943–1945"
Matthew Cotton, McPherson College
"Between the Ruins and Barbed Wire: Life and Labor in Stalingrad after the Battle"
Liudmila Novikova, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"Wartime Famine and Survival on the Soviet Home Front: A Case of Arkhangel'sk"
Disc.: Rebecca Manley, Queen's U (Canada)
Mgr.: Maris Rowe-McCulloch, U of Regina (Canada)

V6-24 "Welcome to Chechnya": Coloniality and anti-LGBTQ Violence in Russia - (Roundtable) - VR 24

Chair: Alexander Kondakov, U College Dublin (Ireland)
Part.: Emil Edenborg, Stockholm U (Sweden)
Kevin Moss, Middlebury College
Alexandra Novitskaya, Stony Brook U
Tatsiana Shchurko, Ohio State U
Mgr.: Alexandra Novitskaya, Stony Brook U

V6-25 Howard U Undergraduate Think Tank Professional Development I: Funding and Support - (Roundtable) - VR25

Chair: Kelly McGee, Association for Slavic, East European, and Eurasian Studies
Part.: Garric Buzzard, Howard U
Andrew Harris Chapman, U of Texas at San Antonio

Nijhier-Aleem Jules, Howard University
Aferdita Krasniqi, Fulbright Scholar Program / CIES
Eileen M Kunkler, Ohio State U
Mgr.: Kathryn Graber, Indiana U Bloomington

V6-26 The Study of Russian Politics since Crimea - (Roundtable) - VR26

Chair: Bo Petersson, Malmo U (Sweden)
Part.: Joan T. DeBardeleben, Carleton U (Canada)
Paul Goode, Carleton U (Canada)
Samuel Aaron Greene, King's College London (UK)
Yoshiko M. Herrera, U of Wisconsin-Madison
Mgr.: Paul Goode, Carleton U (Canada)

V6-27 H-Ukraine: Promoting the Diversity of Ukrainian Studies in Digital Humanities - VR27

Papers: Johnathon Vsetecka, Michigan State U
"From Idea to Reality: Creating and Designing H-Ukraine"
Amber N. Nickell, Fort Hays State U
"Editing H-Ukraine: Creating Resources for H-Ukraine"
Iryna Skubii, Queen's U (Canada)
"Promoting New Publications and Podcasts"
Nataliya Shpylova-Saeed, Indiana U
"Publishing Book Reviews on H-Ukraine"
Kimberly Marie St. Julian Varnon, U of Pennsylvania
"Editing and Soliciting Book Reviews"
Steven Seegel, U of Northern Colorado
"Working to Promote Ukrainian Studies in the Digital Humanities"
Jessica Zychowicz, U of Alberta (Canada)
"Thoughts from a Board Member: H-Ukraine and Its Future"
Mgr.: Tetiana Shyshkina, Central European U (Hungary)

V6-28 Cognitive Perspectives on Dostoevsky and Gogol - VR 28

Chair: Kelly Knickmeier Cummings, Howard U
Papers: Kathleen Manukyan, U of Pittsburgh
"From Soul-Procurement to Data-Fetishism: Gogol and the Quantified-Self"
Tom Dolack, Wheaton College
"How Weird Was Dostoevsky?: Shame and Guilt as a Window into His Thought"
Jerry Piven, Rutgers, The State U of New Jersey
"Askesis and Ontological Sickness in Dostoevsky"

Disc.: Brett Cooke, Texas A&M U
Mgr.: Aliide Naylor, Independent Scholar

V6-29 Questions about the Legacies of Nikon's Patriarchate - VR29

Chair: Jennifer B. Spock, Eastern Kentucky U

Papers: David Goldfrank, Georgetown U

"Legacy Shmlegacy?: Nikon's Impact and the Pathos of Patriarch Adrian, 1691-1700"

Kevin Michael Kain, U of Wisconsin-Green Bay

"The Legacy of the Nikonian-influenced Profectio and Adventus in the Reign of Peter I"

Georg B. Michels, UC Riverside

"Mass Suicides in 17th Century Muscovy: How Can We Make Sense of Them?"

Disc.: Ovidiu Olar, Austrian Academy of Sciences (Austria)

Mgr.: Trevor Erlacher, U of Pittsburgh

V6-30 Translation as Intersection VI: When Literary Studies Meets Literary Translation - (Roundtable) - VR30

Chair: Maria Y. Khotimsky, MIT

Part.: Katherina Boicheva Kokinova, Bulgarian Academy of Sciences (Bulgaria)

Benjamin Paloff, U of Michigan

Stanislav Shvabrin, UNC at Chapel Hill

Jonathan Craig Stone, Franklin & Marshall College

Mgr.: Elena Zemskova, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)

V6-31 Morality and Religious Practices in Socialist and Postsocialist States - VR31

Chair: John Burgess, Pittsburgh Theological Seminary

Papers: Alexandra Medzibrodzky, Independent Scholar

"A Third Way: G. P. Fedotov and Social Christian Thought in Interwar Europe"

Anastasia Mitrofanova, Russian Academy of Sciences (Russia)

"'Reenactment' in Contemporary Orthodox Christianity"

Brenna Caroline Miller, Washington State U

"The Restoration of the Hajj in Socialist Yugoslavia, 1949-1970"

Disc.: John Burgess, Pittsburgh Theological Seminary

Mgr.: Anastasia Felcher, Blinken Open Society Archives (Hungary)

V6-32 Pan-Slavism: From Historical to Contemporary Manifestations - VR32

Chair: Vladimir Đorđević, Mendel U in Brno (Czech Republic)

Papers: Keith Doubt, Wittenberg U

"Interethnic Ritual Kinship as Pan-Slavism in Former-Yugoslavia"

Susan Stout Baker, Independent Scholar

"Uprising in Herzegovina and the Influence of Pan-Slavic Ideas"

Mikhail D Suslov, U of Copenhagen (Denmark)

"Residual Pan-Slavism in Putin's Russia"

Disc.: Marek Cejka, Mendel U in Brno (Czech Republic)

Mgr.: Vladimir Đorđević, Mendel U in Brno (Czech Republic)

V6-34 Global Socialist Film Spectatorship in the Cold War - VR34

Chair: Lilya Kaganovsky, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

Papers: Joshua Malitsky, Indiana U Bloomington

"Socialist Newsreel Beyond Limits"

Anne Eakin Moss, U of Chicago

Niloofar Haeri, Johns Hopkins U

"Eisenstein in Tehran"

Maria (Masha) Salazkina, Concordia U (Canada)

"Shared Cinematic Spaces of Global Socialism, 1950s-1970s"

Laura-Zoe Humphreys, Tulane U

"The Socialist Bureaucrat Comedy Across Borders"

Mgr.: Liladhar R. Pendse, UC Berkeley

V6-35 Abortion, Contraception, and Childbirth in the Soviet Union, 1950s-80s: Between Reproductive Politics and Reproductive Choice - VR35

Chair: Amy Elise Randall, Santa Clara U

Papers: Kateryna Ruban, New York U

"Invisible Abortions: A Case Study of a Soviet Female Doctor in a Provincial Hospital, 1950s-1960s"

Amanda Marie Williams, U of Leeds (UK)

"[S]he Should More Carefully Protect Herself: Abortion and Alternative Contraception in the Soviet Union, 1950s-1970s"

Anna Sidorevich, Sciences Po (France)

"Childbirth, Abortion, and Contraception in the Late USSR: A Case Study of the Leningrad Women's Samizdat and Tamizdat Magazines (1979-1982)"

Disc.: Leslie J Root, U of Colorado at Boulder

Mgr.: Amanda Marie Williams, U of Leeds (UK)

V6-36 Antifascism and Central/Eastern Europe: Practicing an Ideal from the Interwar to the Present - VR36

Chair: Yulia Cherniavskaia, Rutgers, The State U of New Jersey

Wednesday, December 1 (CST)

Session V1 – 8:00 – 9:45 AM
Session V2 – 10:00 – 11:45 AM
Session V3 – 12:00 – 1:45 PM
Session V7 – 2:00 – 3:45 PM

Thursday, December 2 (CST)

Session V4 – 8:00 – 9:45 AM
Session V5 – 10:00 – 11:45 AM
Session V6 – 12:00 – 1:45 PM
Session V12 – 2:00 – 3:45 PM

Friday, December 3 (CST)

Session V9 – 8:00 – 9:45 AM
Session V10 – 10:00 – 11:45 AM
Session V11 – 12:00 – 1:45 PM

Papers: Ondřej Daniel, Metropolitan U Prague (Czech Republic)
"Lifestyle Against Politics: (Sub)cultures of Czech and Russian
Post-Socialist Antifascism"
Tomasz Rawski, U of Warsaw (Poland)
"Dismantling Antifascism in Post-Socialist Poland and Croatia"
Dustin Stalnaker, Alfred State College
"Antifascism Viewed from the Fascist Perspective?: Preliminary
Reflections"
Alexander Petrusek, Rutgers, The State U of New Jersey
"From Democratic Bloc to Constitutional Law: Building and
Hollowing Antifascist Democracy in the Early GDR, 1945-1952"

Disc.: Lisa A. Kirschenbaum, West Chester U

Mgr.: Susan Zayer Rupp, Wake Forest U

**V6-37 Commemorating the Life and Work of Stephen F. Cohen -
(Roundtable) - VR37**

Chair: Yitzhak Brudny, Hebrew U of Jerusalem (Israel)

Part.: Andrew Scott Barnes, Kent State U

Paul Thomas Christensen, Boston College

Heather D. DeHaan, SUNY Binghamton

Eleonory Gilburd, U of Chicago

Leah Goldman, Washington and Jefferson College

Jeffrey Kenneth Hass, U of Richmond / St. Petersburg State U (Russia)

Masha Kirasirova, New York U Abu Dhabi (UAE)

Pietro Annanias Shakarian, American U (Armenia)

Mgr.: Nathan Isaacson, Association for Slavic, East European, and Eurasian
Studies

Virtual Session 7 – Thursday – 2:00-3:45 pm

ASEEES Council of Regional Affiliates - (Meeting) - VR 22

ASEEES Digital Humanities Group - (Meeting) - VR 1

Society for Slovene Studies - (Meeting) - VR 23

V7-02 Material Memories: Buildings and Cityscapes as Agents of Remembering, Reclaiming, Resisting - VR 2

Chair: Iulia Statica, University of Sheffield, UK

Papers: Laura Mafizzoli, U of Manchester (UK)

"Gulag Memoryscapes: Narratives and Practices of Gulag Memory-Making in Contemporary Tbilisi"

Ketevan Gurchiani, Ilia State U (Georgia)

"Commodification of Nostalgia in Tbilisi"

Anna Varfolomeeva, U of Helsinki (Finland)

"'When Everything Got Broken': Infrastructural Attachment and Nostalgia in Northwestern Russia"

Paul Manning, Trent U (Canada)

"Tbilisi Was Once Green...': Ecological Narratives of a Changing Cityscape"

Disc.: Bruce Grant, New York U

Tyler Colby Kirk, U of Alaska, Fairbanks

Mgr.: Ketevan Gurchiani, Ilia State U (Georgia)

V7-03 Scholarship on the Margins: Strategies for Surviving in East European Studies Outside the Tenure Track - (Roundtable) - VR 3

Chair: Lynda Y Park, Association for Slavic, East European, and Eurasian Studies

Part.: Patrice M. Dabrowski, Harvard U

Emil Kerenji, US Holocaust Memorial Museum

Lenny A. Urena Valerio, U of New Mexico

Michał J Wilczewski, Northwestern U

Kathleen Wroblewski, U of Michigan

Mgr.: Kathleen Wroblewski, U of Michigan

V7-04 Whites and Reds: A History of Wine in the Lands of Tsar and Commissar - (Roundtable) - VR 4

Chair: Michael David-Fox, Georgetown U

Part.: Stephen Bittner, Sonoma State U

Catriona Helen Moncrieff Kelly, U of Cambridge (UK)

Mary Catherine Neuburger, U of Texas at Austin

Willard Sunderland, U of Cincinnati

Mgr.: Michael David-Fox, Georgetown U

V7-05 From Perceptions to Policies: Russian-Turkish Relations at the Crossroads (1914-1939) - VR 5

Chair: Julija Brsakoska Bazerkoska, Concordia U (Canada)

Papers: Marina Soroka, Western U (Canada)

"'Russia is to Blame': Pro-Ottoman Agitation in Switzerland during WWI, 1914-1918"

Denis V. Vovchenko, Northeastern State U

"When the Opposites Attract: Soviet-Turkish Relations at the Age of Extremes, 1918-1938"

Martin Beisswenger, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)

"Experiencing the East: Russian Émigré Intellectuals in Istanbul, 1920-1923"

Disc.: James H. Meyer, Montana State U

Mgr.: Julija Brsakoska Bazerkoska, Concordia U (Canada)

V7-06 Book Discussion: "Moscow Monumental," by Katherine Zubovich - (Roundtable) - VR 6

Chair: Katherine Zubovich, SUNY Buffalo

Part.: Christina Elizabeth Crawford, Emory U

Heather D. DeHaan, SUNY Binghamton

Steven E. Harris, U of Mary Washington

David L. Hoffmann, Ohio State U

Michał Murawski, U College London (UK)

Mgr.: John C Stanko, Indiana U

V7-07 The Image of Lenin in Film, Poetry, and Memoirs - VR 7

Chair: Irina Denischenko, Georgetown U

Papers: Aleksandar Boskovic, Columbia U

"Cinépoeury Ideology Converter: Constructivist Photomontages for Maiakovskii's Poem Vladimir Ilyich Lenin"

Zachary Hicks, UC Berkeley

"My Lenin: Ritwick Ghatak, Internationalism, and Film Form"

Elena V. Baraban, U of Manitoba (Canada)

"Russia's Patriotic Drive and the Image of Vladimir Lenin in Post-Soviet Cinema"

Disc.: Irina Denischenko, Georgetown U

Mgr.: Zayra M Badillo Castro, SOAS U of London (UK)

V7-08 The Politics of Memory and Social Trust across Post-Soviet Eastern Europe and Eurasia - VR 8

- Chair:* Nina Paulovicova, Athabasca U (Canada)
Papers: Nora Webb Williams, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
"Rural Resilience After the Soviet Collapse: Evidence from Southern Kazakhstan"
George Soroka, Harvard U
Félix Krawatzek, Centre for East European and International Studies (Germany)
"The Shape of Memory: A Vignette Experiment Conducted in Russia and Ukraine"
Katherine Frances Cayton, Cornell U
"The 'Storm Troops' of Populism: The Gazeta Polska Clubs and Illiberal Civil Society in Law and Justice's Poland"
Disc.: Nina Paulovicova, Athabasca U (Canada)
Mgr.: Nathan Isaacson, Association for Slavic, East European, and Eurasian Studies
- V7-09 A Science of Uncertainty: Tolstoy, Dostoevsky, Saltykov-Shchedrin - VR 9**
Chair: Irina Paperno, UC Berkeley
Papers: Brian Egdorf, UC Berkeley
"Why Does Stiva Oblonsky Blame 'Reflexes of the Brain?': Anna Karenina and the Sechenov-Kavelin Debate"
Melissa Frazier, Sarah Lawrence College
"Bodies in the World: Dostoevsky and Schiller"
Anastassia Kostrioukova, New York U
"Multiple Darwinisms in Saltykov-Shchedrin's 'Priznaki vremeni'"
Disc.: Laurel Schmuck, U of Southern California
Mgr.: Melissa Frazier, Sarah Lawrence College
- V7-10 Children's Literature and the Communist State - VR 10**
Chair: Maria Mayofis, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
Papers: Rachelle Grossman, Harvard U
"Yiddish Children's Literature in Postwar Poland"
Rhiannon Dowling, CUNY Lehman College
"Crime and Criminals in Soviet Children's Literature"
Megan Swift, U of Victoria (Canada)
"The Soviet State Literature Textbook and the Construction of the National Past"
Disc.: Miriam Udel, Emory U
Mgr.: Nana Gulic, U of Toronto (Canada)
- V7-11 Cognitive Correspondences in Russian Literature: Icons, Symptoms, Symbols - VR 11**
Chair: Tom Dolack, Wheaton College

- Papers:* Rolf E. Hellebust, Independent Scholar
"Thinking in Icons: The Visual as a Compensatory Strategy in Gogol and Dostoevsky"
Kelly Knickmeier Cummings, Howard U
"The Art of Diagnosis in Russian Symbolism"
Polina Dimcheva Dimova, U of Denver
"The Psychophysics of Petersburg: The Immeasurable Expanse Between Cognition and Creation"
Disc.: Ana Hedberg Olenina, Arizona State U
Mgr.: Ellen Bleier, U of Notre Dame
- V7-12 Suicide in Central and Eastern European History: Prospects and Challenges - (Roundtable) - VR 12**
Chair: Orel Beilinson, Yale U
Part.: Kathryn E. Densford, Chaminade College Preparatory School
John Paul Newman, National U of Ireland Maynooth (Ireland)
Kenneth Martin Pinnow, Allegheny College
Mgr.: John Paul Newman, National U of Ireland Maynooth (Ireland)
- V7-13 Post-Soviet Neo-Gothic Cultural Productions - (Roundtable) - VR 13**
Chair: Tetyana Dzyadevych, New College of Florida
Part.: Dina Khapaeva, Georgia Institute of Technology
Svitlana Krysz, MacEwan U (Canada)
Maryna Romanets, U of Northern British Columbia (Canada)
Inna Tigountsova, St. Mark's Church of England Academy
Karlis Verdins, Washington U in St. Louis
Mgr.: Svitlana Krysz, MacEwan U (Canada)
- V7-14 Text - Image - Dance: Intermedial Encounters in the Russian Arts - VR 14**
Chair: Liana Battsaligova, Yale U
Papers: Tara Wheelwright, Brown U
"Pushkin's 'Fountain of Bakhchisarai' and the Elevation of the Word in Soviet Ballet"
Hanna Chuchvaha, U of Calgary (Canada)
"Texts, Images, and Popular Imagination from Eruslan Lazarevich to Ruslan and Liudmila"
Jenya Mironava, Harvard U
"The Interplay of Lines and Letters in Aleksei Remizov's 'Diaghilev's Evenings'"
Disc.: Daria Khitrova, Harvard U
Mgr.: Tetiana Shyshkina, Central European U (Hungary)

V7-15 Tsvetaeva Herself - VR 15

Chair: John Wright, Columbia U

Papers: Adrian J. Wanner, Pennsylvania State U

"I Am Not a Russian Poet': Tsvetaeva's French-language Oeuvre and the Question of Poetic Bilingualism"

Veniamin Vadimovich Gushchin, Columbia U

"Blank Page to 'Vskryla zhily': Marina Tsvetaeva's Embodied Metapoetry"

Adam Fergus, U of Sheffield (UK)

"The Evolution of Poetic Personhood in Marina Tsvetaeva's Prose Writing"

Disc.: Karina McCorkle, UC Berkeley

Mgr.: John Wright, Columbia U

V7-16 Rupture and Memory: Gender, Material Culture, and Collections After the Revolution - VR 16

Chair: Michael Perekrestov, Russian History Foundation

Papers: Karen Kettering, Reid Advisory, Kettering Associates

"Sentiment, Memory, and the Rhetoric of Gender: The Jewel Albums of Grand Duchess Ksenia Alexandrovna"

Nicholas Nicholson, Nicholson Advisory

"Bright Beneficence: Empress Maria Feodorovna and Princess Vera Konstantinovna as Custodians of Memory"

Wilfried Zeisler, Hillwood Estate, Museum and Gardens

"Women and Russian Imperial Culture at Hillwood"

Disc.: Michael Perekrestov, Russian History Foundation

Mgr.: Karen Kettering, Reid Advisory, Kettering Associates

V7-17 Sources of Democratic Resiliency on Post-Accession Eastern Europe - (Roundtable) - VR 17

Chair: Michael H. Bernhard, U of Florida

Part.: Lenka Bustikova-Siroky, Arizona State U

Daina S. Eglitis, George Washington U

Venelin Iordanov Ganev, Miami U of Ohio

Mgr.: Venelin Iordanov Ganev, Miami U of Ohio

V7-18 Nested Nationalism: Minoritization and National Hierarchies in the USSR - (Roundtable) - VR 18

Chair: Krista Goff, U of Miami

Part.: Krista Goff, U of Miami

Erin Hutchinson, U of Colorado at Boulder

Ian T Lanzillotti, Bethany College

Flora J Roberts, Cardiff U (UK)

Anna Marie Whittington, Harvard U

Mgr.: Krista Goff, U of Miami

V7-19 Book Discussion: "Jerzy Kwiatkowski, 485 Days at Majdanek," Introduced by Norman M. Naimark and Translated by Nicholas Siekierski and Witold Wojtaszko - (Roundtable) - VR 19

Chair: Norman M. Naimark, Stanford U

Part.: Kathryn Ciancia, U of Wisconsin-Madison

John F. Connelly, UC Berkeley

Piotr H Kosicki, U of Maryland, College Park

Beata Szymkow, Stanford U

Mgr.: Mary Arnstein, Association for Slavic, East European, and Eurasian Studies

V7-20 How Putin Rules - VR 20

Chair: Gulnaz Sharafutdinova, King's College London (UK)

Papers: Peter Rutland, Wesleyan U

Dmytro Babachanakh, Democratic Initiatives Foundation

"Social Media Campaigns and Putin's Image"

Paul Goode, Carleton U (Canada)

"Vladimir Mnemonic: AI and Autocracy in Putin's Russia"

Janet Elise Johnson, CUNY Brooklyn College

Valerie Sperling, Clark U

Lisa McIntosh Sundstrom, U of British Columbia (Canada)

"Mixed Signals: What Putin Says About Gender Equality, 1999-2020"

Henry E. Hale, George Washington U

"Do Authoritarians Need a Foreign Enemy?: Evidence from Fortress Russia"

Disc.: Brian D. Taylor, Syracuse U

Mgr.: Valerie Sperling, Clark U

V7-24 Memory, Nostalgia, and Dreamworlds - VR 24

Chair: Katya Elizabeth Hokanson, U of Oregon

Papers: Ana Krsinic Lozica, U of Zagreb (Croatia)

"New Memory for the Old Trauma?: Recent Film Production on Jasenovac Camp"

Eva Faraghi, Princeton U

"The Horror of Homecoming: An Interdisciplinary Examination of Pushkin's Literary Nightmares"

Jessica Ruth Storey-Nagy, Indiana U Bloomington
"The Socialist Plant: Materiality, Meaning-Making, and Memory in Contemporary Hungary"

Olha Tytarenko, U of Nebraska-Lincoln
"Toward a 'Destroyed Bridge': Self-destructive Nostalgia in Pelevin's 'A Yellow Arrow'"

Disc.: Elizabeth Ann Blake, Saint Louis U

Mgr.: Anastasia Felcher, Blinken Open Society Archives (Hungary)

V7-25 Howard U Undergraduate Think Tank Professional Development II: MA & PhD Program Information - (Roundtable) - VR25

Chair: Kelly McGee, Association for Slavic, East European, and Eurasian Studies

Part.: Zachary Kelly, UC Berkeley
Mary Elizabeth Bird Malinkin, U of Michigan
Kimberly Marie St. Julian Varnon, U of Pennsylvania
Maria Smith, Department of State
Terrell Jermaine Starr, The Root

Mgr.: Tricia Starks, U of Arkansas

V7-26 Childbirth, Childcare, and Beauty: Gendered Values in the Late Soviet Union - VR26

Chair: Jessica Lovett, U of Nottingham (UK)

Papers: Jessica Lovett, U of Nottingham (UK)
"Demographic Anxiety and Childbearing in the Brezhnev-Era Soviet Union, 1964-1982"

Danielle Leavitt-Quist, Harvard U
"The Modern Babushka' and Gendered Old Age"

Emily Lobenstein, U of Wisconsin-Madison
"The Rise of the Pageant and the Changing Face of Soviet Beauty, 1988-1991"

Disc.: Erica L. Fraser, Carleton U (Canada)

Mgr.: Danielle Leavitt-Quist, Harvard U

V7-27 New Approaches for Investigating Overlord and Servile Classes: Inheritance, Land Markets, and Agrarian Terminology across the Polish-Lithuanian Commonwealth and Ukraine - VR27

Chair: Karin Friedrich, U of Aberdeen (UK)

Papers: Robert Ian Frost, U of Aberdeen (UK)
"Defying Economic Rationality?: Partible Inheritance, Downward Social Mobility and the Polish-Lithuanian Szlachta"
Piotr Guzowski, U of Białystok (Poland)

"The Peasant Inheritance System and the Land Market in Poland in the Late Medieval and Early Modern Period"

Peter B. Brown, Rhode Island College
"Terminology, Status, and Condition: Looking at Early Modern Polish, Lithuanian, Belorussian, and Ukrainian Agricultural Niches"

Disc.: David Goldfrank, Georgetown U

Mgr.: Trevor Erlacher, U of Pittsburgh

V7-28 Central and Southeast Europe towards Russia and East Asia in the Nineteenth and Twentieth Centuries - VR 28

Sponsored by: Hungarian Studies Association

Chair: Szinan Radi, U of Nottingham (UK)

Papers: Adam Farkas, Eötvös Lorand U (Hungary)
"The Image of Russia in Hungary, 1830-1849"

Matyas Mervay, New York U
"Post-Habsburg Central Europe and Republican China: Austria, Czechoslovakia, and Hungary's Relations with China 1918-1949"

Antonina Luszczkiewicz, Jagiellonian U (Poland)
"Taiwan in the Polish Media Discourse in the Cold War Era, 1949-1960"

Disc.: Johanna Mellis, Ursinus College

Mgr.: Aliide Naylor, Independent Scholar

V7-29 The Humans of Soviet Humanism: Lichnost, Feeling, and Revolution II: Humanism with a Socialist Face (1950s-1960s) - VR29

Chair: Michael Alexander Brinley, U of Pennsylvania

Papers: Alexander James McConnell, U of Michigan
"Soviet Humanism After Stalin: Revision, Renewal, or Rupture?"
Pavel Khazanov, Rutgers, The State U of New Jersey

"Alexander Tvardovsky's 'Tyorkin' as Mikhail Lifshitz's National-Humanist Strategy"

Anastasiya Osipova, U of Colorado at Boulder
"Poor Senses: Faktura, Tactility, and Collective Constitution of Personality"

Disc.: Polly Jones, U of Oxford (UK)

Mgr.: Pavel Khazanov, Rutgers, The State U of New Jersey

V7-30 Metaphors and Things in 20th Century Russian Culture - VR30

Chair: Robyn Jensen, Pomona College

Papers: Dominick Lawton, UC Berkeley

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"Object-Oriented Olesha: Metaphor, Reification, and the Soviet Commodity"

Mary A. Nicholas, Lehigh U

"Metaphor, Allegory, and the Conceptual Object: Literal Meaning in Late Soviet Unofficial Art"

Caroline Lemak Brickman, UC Berkeley

"A Thing and a Half: Brodsky's Centaurs and the Problem of Metonymy"

Disc.: Edward Tyerman, UC Berkeley

Mgr.: Dominick Lawton, UC Berkeley

V7-31 Late Imperial Prisons and Punishment in Multinational and International Context - VR31

Chair: Faith C. Hillis, U of Chicago

Papers: Samuel Coggeshall, Columbia U

"Gender, Nationality, and Revolution in Late Imperial Russia: The Małecka Affair of 1911"

Aaron Benyamin Retish, Wayne State U

"Talking with the Prison Warden about Freedom: Prisoner Petitions and the Control of Inmates in Samara Province during the Revolution"

Disc.: Jane Burbank, New York U

Mgr.: Alexandra Novitskaya, Stony Brook U

V7-32 Contemporary and Popular Culture in Russia and the Former Yugoslavia - VR32

Chair: Kristina Tanis, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)

Papers: Iva Glisic, Australian National U (Australia)

"Forensic Aesthetics in the Contemporary Art of the Former Yugoslavia"

Olga Mikhailovna Mesropova, Iowa State U

"Funny and Female: Discourses of Contemporary Russian Women's Stand-Up Comedy"

Yasemin Celikkol, Northwestern U in Qatar (Qatar)

"The New Turkish Delight: Turkish TV Series in Russia"

Disc.: Kristina Tanis, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)

Mgr.: Iva Glisic, Australian National U (Australia)

Virtual Session 8 – Thursday – 4:00-5:45 pm

Association for the Study of Eastern Christian History and Culture - (Meeting) - VR 7

V8-01 State and Society under NEP - (Roundtable) - VR 1

Chair: Aaron Benyamini Retish, Wayne State U

Part.: Sharon A. Kowalsky, Texas A&M U

Anne O'Donnell, New York U

Oscar Sanchez-Sibony, U of Hong Kong (China)

Andy Willimott, Queen Mary, U of London (UK)

Mgr.: Aliide Naylor, Independent Scholar

V8-02 Material Culture and (Bad) Taste in Herzen, Tolstoy, the Silver Age, and Beyond - VR 2

Chair: Margaret Samu, The New School

Papers: Anne Lounsbury, New York U

"Herzen and the Meshchane"

Olga Y. Maiorova, U of Michigan

"The Idea of Taste in Anna Karenina"

Schamma Schahadat, U of Tübingen (Germany)

"The Meshchanin: A Literary Hero and His Everyday (From Russian Symbolism to Mikhail Bulgakov)"

Disc.: David M.B.L. Herman, U of Virginia

Eric Naiman, UC Berkeley

Mgr.: Zayra M Badillo Castro, SOAS U of London (UK)

V8-03 Bodies Fit for Consumption: Gender as Spectacle in Soviet and Yugoslav Postwar Era - VR 3

Chair: Ivan Simic, Charles U in Prague (Czech Republic)

Papers: Erica L. Fraser, Carleton U (Canada)

"Gender, Heroism, and the Sports Superstar in Postwar Soviet Culture: Vsevolod Bobrov's Celebrity Masculinity"

Marjorie L. Hilton, Murray State U

"The Sparrow from Minsk: Soviet Gymnast Olga Korbut as International Celebrity"

Marko Dumancic, Western Kentucky U

"He Who Doesn't Serve in the Military, Is Not Fit for Marriage: 1980s Yugoslav Military Service as an Expression of Late Socialist Masculinity"

Disc.: Ivan Simic, Charles U in Prague (Czech Republic)

Mgr.: Marko Dumancic, Western Kentucky U

V8-04 The KGB versus the Jews - VR 4

Chair: William Craft Brumfield, Tulane U

Papers: Brian Jay Horowitz, Tulane U

"Menachem Begin's 'White Nights' and the Zionist Gaze of the Soviet Union: Elochim versus the KGB"

Gennady Estraiikh, New York U

"The Soviet Secret Police Files of Yiddish Writers"

Victoria M. Khiterer, Millersville U

"The Soviet Secret Police versus Jewish Scholars: The Fate of the Members of the Department of Jewish Culture of the Ukrainian Academy of Sciences"

Disc.: Michael C. Hickey, Bloomsburg U

Mgr.: Anastasia Felcher, Blinken Open Society Archives (Hungary)

V8-05 Human-Computer Interaction in the Language Classroom - (Roundtable) - VR 5

Chair: Kathleen Manukyan, U of Pittsburgh

Part.: Ljiljana Duraskovic, U of Pittsburgh

Renata Kamenarova, U of Pittsburgh

Frane Karabatic, U of Texas at Austin

Anastasia Lakhtikova, Independent Scholar

Mgr.: Kathleen Manukyan, U of Pittsburgh

V8-06 Inter-Medial Histories: Book, Film, Poem, Portrait - VR 6

Chair: Harlow Loomis Robinson, Northeastern U

Papers: Elena Popan, Texas Tech U

"Eastern European Presence at the Cannes Film Festival during the 1980s"

Yukio Nakano, Doshisha U (Japan)

"Marc Slonim and Gleb Struve in Their Correspondence"

Angelica Browne, California State Polytechnic U

"Poets Never Sleep: Insomnia in Russian Poetry"

Andrew Leddy, Independent Scholar

"A Portrait of an African-American in Moscow"

Disc.: Harlow Loomis Robinson, Northeastern U

Mgr.: Trevor Erlacher, U of Pittsburgh

V8-08 Formal Uncertainties: Documentary and Fictional Intersections in Soviet Cinema of the 1960s - VR 8

Sponsored by: Working Group on Cinema and Television

Chair: Joan Neuberger, U of Texas at Austin

- Papers:* Elizabeth A. Papazian, U of Maryland, College Park
"Ethnography or Poetry?"
Lida Oukaderova, Rice U
"Between Fiction and History: The Archival Footage of Roman Karmen's 'The Island in Flames'"
Zdenko Mandusic, U of Toronto (Canada)
"Defining Dokumental'nost': Soviet Film Discourse and the Documentary Style in Fiction Films of the Thaw"
- Disc.:* Viktoria Paranyuk, Pace U
Mgr.: Zdenko Mandusic, U of Toronto (Canada)
- V8-09 New Approaches in Imperial Russian and Soviet Press History: Questions, Methods, Sources - (Roundtable) - VR 9**
- Chair:* Christopher I. Stolarski, Georgetown U
Part.: Susan E. Costanzo, Western Washington U
Felix Day Cowan, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
Ala Creciu Graff, U of Maryland, College Park
Yelizaveta Raykhlina, New York U
Matthew Young, Library of Congress
Mgr.: Yelizaveta Raykhlina, New York U
- V8-10 "Fake news," Gendered Impact, and Social Mobilization: Response and Post-Pandemic Dynamics in Tajikistan - VR 10**
- Chair:* Zarrina H. Juraqulova, Denison U
Papers: Mashkhura Akilova, Columbia U
"Civil Society Mobilization and Social Welfare in the Age of Covid-19 in Tajikistan"
Dilafruz Nazarova, Rutgers, The State U of New Jersey
"Law and (Dis)order in the Time of COVID-19 in Tajikistan"
Shahnoza Nozimova, George Mason U
"Entrenching Inequality: Gendered Impacts of COVID-19 Pandemic in Tajikistan"
- Disc.:* Zarrina H. Juraqulova, Denison U
Mgr.: Alexandra Novitskaya, Stony Brook U
- V8-11 Reflections on Teaching Statements and the Job Market - (Roundtable) - VR 11**
- Chair:* Kathryn Julian, Westminster College
Part.: Julia Ault, U of Utah
Kathryn Julian, Westminster College
Johanna Mellis, Ursinus College

- Rachel L. Rothstein, The Weber School
Mgr.: Kathryn Julian, Westminster College
- V8-12 Teaching REEES at a Minority Serving Institution (MSI) - (Roundtable) - VR 12**
- Chair:* Krista Goff, U of Miami
Part.: Anastasiia Gordiienko, U of Arizona
Matthew Kendall, U of Illinois at Chicago
B. Amarilis Lugo de Fabritz, Howard U
Louis H. Porter, Texas State U
Mgr.: Mayhill C. Fowler, Stetson U
- V8-13 Changes in the Interaction between Civil Society and the State in Russia - VR 13**
- Chair:* Allison Denise Evans, U of Nevada, Reno
Papers: Lisa McIntosh Sundstrom, U of British Columbia (Canada)
Elizabeth N Plantan, Stetson U
"Funding Foreign Agents"
Nicole Marie Daphnis, U of Massachusetts Amherst
"The Most Meaningless Form of Protest?': The Law, Politics, and Practice of Single Pickets in Russia"
Alfred Burney Evans, California State U, Fresno
"Case Studies of the Interaction between Civil Society Organizations and the State"
Lauren Alicia McCarthy, U of Massachusetts Amherst
"Grassroots Legal Aid in Russia"
- Disc.:* Laura A. Henry, Bowdoin College
Mgr.: Allison Denise Evans, U of Nevada, Reno
- V8-14 The Soviet Famine of 1932-1933: Three Approaches to Ukraine's Holodomor - VR 14**
- Chair:* Serge Cipko, U of Alberta (Canada)
Papers: Jars Balan, U of Alberta (Canada)
"Coverage and Cover-up: Contemporaneous Canadian Press Accounts of Ukraine's Great Hunger"
Oleh Wolowyna, UNC at Chapel Hill
"The Sudden Increase in Losses in Early 1933 in Some Regions of Ukraine and Russia: Implications for the Famine as 'Man-made Accidentally or Intentionally'"
Bohdan Klid, U of Alberta (Canada)
"Nationalism, the National Question and the Famine of 1932-33 in

Soviet Ukraine (Holodomor)"

Disc.: Serge Cipko, U of Alberta (Canada)

Mgr.: Ellen Bleier, U of Notre Dame

V8-15 Book Discussion: "Understanding World Christianity: Russia," by Alexander Agadjanian and Scott Kenworthy - (Roundtable) - VR 15

Chair: Heather J. Coleman, U of Alberta (Canada)

Part.: Edith W. Clowes, U of Virginia

Heather J. Coleman, U of Alberta (Canada)

Vyacheslav Karpov, Western Michigan U

Graeme Robertson, UNC at Chapel Hill

Catherine Wanner, Pennsylvania State U

Mgr.: Scott M. Kenworthy, Miami U of Ohio

V8-16 Learning for All: Equitable Pedagogy in Russian Language Study - (Roundtable) - VR 16

Chair: Olga Ogurtsova, Beloit College

Part.: Anna Borovskaya-Ellis, U of Virginia

Victoria Kononova, Lawrence U

Anya Nesterchouk, U of Wisconsin-Madison

Olga Permitina, CUNY Queens College

Snezhana Zheltoukhova, Stetson U

Mgr.: Nana Gulic, U of Toronto (Canada)

V8-17 Eastern Europe in the World: Global Influences and Interactions - (Roundtable) - VR 17

Chair: Andrea Orzoff, New Mexico State U

Part.: Theodora Dragostinova, Ohio State U

Brigitte Le Normand, Maastricht University

Elidor Mehilli, CUNY Hunter College

Mgr.: John Meyers, LASA

V8-18 Partisan Sounds, Partisan Pictures: Analyzing Soviet Guerrilla Fighters in Music, Art, and Film - VR 18

Chair: Steven G Jug, Baylor U

Papers: Suzanne Elizabeth Ament, Radford U

"Partisans, Sounds, and Singing"

Adrienne M. Harris, Baylor U

"Partisans and People in the 'All-People's War': Rewriting Heroism and Predatel'stvo in Pliaskin and Brius's 2021 Zoia"

Disc.: Kenneth Slepian, Transylvania U

Mgr.: Nathan Isaacson, Association for Slavic, East European, and Eurasian Studies

V8-19 Postcolonial Ecologies in (Post-)Soviet Cinema and Literature - VR 19

Chair: Edyta Bojanowska, Yale U

Papers: Maria Hristova, Lewis & Clark College

"Depictions of Nuclear Pollution as a Colonial Legacy in

Aleksandr Kott's 'Test' (2014) and Hamid Ismailov's 'The Dead Lake' (2011)"

Elena Monastireva-Ansdell, Colby College

"Environmental Contamination and Postcolonial Recuperation in Rashid Nugmanov's Needle (1988)"

Milla (Lioudmila) Fedorova, Georgetown U

"Nature and Postcolonialism in Contemporary Adaptations of Leo Tolstoy"

Disc.: Andrzej Brylak, U of Southern California

Mgr.: Ekaterina V. Klimenko, Institute of Philosophy and Sociology, PAS (Poland)

V8-20 Sentimental Dostoevsky, or What Women Want - VR 20

Chair: Chloe Kitzinger, Rutgers, The State U of New Jersey

Papers: Elizabeth Ann Blake, Saint Louis U

"Tragic Heroines Resisting Acquisitiveness in Balzac and Dostoevsky"

Chloe Simone Papadopoulos, Yale U

"Bednaia Varen'ka or Varvara the Despot?: Gender and Genre in Bednye liudi's Critical Reception"

Katya Jordan, Brigham Young U

"The Drama Triangle in Pushkin and Dostoevsky, or Who is Who in 'White Nights'"

Disc.: Svetlana Slavskaya Grenier, Georgetown U

Mgr.: Chloe Kitzinger, Rutgers, The State U of New Jersey

V8-21 Translation as Intersection VII: Olga Sedakova and Translation - VR 21

Chair: Maria Y. Khotimsky, MIT

Papers: Laura Little, Connecticut College

"Olga Sedakova's Russian Dante"

Nataliya Karageorgos, Wesleyan U

"Sedakova as a Translator of T. S. Eliot"

Maria Salnikova, U of Southern California

"Lost in Translation: Multitemporality in Olga Sedakova's 'Chinese Journey'"

Disc.: Maria Y. Khotimsky, MIT

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V8-22 100 Years of Švejk - (Roundtable) - VR 22

Chair: Christopher W. Harwood, Columbia U

Part.: Marco Jaimes, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
Kevin J. McNamara, Foreign Policy Research Institute
Daniel Webster Pratt, McGill U (Canada)
Veronika Tuckerova, Harvard U

Abigail Ruth Weil, University of Pennsylvania

Mgr.: Daniel Webster Pratt, McGill U (Canada)

V8-24 Soviet Space after the Space Age: Science, Technology, and Ideology in the Long 1970s - VR 24

Chair: Alexey Golubev, U of Houston

Papers: Christine Elaine Evans, U of Wisconsin-Milwaukee

"Shine, Our Constellation!": Soviet Communications Satellites and the Media History of Space"

Andrew Jenks, California State U, Long Beach

"The Techno-social Imaginary of Space Technology and Its Political Meanings"

Victoria Smolkin, Wesleyan U

"Cosmic Horror and the World of Tomorrow: Soviet Space Imaginaries between Utopia and Dystopia"

Disc.: Asif A. Siddiqi, Fordham U

Mgr.: John C Stanko, Indiana U

V8-25 Teaching Russian in the Time of Zoom: Novel Strategies and Tactics - (Roundtable) - VR25

Chair: Marina Rojavin, Bryn Mawr College

Part.: Anna A. Alsufieva, Portland State U

Nila Friedberg, Portland State U

Iryna Kaplun, Johns Hopkins U

Susan C. Kresin, UCLA

Tatiana Mikhailova, Columbia U

Mgr.: Sibelan E. S. Forrester, Swarthmore College

Virtual Session 9 – Friday – 8:00-9:45 am

V9-01 Russia's Eighteenth Century: Interdisciplinary Approaches - VR 1

Sponsored by: Eighteenth-Century Russian Studies Association

Chair: Alexander M. Martin, U of Notre Dame

Papers: Ekaterina Makhotina, U of Bonn (Germany)

"Labor That Heals the Soul": Protestant Context of the Transformation of Monastery Confinement in the Early Modern Russia"

Elena Marasinova, Institute of Russian History, RAS / NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)

"The Moratorium on Death Penalty and Use of Repentance as Punishment in Eighteenth-Century Russia: Transfer of Ideas and Practices"

Olga Tsapina, The Huntington Library

"From Williamsburg to St. Petersburg: Trans-Atlantic Orthodoxy and the Early Modern Language of Conversion"

Disc.: Erica Camisa Morale, U of Southern California

Mgr.: Olga Tsapina, The Huntington Library

V9-02 Mnemonic Justice: Romani Communities in Eastern Europe and their Painful Pasts Revealed through an Intersectional Lens - VR 2

Chair: Maria Alina Asavei, Charles U in Prague (Czech Republic)

Papers: Caterina Preda, U of Bucharest (Romania)

"The Role of Artistic Memorialization of the Roma Holocaust in Romania: A 'New Distribution of the Possible'"

Manuela Ana-Maria Marin, University of Bucharest, Romania

"When Memory Becomes Justice: Roma People's Struggle for Compensations in Post-war Romania"

Maria Alina Asavei, Charles U in Prague (Czech Republic)

"Romani Gendered Memories: Beyond the Hegemonic Regimes of Representation"

Disc.: Petre Georgian Matei, Elie Wiesel National Institute for Studying the Holocaust in Romania (Romania)

Mgr.: Nathan Isaacson, Association for Slavic, East European, and Eurasian Studies

V9-03 Protest Society through an Interdisciplinary Lens: Structural Shifts, Changing Identities, Embodied Solidarity - (Roundtable) - VR 3

Chair: Tatiana Shchytsova, European Humanities U (Lithuania)

Part.: Pavel Niakhayeu, European Humanities U (Lithuania)

Iryna Ramanava, European Humanities U (Lithuania)

Tatiana Shchytsova, European Humanities U (Lithuania)

Andrey Vozyanov, U of Regensburg (Germany)

Mgr.: Zmicer Herylovich, International Association for the Humanities (Lithuania)

V9-04 The Production of Discourses of Authority on Culture in the USSR (1960-1980): Circulations, Borrowings, Influences - VR 4

Chair: Juliette Milbach, EHESS (France)

Pierre-Louis Arnaud Six, Ecole normale supérieure de Paris (France)

Papers: Juliette Milbach, EHESS (France)

"Pedagogy on Art and Art Discourse in the USSR, 1960-1980"

Olga Nefedova, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)

"Arab Students in the USSR Art Institutes in 1959-1979: Art Education Policy and Students' Relations"

Pierre-Louis Arnaud Six, Ecole normale supérieure de Paris (France)

"'What is a Modern, Civilized, Cultured Man?': An Inquiry Into the Introduction of Western Cultural References at the MGIMO during the Thaw"

Disc.: Masha Chlenova, The New School

Mgr.: Ellen Bleier, U of Notre Dame

V9-05 Russian and Soviet Social Science History: Past, Present, and Future - (Roundtable) - VR 5

Chair: Steven Nafziger, Williams College

Part.: Tracy Dennison, California Institute of Technology

Scott Gehlbach, U of Chicago

Andrei Mikhaylovich Markevich, New Economic School (Russia)

Ekaterina Pravilova, Princeton U

Mgr.: Steven Nafziger, Williams College

V9-06 Turning Muslims into Comrades: Gendered Transformations of Muslim Lives in Socialist and Post-socialist Contexts - VR 6

Chair: Leyla Amzi-Erdogdular, Rutgers, The State U of New Jersey

Papers: Ivan Simic, Charles U in Prague (Czech Republic)

"Targeting Muslim Men: Gender Policies towards Muslim Communities in Early Yugoslav Socialism"

Andreja Mesaric, Charles U in Prague (Czech Republic)

"Muslim Reformism: An Unexpected Influence on Yugoslav Communist Gender Discourses"

Slavka Karakusheva, Sofia U St. Kliment Ohridski (Bulgaria)
"They've Learnt a lot from Us as We Had Brought Modernisation':
Gender, Ethnicity, and Modernist Discourses amongst the Turkish
Women Migrants from Bulgaria to Turkey"

Disc.: Leyla Amzi-Erdogdular, Rutgers, The State U of New Jersey

Mgr.: Dilafruz Nazarova, Rutgers, The State U of New Jersey

V9-07 Identity and Visibility of LGBTQ+ People in the post-Soviet (e-)World - VR 7

Chair: Andrea Peinhopf, University of York

Papers: Yana Kirey-Sitnikova, U of Gothenburg (Sweden)

"Activist Identities in the Russian Trans Movement"

Rasa Kamarauskaite, U College London (UK)

"Recognising a Safe LGBQ Space: A Case of Lithuania"

Jasmin Dall'Agnola, Oxford Brookes U (UK) / Eurasian, East and Central
European Studies Women Academics Forum (UK)

"Social Media and Queer Culture in Central Asia"

Disc.: Cai Wilkinson, Deakin U (Australia)

Mgr.: Alexandra Novitskaya, Stony Brook U

V9-08 Soviet Russian Women's Perspectives on Abortion and Childbirth - VR 8

Chair: Irina Mukhina, Assumption College

Papers: Svetlana Adonyeva, St Petersburg State U (Russia)

"Infant as Jousting-Field: The Mother's Family Clan by the Cradle"

Liubov Golubeva, The Propp Centre (Russia)

Sofya Kupriianova, The Propp Centre (Russia)

"Contraception, Abortion, and Out of Wedlock Children in the
Discourse of Women of the Soviet Village"

Laura Olson Osterman, U of Colorado at Boulder

"Spirituality and the Medical System in Contemporary Russian
Rural Women's Discourse About Childbirth and Abortions"

Disc.: Anna Temkina, European U at St Petersburg (Russia)

Mgr.: Anastasia Felcher, Blinken Open Society Archives (Hungary)

V9-09 Russia's Unlikely Alliances: Awkward Twists and Momentous Turns in Eurasia, 1800-to Present - (Roundtable) - VR 9

Chair: Lucien Frary, Rider U

Part.: Norihiro Naganawa, Hokkaido U (Japan)

David Hendrik Schimmelpenninck van der Oye, Independent Scholar

Julija Brsakoska Bazerkoska, Concordia U (Canada)

Mgr.: Denis V. Vovchenko, Northeastern State U
Mariya Melentyeva, Independent Scholar

V9-10 The Socialist Jet Age: Commercial Aviation, Technology, and Infrastructures of Travel in and beyond the East Bloc - (Roundtable) - VR 10

Chair: Alexander Vari, Marywood U

Part.: Steven E. Harris, U of Mary Washington

Elena Razlogova, Concordia U (Canada)

Adelina Oana Stefan, U of Luxembourg (Luxembourg)

Pavel Szobi, Charles U in Prague (Czech Republic)

Mgr.: Steven E. Harris, U of Mary Washington

V9-11 Narratives of Victimhood, Nostalgia, and Security at the Intersection of History, Memory, and Politics in East-Central Europe - VR 11

Chair: Nina Paulovicova, Athabasca U (Canada)

Papers: Nina Paulovicova, Athabasca U (Canada)

"Narratives of Victimhood, Nostalgia, and Security as a Common
Ground for Revisionist History and Far Right Politics in Slovakia"

Tomasz Stepienewski, John Paul II Catholic U (Poland) / Institute of
Central Europe (Poland)

"NATO Eastern Flank, the Russia-Ukraine War and Invisible
Victims (IDPs in Ukraine)"

Disc.: George Soroka, Harvard U

Mgr.: Zayra M Badillo Castro, SOAS U of London (UK)

V9-12 Small States in International Society: The Case of the Republic of North Macedonia - VR 12

Chair: Aleksandra Jordanoska, King's College London (UK)

Papers: Julija Brsakoska Bazerkoska, Ss.Cyril and Methodius U (Macedonia)

"Between the East and the West: Republic of North Macedonia in
the Foreign Policy Agendas of China and US"

Aleksandar Spasov, Ss.Cyril and Methodius U (Macedonia)

"North Macedonia's First Year in NATO: Lessons Learned"

Elena Mihajlova Stratilati, Ss.Cyril and Methodius U (Macedonia)

"Human Rights Monitoring Mechanisms of the Council of Europe:
The Role of ECRI in Combating Racism and Intolerance in North
Macedonia"

Aleksandra Jordanoska, King's College London (UK)

Aleksandar Marsavelski, U of Zagreb (Croatia)

"Regime Crime in Republic of North Macedonia"

Disc.: Ljupcho Stojkovski, Ss.Cyril and Methodius U (Macedonia)
Mgr.: Julija Brsakoska Bazerkoska, Ss.Cyril and Methodius U (Macedonia)

V9-13 Transcultural Encounters in Soviet Animation I: Disney, the Fleischer Brothers, and the UPA - VR 13

Chair: Valerie Pozner, National Center for Scientific Research (France)

Papers: Olga Blackledge, Bethany College

"Between Realism and Romanticism: Interpretations of Disney and the Fleischers in Soviet Animation of 1930-1940"

Richard Mark Robin, George Washington U

"Soviet Animation of the 1940s and 1950s: A Five-Fingered Salute to the Fleischer Brothers"

Eleanor Cowen, UNC at Greensboro

"Ivanov-Vano and the Soviet Influence on American Animation"

Sabina Amanbayeva, Oklahoma City U

"Fyodor Khitruk and the Departure from Disney"

Disc.: Valerie Pozner, National Center for Scientific Research (France)

Mgr.: Sabina Amanbayeva, Oklahoma City U

V9-14 The Case for Kees: van Schooneveld's Contributions to Slavic and General Linguistics on the Centenary of his Birth - VR 14

Chair: Joe Colleyshaw, Duke U

Papers: Vincent Wintermans, Leiden U (Netherlands)

"The van Schooneveld Archives at Leiden University"

Joe Colleyshaw, Duke U

"Contributions from Jakobsonian Linguistics: Van Schooneveld's Semantic Theory"

Ronald Feldstein, Indiana U

"Accentological Implications of Jakobson's Morphological Observations on Slavic Declension"

Rodney B Sangster, Independent Scholar

"Extending C. H. van Schooneveld's Legacy Beyond Linguistics"

Disc.: Bert Beynen, Temple U

Mgr.: Sibelan E. S. Forrester, Swarthmore College

V9-15 Visions of Yugoslavia: Perspectives on Post-Imperial State-Building - VR 15

Chair: John R. Lampe, U of Maryland, College Park

Papers: Cody James Inglis, Central European U (Austria)

"The Variations of Republican Political Thought in Postimperial Yugoslavia, 1918–1941"

Emma Anne Hatto, U of Southampton (UK)

"A Question of Autonomy: Dr Anton Korošec and the Slovene Opposition, 1924-25"

Dora Vrkic, U of Southampton (UK)

"In Pursuit of a Federation: The Foreign Office and the Constitutional Structure of Interwar Yugoslavia, 1918-1921"

Disc.: John R. Lampe, U of Maryland, College Park

Mgr.: Nana Gulic, U of Toronto (Canada)

V9-16 The Use of Russian Jewishness in American Writing - VR 16

Chair: Alex Moshkin, U of Toronto (Canada)

Papers: Gabriella Safran, Stanford U

"Russian Jewishness as a Source of Language Humor"

Anna Katsnelson, Columbia U

"Russian Jewishness, the Cold War Shift Right, and Its Aftermath"

Karolina Krasuska, U of Warsaw (Poland)

"Intimate Citizenship and Soviet Jewish Memory"

Disc.: Sasha Senderovich, U of Washington

Mgr.: Alex Moshkin, U of Toronto (Canada)

V9-17 History and Present of Non-mainstream Reading Practices in Russia - VR 17

Chair: Anna Nizhnik, Russian State U for the Humanities (Russia)

Papers: Anna Shvets, Moscow State U (Russia)

"The Founders of Modern Poetic Performance: Precursors to Participatory Readerly Response in Russian Poetry"

Evgeniya Vorobyeva, Russian State U for the Humanities (Russia)

"Poetry as a Culture of Poetic Performance: Receptive Aspect"

Anna Gerasimova, Independent Scholar

"Read-along: Did Bad Books Make Some Benefits?"

Anna Murashova, U of Tartu (Estonia)

"Reading Strategies at the Litnet.com"

Disc.: Kirill Zubkov, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)

Mgr.: Anna Nizhnik, Russian State U for the Humanities (Russia)

V9-18 Culture of Political Participation, Representation, and Implementation of Subsidiarity in East European States: Standards, Practices, Meaning - VR 18

Chair: Svetlana Vadimovna Koch, Odessa U (Ukraine)

Papers: Mykola Polovyi, Donetsk National U (Ukraine)

"Some Prospects of Demography Grounds for Subsidiarity"

Implementation in Russian Federation in the Third Decade of the 21-st Century"

Leno Pavlo, Uzhhorod National U (Ukraine)

"Hierarchy of Interethnic Relations in the Structure of Ethno-Mosaicism of Transcarpathia of the Interwar Period (an Oral-Historical Reflection of the Problem)"

Yullia Uzun, Odessa U (Ukraine)

"Practices of the State and Sub-National Policy of Ensuring Ethnopolitical Representation in the Countries of Eastern Europe in the Context of the Introduction of the Principle of Subsidiarity and Decentralization Reforms"

Disc.: Svetlana Vadimovna Koch, Odessa U (Ukraine)

Mgr.: Zmicer Herylovich, International Association for the Humanities (Lithuania)

V9-19 Smuggling in the East European Borderlands: Illicit People, Contraband Goods, and Shifting Frontiers before World War II - VR 19

Chair: David Petrucci, Dartmouth College

Papers: Jan Musekamp, U of Pittsburgh

"Smugglers, Insurgents, and Merchants: The Kuyavian Borderscape at Aleksandrów Railroad Station, 1850-1914"

Keely Stauter-Halsted, U of Illinois at Chicago

"Border-Making and the Construction of the Smuggler in the Polish Second Republic"

Allison Schmidt, U of Pennsylvania

"Passport Forgers and People Smugglers': Intermediaries of Interwar Transatlantic Migration"

Disc.: Andrew Thomas Demshuk, American U

Mgr.: Allison Schmidt, U of Pennsylvania

V9-20 Challenges of Food (In)Security in Russian and Soviet History - VR 20

Chair: Emily Rebecca Gioielli, Central European U (Austria)

Papers: Immo Rebitschek, U of Jena (Germany)

"Help at all Costs: Food Loans and the Politics of Relief in the Late Russian Empire"

Friedrich Asschenfeldt, Princeton U

"Russia's Agrarian Might and its Discontents"

Olga Belichenko, Ca' Foscari U of Venice (Italy)

"We're Not Herbivores': Attitudes towards Wild Food Plants Among Seto, Russians, and Non-local Residents of Pechorsky District in Pskov Oblast"

Disc.: Richard Gardner Robbins, U of New Mexico

Mgr.: Emily Rebecca Gioielli, Central European U (Austria)

V9-21 Making Russian Autocracy Work: Mechanisms of Political Control and Regime Stability - VR 21

Chair: Vladimir Gel'man, European U at St. Petersburg (Russia)

Papers: Vladimir Gel'man, European U at St. Petersburg (Russia)

"Fear and Loathing in Russia: Political Repressions as a Tool of the Regime's Domination"

Gulnaz Sharafutdinova, King's College London (UK)

"Digital Participatory Governance in Informational Autocracies: Evidence from Moscow Pothole Management"

Natalia Forrat, U of Michigan

"Clientelism or Solidarity?: The Social Basis of Political Machines in Russia"

Anton Shirikov, U of Wisconsin-Madison

"Regime Support and the Polarization of Beliefs in Russia"

Disc.: Bryn Rosenfeld, Cornell U

Mgr.: Aliide Naylor, Independent Scholar

V9-22 Media, Public Opinion, and Crisis Responses in Russia: Evidence from the COVID-19 Pandemic - VR 22

Chair: Koen Schoors, Ghent U (Belgium)

Papers: Quintin H. Beazer, Florida State U

"Authoritarian Control of Crisis Narratives in the Media: Learning from COVID-19 Coverage on Russian State-Owned TV"

Israel Marques, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)

Valeria Babayan, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)

Kirill Chmel, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)

Dina Rosenberg, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)

Aleksey Turobov, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)

"Privacy versus Security in Trying Times: Evidence from Russian Public Opinion"

Anton Kazun, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)

Anastasia Kazun, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)

"Framing Economic Outcomes of the Lockdown: A Survey Experiment from Russia"

Koen Schoors, Ghent U (Belgium)

Vladimir Zabolotskiy, U of Bologna (Italy)

"Trust in Authoritarian Government during Crisis: How Response to COVID-19 Pandemic and Media Shape Government Support in Russia"

Disc.: Alexei Zakharov, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
Mgr.: Israel Marques, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)

V9-23 Empire, Identity, and Borders - VR 23

Chair: Austin Thomas Jersild, Old Dominion U

Papers: Benjamin Musachio, Princeton U

"Narratives of Russian National Identity in the Interwar Period:
Riga's Moskovskii Forshtadt"

John Holian, Independent Scholar

"The First Soviet Occupation of Rural Eastern Galicia, 1939-1941"

Daria Dyakonova, International U in Geneva (Switzerland)

"Emancipating Women in Soviet Central Asia and Beyond:
International Communist Women's Movement's Work in Asia in
the Early 1920s"

Natalya Khokholova, Yeosu Technical Institute in Tashkent (Uzbekistan)

"Lost and Found Children in the Sub-Actic Wilderness"

Disc.: Andrey Shlyakhter, Woodrow Wilson Center, Kennan Institute

Mgr.: John C Stanko, Indiana U

V9-24 Soviet Socialism's Past and Futures - VR 24

Sponsored by: Soyuz-The Research Network for Post-Socialist Studies

Chair: Adam E Leeds, Columbia U

Papers: Vasilina Orlova, U of Texas at Austin

"Cheerful Nonchalance: Certainty in Uncertainty and the Stability
of Stuckness"

Maria Sidorkina, U of Texas at Austin

"The Right to Take Dictation: Building Social Modernity from
Below"

Xenia A. Cherkaev, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)

"Collectivism: The Popular Historiography of Soviet Times"

Jeremy Morris, Aarhus U (Denmark)

"Embodying Socialist Legacies?: Contiguous Everyday Practices
and Values of Autonomy and Reciprocity in Russia Today"

Disc.: Dace Dzenovska, U of Oxford (UK)

Mgr.: Aleksandra Shubina, Ohio State U

V9-25 Spaces of Dialogue and Forms of Cooperation: Prague and its Russian Emigration (1921-1938) - VR25

Chair: Patrick Flack, U of Fribourg (Switzerland)

Papers: Erik Martin, European U Viadrina (Germany)

"Autonomous Parts and Structural Wholes: The Aesthetics of

Structuralism/Formalism as an Ethical Paradigm"

Michał Mrugalski, U of Tübingen (Germany)

"Utopia and the Ethics of Intellectual History According to Sergei
Gessen"

Christian Zehnder, U of Fribourg (Switzerland)

"Masaryk, the Russian Emigration in Prague, and the Slavic
'Condemnation of Faust'"

Disc.: Marci Lynn Shore, Yale U

Natascha Drubek, Freie Universität Berlin

Mgr.: Patrick Flack, U of Fribourg (Switzerland)

V9-26 Russian Science Fiction and Cinema: The Limits of Diversity - VR26

Chair: Larissa Rudova, Pomona College

Papers: Tomi Haxhi, Columbia U

"After the Fall: Bio- and Human Diversity under Ecological
Collapse in Late Soviet SF Cinema"

Lyubov Bugaeva, St Petersburg State U (Russia)

"The Human and the Near-Human in Sergei Lukyanenko's
Worlds"

Åsne Øysteinsdotter Høgetveit, U of Tromsø (Norway)

"The Female Alien Mediating an Identity Crisis: Are We Going
Crazy? (S uma soiti! 1994)"

Valery Vyugin, Institute of Russian Literature (Pushkin House) RAS / St.
Petersburg State U (Russia)

"Interpresskon: 'Prize Science Fiction' and the Idea of Diversity in
Contemporary Russia"

Disc.: Yvonne Helen Howell, U of Richmond

Mgr.: Joshua Tapper, Stanford U

V9-27 Protests and Politics: Mobilizing against Authorities in Contemporary Eastern Europe - VR27

Chair: Emily S. Channell-Justice, Harvard U

Papers: Sven Milekic, National U of Ireland Maynooth (Ireland)

"A Protest, Coup d'état, or Internal Party Power Struggle: What
Motivated Croatian War Veterans to Hit the Streets?"

Olena Nikolayenko, Fordham U

"Nonviolent Resistance and Repression in Eastern Europe:
Women's Marches in Belarus"

Irina Gordeeva, Centre for Contemporary History (Germany)

"Yuri Kiselev as Transnational Activist: A Political Biography of the
Leader of Disabled People Movement in the USSR, 1978 -1989"

Disc.: Emily S. Channell-Justice, Harvard U
Mgr.: Trevor Erlacher, U of Pittsburgh

V9-28 Beyond Binarism: Southern Eurasia from the Cold War to the Post-Soviet Period - (Roundtable) - VR 28

Chair: Anton A Fedyashin, American U
Part.: Onur Isci, Bilkent U (Turkey)
Anatol Lieven, Georgetown U in Qatar (Qatar)
Pedram Partovi, American U
Ivan Safranchuk, Moscow State Institute of International Relations (Russia)
Mgr.: Anton A Fedyashin, American U

V9-29 Questions of Faith: Language, Narrative, and the Orthodox Church in Contemporary Georgia - VR29

Chair: Michael Long, Baylor U
Papers: Mary Evelynne Childs, U of Washington
"Of Priests and Prayer: Orthodox Clergy in Contemporary Georgian Literature"
Tinatin Bolkvadze, Tbilisi State U (Georgia)
"Challenges of Language Politics in Modern Georgia"
Michael Long, Baylor U
"Unfinished Business: Monument Restoration in Georgia and the Story of Ateni Sioni"
Paul Crego, Library of Congress
"The Hierarchy of the Orthodox Church in Georgia in a Time of Translation"
Disc.: Bela Tsipuria, Ilia State U (Georgia)
Mgr.: Liladhar R. Pendse, UC Berkeley

V9-30 National Tragedy in Personal Archives: Antonina Aksenova and Others - (Roundtable) - VR30

Chair: Raquel Ginnette Greene, Grinnell College
Part.: Kathryn Anne Duda, Mercyhurst U
Diane M. Nemecek Ignashev, Carleton College / Lomonosov Moscow State U (Russia)
Natasha Lyandres, U of Notre Dame
Rimma Volynska, York U (Canada)
Mgr.: Tetiana Shyshkina, Central European U (Hungary)

V9-31 Revolutionary Public Spaces - VR31
Chair: William G. Rosenberg, U of Michigan

Papers: Franziska Schedewie, U of Jena (Germany)
"Between the Past and an Open Future: The Press Reacts to the February Revolution"
Konstantin Tarasov, St. Petersburg Institute of History, RAS (Russia)
"Soldiers' Meetings in 1917: Representing Collective Interests"
Daniel T. Orlovsky, Southern Methodist U
"Finding New Public Space: The Provisional Government's State Committees"

Disc.: Dmitrii Igorevich Ivanov, European U at St. Petersburg (Russia)
Mgr.: Julia Secklehner, Masaryk U (Czech Republic)

V9-33 Decolonizing the Russian and Soviet Art History Survey - (Roundtable) - VR33

Chair: Yelena Kalinsky, Michigan State U / H-Net
Part.: Yelena Kalinsky, Michigan State U / H-Net
Maria Mileeva, U College London (UK)
Jane Ashton Sharp, Rutgers, The State U of New Jersey
Maria Taroutina, Yale-NUS College (Singapore)
Mgr.: Yelena Kalinsky, Michigan State U / H-Net

V9-34 Rivers as Contested Memoryscapes in Southeastern Europe - VR34

Chair: Constantin Iordachi, Central European U (Hungary)
Papers: Stefan Dorondel, Romanian Academy (Romania)
Alexandra Ion, Romanian Academy (Romania)
"The Death of an Island: Danube, Memory, and Materiality of Ada Kaleh"
Frederik Lange, U of Regensburg (Germany)
"Between Bridge and Border: The Drina River as a Disputed Memoryscape"
Robert Nemes, Colgate U
"Budapest's Forgotten Danube: Erasures and Memories of an Urban River"
Vjeran Ivan Pavlakovic, U of Rijeka (Croatia)
"Bridging the River of Memory: Rijeka's Post-1945 Monumental Heritage"
Disc.: Maureen Healy, Lewis & Clark College
Mgr.: Frederik Lange, U of Regensburg (Germany)

V9-35 Technology and the Gendered Body in Turn of the Century Russian Literature - VR35

Chair: Eleanor Soekorv, U of Pittsburgh

Wednesday, December 1 (CST)
Session V1 – 8:00 – 9:45 AM
Session V2 – 10:00 – 11:45 AM
Session V3 – 12:00 – 1:45 PM
Session V7 – 2:00 – 3:45 PM

Thursday, December 2 (CST)
Session V4 – 8:00 – 9:45 AM
Session V5 – 10:00 – 11:45 AM
Session V6 – 12:00 – 1:45 PM
Session V12 – 2:00 – 3:45 PM

Friday, December 3 (CST)
Session V9 – 8:00 – 9:45 AM
Session V10 – 10:00 – 11:45 AM
Session V11 – 12:00 – 1:45 PM

Papers: Felix Michael Helbing, U of Pittsburgh
"He Didn't Even Surrender, He Just Malfunctioned': The Burdens
of Male Embodiment in Aleksei Gastev's 'The Accursed Question'"
Reed Adam Johnson, Bowdoin College
"Embodying the Body Politic: Sigizmund Krzhizhanovsky's
Fictions of the Social(ist) Organism"
Emma Schwarz, U of Pittsburgh
"Spectral Systems of Sentiment and Embodiment in Nabokov's
'Mary'"
Disc.: Susanna Weygandt, Sewanee: The U of the South
Mgr.: Andrew Kapinos, U of Kansas

Virtual Session 10 – Friday – 10:00-11:45 am

Slavic, East European, and Eurasian Folklore Association - (Meeting) - VR 16

V10-01 Post-pandemic Societies: East European Perspectives - (Roundtable) - VR 1

Chair: Joanna Rydzewska, Swansea U (UK)
Part.: Taras Dobko, Ukrainian Catholic U (Ukraine)
Tatiana Shchytsova, European Humanities U (Lithuania)
Elena Trubina, Ural Federal U (Russia)
Mgr.: Zmicer Herylovich, International Association for the Humanities (Lithuania)

V10-02 The Body of Things: Gender, Design, and Material Culture in (Post)Soviet Russia - VR 2

Chair: Birgitte Beck Pristed, Aarhus U (Denmark)
Papers: Olga Gurova, Aalborg U (Denmark)
"Working on The Body of Things"
Ekaterina Kulinicheva, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"Dressing a Fizkul'turnitsa: Gender, Politics and Material Culture of Sports in the 1920s Soviet Russia"
Varvara Kobyshcha, U of Helsinki (Finland) / NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"Gender and Temporality of Russian 'Folk': Clay Toy Manufacturing"
Disc.: Anna Varfolomeeva, U of Helsinki (Finland)
Mgr.: Yulia Karpova, U of Copenhagen (Denmark)

V10-03 The Embodiment of Nation in Central Asia - VR 3

Chair: Moira O'Shea, U of Chicago
Papers: Ulan Bigozhin, Nazarbayev U (Kazakhstan)
"Horse and Flag as Embodiments of the Kazakh Nation"
Zukhra Kasimova, U of Illinois at Chicago
"An Idiosyncratic Soviet Museum: Ancient Khoesmanian, Karakalpak Applied, and Russian Avant-garde Art"
Moira O'Shea, U of Chicago
"Making the Material Nation: On the Contingent Processes of Creating National Objects in Bishkek"
Mariya Petrova, U of Leibniz IfL (Germany)
"Urban Materialities in Soviet Uzbekistan: Negotiating Modernity between State and Private Housing Construction"

Disc.: Claire Nadine Roosien, Providence College
Mgr.: Katherina Boicheva Kokinova, Bulgarian Academy of Sciences (Bulgaria)

V10-04 Transformational Practices in Ukrainian Art: From Soviet to Postcolonial - VR 4

Chair: Sandra Joy Russell, Hollins U
Papers: Nadiia Bernard-Kovalchuk, Sorbonne U (France)
"Application and Limits of Postcolonial Theory in Contemporary Ukrainian Art History: The Kharkiv School of Photography Case"
Oleksandra Osadcha, Museum of Kharkiv School of Photography (Ukraine)
"Representing Donbas in the Contemporary Ukrainian Art: Photographic Perspective"
Kateryna Iakovlenko, PinchukArtCentre (Ukraine) / Scientific Shevchenko Society
"Role of Women and Ukrainian Contemporary Art during the Political and Social Transformations of the 1980s-1990s"
Ewa Magdalena Sulek, Nicolaus Copernicus U (Poland)
"Space of Transformation: Four Models of Contemporary Art Centres in Kyiv"
Disc.: Sandra Joy Russell, Hollins U
Svitlana Biedarieva, Ibero-American U (Mexico)
Mgr.: Jelena Dureinovic, U of Vienna (Austria)

V10-05 Mediating the Memory of the Communist Past in Contemporary East Central European Cinemas: From Historical Specificity to Global Understanding - VR 5

Chair: Diana Popa, Tallinn U (Estonia)
Papers: Elzbieta Durys, U of Warsaw (Poland)
"Reclaiming Past' and 'Filling in the Blank Spots': Prevailing Elements in Contemporary Polish Historical Cinema"
Janka Dudková, Institute of Theatre and Film Research, CRA, SAS (Slovakia)
"From the Rhetorics of 'Glasnost' to Contemporary 'Anticommunism' in Slovak Film"
Andrea Virginás, Sapientia Hungarian U of Transylvania (Romania)
"21st Century Historical Films and Small National Collective Memory: Examples from Hungary and Romania"
Diana Popa, Tallinn U (Estonia)
"Memory and the Communist Past in Romanian Historical Films: From Revolutionary Uncertainty to Hopeless Didacticism"

Disc.: Katarína Misikova, Academy of Performing Arts in Bratislava (Slovakia)
Mgr.: Anastasia Felcher, Blinken Open Society Archives (Hungary)

V10-06 Gender and Sexuality in Polish/Polish American Studies: Where Are We and Where Are We Going? - (Roundtable) - VR 6

Chair: Marta Cieslak, U of Arkansas
Part.: Anna Cichopek-Gajraj, Arizona State U
Hubert Izienicki, Purdue U Northwest
Grazyna Kozaczka, Cazenovia College
Sylvia Kuzma-Markowska, U of Warsaw (Poland)
Karen M Majewski, Independent Scholar
Mgr.: Marta Cieslak, U of Arkansas

V10-07 Book Discussion: "Peripheries at the Centre: Borderland Schooling in Interwar Europe," by Machteld Venken - (Roundtable) - VR 7

Chair: Machteld Venken, U of Luxembourg (Luxembourg)
Part.: Tomasz Kamusella, U of St Andrews (UK)
Anna Novikov, U of Greifswald (Germany)
Machteld Venken, U of Luxembourg (Luxembourg)
Tara Zahra, U of Chicago
Mgr.: Johanna Jaschik, U of Luxembourg (Luxembourg)

V10-08 Microhistories of Yugoslav Socialism: Ethnicity, Class, and Gender in Croatia and Slovenia in the 1970s and 1980s - VR 8

Chair: Maša Kolanovic, U of Zagreb (Croatia)
Papers: Rory Archer, U of Graz (Austria)
Mladen Zobec, Centre for Southeast European Studies (Austria)
"Ice Cream Sellers and Security Dilemmas: Albanian Labour Migrants in Late-socialist Croatia and Slovenia"
Chiara Bonfiglioli, U College Cork (Ireland)
"Reading State Socialist Archives Intersectionally: Women's 'Double Militancy' in Varaždin"
Tina Filipovic, Juraj Dobrila U of Pula (Croatia)
"SUBNOR on the Last Line of Defense of the Brotherhood and Unity: Local Examples of Preservation and Promotion of Interethnic Relations"
Igor Duda, Juraj Dobrila U of Pula (Croatia)
"Comrades Despite Diversities: Cooperation among the Local Communities in Yugoslavia in the 1970s and 1980s"

Disc.: Brigitte Le Normand, Maastricht University
Mgr.: Tina Filipovic, Juraj Dobrila U of Pula (Croatia)

V10-09 Language Politics in Education in the Western Borderlands in Late Imperial Russia - VR 9

Chair: Christine Diane Worobec, Northern Illinois U
Papers: Aileen Friesen, U of Winnipeg (Canada)
"Integration or Emigration: Mennonites and the Politics of Educational Reform, 1870-1880"
Mariya Melentyeva, Independent Scholar
"The Russian Language in the Southwest Schools: Nurturing the Empire or Ukrainization?: Vladimir Naumenko's Teaching Philosophy, 1880s"
Vassili Schedrin, Queen's U (Canada)
"Why, When, and How Jewish History Became Russian?: The First Russian-language Jewish History Textbooks, 1880s-1890s"

Disc.: Darius Staliunas, Lithuanian Institute of History (Lithuania)
Mgr.: Julija Brsakoska Bazerkoska, Concordia U (Canada)

V10-10 Is Cultural History in Crisis? - (Roundtable) - VR 10

Chair: James Krapfl, McGill U (Canada)
Part.: Xenia A. Cherkaev, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
Eleonory Gilburd, U of Chicago
James Krapfl, McGill U (Canada)
Kyrill Kunakhovich, U of Virginia
Anne O'Donnell, New York U
Mgr.: John Meyers, LASA

V10-11 Russian/Soviet Immigrants across Interwar Europe: Mobility, Negotiation, Adaptation, and Identity - VR 11

Chair: Seth Bernstein, U of Florida
Papers: Hannah Connell, King's College London (UK)
"An Absolute Monarchy in Editing is Better than a Constitutional Democracy': Editing Sovremennye zapiski"
David Kaminsky, SUNY Binghamton
"The Refugee's Gift: The Role of Russian Refugees in Interwar Yugoslavia"
Zeynep Otluoğlu Dursun, Binghamton U
"Soviet Muslim Emigres: Nation Making in Pan-Eurasian Context"
Disc.: Vera Kaplan, Tel Aviv U (Israel)
Mgr.: Andrew Paul Janco, Haverford College

V10-12 Speaking an Autocratic Language: Understanding how Authoritarian Regimes Adapt and Entice - VR 12

Chair: Evgenii Andreevich Koloskov, St Petersburg State U (Russia)

Papers: Stephen Hall, U of Bath (UK)

"The End of Adaptive Authoritarianism in Belarus?"

Peter James Braga, U College London (UK)

"Omnibalancing and Autocratic Regimes: Explaining Alignment Decisions in Relation to Domestic Regime Survival and Elite Coalitions by Comparing Participation in China's Belt and Road Initiative"

Sandor Foldvari, U of Debrecen (Hungary)

"Putin's Allies in European and Post-Soviet Conditions: A Comparative Analysis of the Illiberal Regime of Viktor Orban and Alexander Lukashenka"

Katherine Schroeder, Independent Scholar

"Constitutional Backslide in Eastern and Central Europe: The Predictive Capacity of the Executive Branch"

Disc.: Matvey Lomonosov, U of Tyumen (Russia)

Mgr.: Katherine Schroeder, Independent Scholar

V10-13 The Image of the "Russian Bear" in Symbolic Politics and Public Opinion: Russian and US Contexts - VR 13

Chair: Marina Kulikova, St Petersburg State U (Russia)

Papers: Tatiana B. Riabova, Herzen State Pedagogical U (Russia)

"The 'Russian Bear' in Public Opinion of Russians: From the Party Symbol to the National One?"

Liudmila Leonidovna Kleshchenko, Herzen State Pedagogical U (Russia)

Yulia Frolova, Herzen State Pedagogical U (Russia)

"The Image of the 'Russian Bear' in the USA: Friend or Foe?"

Sergey Belov, Lomonosov Moscow State U (Russia)

"The 'Russian Bear' in Video Games"

Dmitry Smirnov, Ivanovo State U (Russia)

"The 'Russian Bear' in Semiotics of International Relations: Between 'Bearphobia' and 'Mishafilia'"

Disc.: Oleg V. Riabov, Herzen State Pedagogical U (Russia)

Mgr.: Yulia Frolova, Herzen State Pedagogical U (Russia)

V10-14 Croatian Modern and Post-Modern Literature: A Rich Field of Different Approaches - VR 14

Chair: Tomislav Galovic, U of Zagreb (Croatia)

Papers: Ivana Cagalj, Independent Scholar

"Diversity in the Croatian 'First Moderna' Literary Period: Literature of the Imotski-Herzegovina Border Area"

Tea-Tereza Vidovic Schreiber, U of Split (Croatia)

"Diversity of the Motifs and Styles in the Selected Works of the Contemporary Writers from the Vrgorac Region"

Ivana Odza, U of Split (Croatia)

"Diversity as the Evidence of Continuity: Christian Elements in the Croatian Children's War Narratives"

Disc.: John Peter Kraljic, Croatian Academy of America

Mgr.: Trevor Erlacher, U of Pittsburgh

V10-15 Karel Čapek's Vision and his Impact on the World: Interdisciplinary Approach - VR 15

Chair: Daniel Webster Pratt, McGill U (Canada)

Papers: Jan Čulík, U of Glasgow (UK)

"The Rationals Why Karel Čapek Still Matters"

Karen von Kunes, Yale U

"The Pandemic Prevails: Responsibility vs. Power in Karel Čapek's Play 'The White Disease'"

Michelle Woods, SUNY New Paltz

"Karel Čapek at the Borders of English: Ze života hmyzu"

Disc.: Ana Petrov, U of Toronto (Canada)

Mgr.: John C Stanko, Indiana U

V10-18 Varieties of Epic Form in Russian Literature - (Roundtable) - VR 18

Chair: Michael M. Kunichika, Amherst College

Part.: Katerina Clark, Yale U

Boris Maslov, U of Oslo (Norway)

Victoria Somoff, Dartmouth College

Mgr.: Michael M. Kunichika, Amherst College

V10-19 Socialism or Barbarism VII: How the East European Right Imagines the Left - VR 19

Chair: Nikolay Raykov Karkov, SUNY Cortland

Papers: David Ost, Hobart & William Smith Colleges

"Liberalism = Communism: The East European Right on the Left in Historical Perspective"

Saygun Gokariksel, Bogazici U (Turkey)

"Law, Conspiracy, and History Politics of Authoritarian Populism in Poland and Turkey"

Agnieszka Pasięka, U of Vienna (Austria)

"Left, Right, No Center: Radical Nationalist Imaginaries and the New Socio-political Order"

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Disc.: Martin Marinos, Columbia U

Mgr.: Nikolay Raykov Karkov, SUNY Cortland

V10-20 Questions of Religion: Texts, Traditions, Transformations - VR 20

Chair: Heather Leigh Bailey, U of Illinois at Springfield

Papers: Adriana Cupcea, Romanian Institute for Research on National Minorities (Romania)

"Revival of Tradition: Islamic Theology in Dobruja (Romania) in Post Communism"

Alanna Tierno, Shenandoah U

"Mainstream and Local Identities from a Chapel Book Cabinet: An Early Lutheran Music Collection from Eastern Slovakia"

Magdalena Joanna Nowak, U of Gdansk (Poland)

"Open for Diversity: Metropolitan Andrei Sheptyts'kyi and His Relations with Ukrainian Intelligentsia at the Turn of the 20th Century"

Disc.: Heather Leigh Bailey, U of Illinois at Springfield

Mgr.: Nathan Isaacson, Association for Slavic, East European, and Eurasian Studies

V10-21 Jewish Migrations from Poland in the 20th Century: The Question of Agency - VR 21

Chair: Katarzyna Person, Jewish Historical Institute (Poland)

Papers: Zofia Trebacz, Emanuel Ringelblum Jewish Historical Institute (Poland)

"Emigration Projects and Their Reception in the Jewish Community in Interwar Poland"

Michal Trebacz, Polin Museum of the History of Polish Jews / U of Lodz (Poland)

"The Loneliness of Jewish Emigrants during World War II"

Aleksandra Magdalena Sajdak, Polish Academy of Science (Poland)

"Postwar Fate of Documents and the Surviving Members of the Ringelblum Archive"

Disc.: Katarzyna Person, Jewish Historical Institute (Poland)

Mgr.: Ellen Bleier, U of Notre Dame

V10-22 Autonomy, Participation, and Conflict: Regional and Local Variations of/in the 1917 Revolution - VR 22

Chair: Michael C. Hickey, Bloomsburg U

Papers: Daniel Schrader, U of Regensburg (Germany)

"Duty, Deliberation, Contest, Battle: Visions of Electing and Being Elected in Russian Provincial Newspapers during the Spring and

Summer of 1917"

Dmitrii Igorevich Ivanov, European U at St. Petersburg (Russia)

"Visions of Autonomy: Cultural and Territorial Conflicts and Petrograd Province's Ingrian Finns, 1917-18"

Peter Fraunholtz, Northeastern U

"Participation and Hierarchy in the State Grain Monopoly: Layered Responses to the Poor 1917 Harvest, Penza"

Disc.: Sarah Badcock, U of Nottingham (UK)

Mgr.: Michael C. Hickey, Bloomsburg U

V10-23 Studying Eurasia through an Urban Lens III: Memory I - VR 23

Chair: Michael J. Ernst, Temple U

Papers: Ia Kupatadze, Ilia State U (Georgia)

"The Soviet City as an Ideological Space"

Magdalena Banaszekiewicz, Jagiellonian U (Poland)

"The Haunted Heritage of Pripjat: Memory Wars in the Chernobyl Exclusion Zone"

Michael J. Ernst, Temple U

"Underground Republic: Heterotopia and the Art & Music of the Baku Metro"

Disc.: Victoria Phillips, LSE (UK)

Mgr.: Victoria Phillips, LSE (UK)

V10-24 Ethnicized Constructs of Otherness: Villains, Demons, and Heresiarchs of Ukrainian Literature - VR 24

Chair: Oksana Lutsyshyna, U of Texas at Austin

Papers: Tamara Hundorova, National Academy of Sciences (Ukraine)

"Roma as the Matrix of the Other in Olha Kobylians'ka's Works: Gender and Race"

Maxim Tarnawsky, U of Toronto (Canada)

"Franko's Ethnic Villains"

Alex Averbuch, U of Toronto (Canada)

"Heresiarchs of Ukraine: The Ethnicized Sexuality and Gender of Tatars in Literature"

Disc.: Marko John Pavlyshyn, Monash U (Australia)

Mgr.: Daria Dyakonova, International U in Geneva (Switzerland)

V10-25 Border Crossing, Displaced Populations, and Contested Identities during the Great Patriotic War - VR25

Chair: Julie K. deGraffenried, Baylor U

Papers: Maris Rowe-McCulloch, U of Regina (Canada)

"Soviet POWs on 'Death Marches': German Retreat as a Moment of Particular Vulnerability for Soviet Prisoners of War during World War II"

Dmitry Halavach, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)

"Unsettling Borderlands: The Polish-Soviet Population Exchange between Repatriation and Ethnic Cleansing, 1944-47"

Natalie Belsky, U of Minnesota Duluth

"Planning for the Future: Baltic Evacuees on the Soviet Home Front"

Disc.: Lewis Henry Siegelbaum, Michigan State U

Mgr.: Natalie Belsky, U of Minnesota Duluth

V10-26 The End of the Age of the Nation-State?: Studying Polish History and Culture in the Transnational and the Global Era - (Roundtable) - VR26

Chair: Karin Friedrich, U of Aberdeen (UK)

Part.: Stanley Bill, U of Cambridge (UK)

Norman Davies, U of Oxford (UK)

Robert Ian Frost, U of Aberdeen (UK)

Aleksandra Hnatiuk, U of Warsaw (Poland)

Michael Tworek, Harvard U

Mgr.: Zayra M Badillo Castro, SOAS U of London (UK)

V10-27 Migration in the Caucasus - VR27

Chair: Hanna Matt, U of Manchester (UK)

Papers: Eileen Mary Kane, Connecticut College

"Immigration to Soviet Armenia from Arab Countries after World War II"

Vladimir Hamed-Troyansky, UC Santa Barbara

"Muslim Republic of Letters: Transnational Correspondence of North Caucasians between Russia and the Ottoman Empire, c. 1850-1914"

Krista Goff, U of Miami

"Deportation and Resettlements in the Caucasus during and after World War Two"

Disc.: Bruce Grant, New York U

Mgr.: Vladimir Hamed-Troyansky, UC Santa Barbara

V10-28 Europe's Last Peasant War?: Rethinking the "Age of Catastrophe" in East Central Europe - VR 28

Chair: Jakub Benes, U College London (UK)

Papers: Jakub Benes, U College London (UK)

"A Peasant Thirty Years' War: Continuities of Rural Rebellion in

East Central Europe, 1917-1945"

Gregor Antolicic, Milko Kos Historical Institute ZRC SAZU (Slovenia)

"Alfonz Šarh: A Man between Two Wars in the Slovenian Countryside"

Petra Svolsjak, Scientific Research Centre SAZU (Slovenia)

"The 'Green Cadres': A Historiographical Overview"

Tamás Révész, Hungarian Academy of Sciences (Hungary)

"National Revolution or Social Revolution? The Peasant Uprising in the Territory of the Collapsing Hungarian Kingdom in 1918"

Disc.: Klaus Richter, U of Birmingham (UK)

Mgr.: Jakub Benes, U College London (UK)

V10-29 Transgressions: Science, Nation, and Sexuality - VR29

Chair: Ariel Otruba, Moravian College

Papers: Katherine Maeve Davison, U of Melbourne (Australia)

"How Pavlovian Were the Pavlovians?: Eclecticism in the Psychiatric Treatment of Homosexuality in Czechoslovakia and beyond, 1950s-1970s"

Sofia Lopatina, Max Planck Institute for Social Anthropology (Germany)

Veronica Kostenko, European U at St. Petersburg (Russia)

Eduard Ponarin, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)

"Post-Soviet Sexuality and Nationalism: The Case of Armenia, Georgia, and Azerbaijan"

Ruxandra Iuliana Petrinca, McGill U (Canada)

"Supervision, Transgression, and Co-Habitation: The Secret Lives of Liminal Spaces"

Anna Toropova, U of Oxford (UK)

"'Technology of the Unconscious': The Battle Over Hypnosis in Early Soviet Russia"

Disc.: Ariel Otruba, Moravian College

Mgr.: Alexandra Novitskaya, Stony Brook U

V10-30 Andrey Bely in the 21st Century - (Roundtable) - VR30

Chair: Olga Muller Cooke, Texas A&M U

Part.: Thomas R. Beyer, Independent Scholar

Timothy Langen, U of Missouri

Olga Matich, UC Berkeley

Mikhail Odesskiy, Russian State U for the Humanities (Russia)

Monika Spivak, Gorky Institute of World Literature, RAS (Russia) /

Museum of Andrey Bely (Russia)

Mgr.: Liladhar R. Pendse, UC Berkeley

V10-31 How Strong is Civil Society in Russia and East Central Europe? - VR31

Chair: Lauren Alicia McCarthy, U of Massachusetts Amherst

Papers: Renata Mustafina, Sciences Po (France) / Yale U
"Fighting a Losing Battle?: Lay Defenders and Legal Professionals in Trials on Protest-Related Administrative Offences in Russia"
Aleksandra Galus, Adam Mickiewicz U (Poland)
"Media 'Powered By' Civil Society: Ideas, Tools, and Results of Polish and Ukrainian NGOs' Cross-border Cooperation Promoting Media Freedom"
Samuel Aaron Greene, King's College London (UK)
"The Greengrocers' Gazette: Autocracy, News, & Socialization in Russia and Belarus"
Emmanuel Bruno Dreyfus, IRSEM (France)
"Colored Revolutions' Seen from Russia: The Kremlin's Evolving Views and Strategies toward 'Regime Changes' in Former Soviet Eurasia"

Disc.: Lauren Alicia McCarthy, U of Massachusetts Amherst

Mgr.: Aliide Naylor, Independent Scholar

V10-32 New Perspectives on Imperial History I: Mass Politics in the Russian Imperial Situation - VR32

Chair: Jane Burbank, New York U

Papers: Marina B. Mogilner, U of Illinois at Chicago
"Jewish Medical Activism as a Form of Mass Anti-colonial Politics in the Late Imperial Period"
Alexander M. Semyonov, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"Citizenship-subjecthood in Electoral and Parliamentary Politics in the Late Imperial Period"
Stephen Badalyan Riegg, Texas A&M U
"Neotraditionalism Over Nationalism: Viceroy Vorontsov-Dashkov's Engagement with Armenian National Movements in the Late-Imperial Caucasus"

Disc.: Sergey Glebov, Smith College / Amherst College / Ab Imperio

Mgr.: Sergey Glebov, Smith College / Amherst College / Ab Imperio

V10-33 Culture at the Periphery - VR33

Chair: Lyudmila Parts, McGill U (Canada)

Papers: Jonas Alexander Loeffler, U of Cologne (Germany)
"Imperial Sounds: Folklore Music and Identity Formation in Tiflis/Tbilisi around 1900"

Ilaria Sicari, Ca' Foscari U of Venice (Italy)
"Publishing Tamizdat in Italy: The Case of Mondadori and Il Saggiatore, 1957-1980"

Disc.: Marysia Galbraith, U of Alabama

Mgr.: Tetiana Shyshkina, Central European U (Hungary)

V10-34 Socialism or Barbarism V: Was Socialism Good for Women? II: Socialism, Women, and Social Reproduction - VR34

Chair: Mara Marginean, Romanian Academy (Romania)

Papers: Olena Lyubchenko, York U (Canada)
"Collectivization as Primitive Accumulation?: The Making of the Soviet Family"
Alexandra Talaver, Central European U (Austria)
"The All-Union Central Council of Trade Unions (AUCCTU) and Soviet Women: 'Fictitious Marriage' or the Zhenotdel's Successor?"
Nada Bobicic, U of Belgrade (Serbia)
"Vida Tomšič for Women of Yugoslavia and Women of the World: On Reproductive Rights and Non-aligned Practices of Cooperation"

Disc.: Bartha Eszter Eszter, Eötvös Loránd U (Hungary)

Mgr.: Katja Praznik, U at Buffalo

V10-35 Gendering Social(ist) Spaces: Gender in Central European Spaces during the Communist Era - VR35

Chair: Hana Waisserova, U of Nebraska-Lincoln

Papers: Kateřina Svatonova, Charles U in Prague (Czech Republic)
Libuse Heczkova, Charles U in Prague (Czech Republic)
"Women in the Pub: Female Independent Czechoslovak Artists of the 1970s and 1980s in Triple Isolation"
Anna Dobrowolska, U of Oxford (UK)
"Female Bodies, Male Desires: Gender Order of the Polish Naturist Movement in Late State Socialism"
Michaela Appeltova, U of Chicago
"Sideways Spaces: Silvesterovská estráda and Gender in Czechoslovak Popular Culture"
Nicholas Hudac, Charles U in Prague / FAMU (Czech Republic)
"Mountain Men and Women of the Valley: Gendered Slovak Nationalism in Czechoslovak Visual Media"

Disc.: Joanna Derdowska, U of Silesia in Katowice (Poland)

Mgr.: Nana Gulic, U of Toronto (Canada)

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V10-36 Public-private Partnerships in Russian Internet Governance and AI Policy - VR36

Chair: Robert W. Orttung, Demokratizatsiya: The Journal of Post-Soviet Democratization

Papers: Julien Nocetti, Saint Cyr Military Academy
"United We Win?: Sberbank, the Russian Government, and Outsourced AI Policy"
Liudmila Sivete, U of Turku (Finland)
Mariëlle Wijermars, Maastricht U (Netherlands)
"Leveraging Public-Private Partnerships in Effectuating Online Media Control: The Case of Russian Netoscope"
Françoise Daucé, EHESS (France)
Benjamin Loveluck, Telecom Paris, IP Paris
"Codes of Conduct in the Russian Search Industry: The Yandex.News Controversy and its Aftermath"

Disc.: Robert W. Orttung, Demokratizatsiya: The Journal of Post-Soviet Democratization

Mgr.: Mykyta Tyshchenko, Ohio State U

V10-37 Gender, Sex, and Health in Tolstoy - VR37

Chair: Giulia Dossi, Harvard U

Papers: Ani Kokobobo, U of Kansas
"Tolstoy, Mourning, and Women"
David M.B.L. Herman, U of Virginia
"The Astonishing Adventures of Sex and Love in the Land of Tolstoy"
Melissa Lynn Miller, U of Notre Dame
"From the Battlefield to the Birthing Room: Health Crises in Tolstoy"

Disc.: Bella Grigoryan, U of Pittsburgh

Mgr.: Ani Kokobobo, U of Kansas

V10-38 Russian Formalism and the Tenets of Literary Theory - (Roundtable) - VR38

Chair: Andrei Ustinov, The Old School

Part.: Galina Babak, New Europe College Institute for Advanced Study (Romania)
Serguei Alex. Oushakine, Princeton U
Igor Pilshchikov, UCLA
Lidia Tripiccione, Princeton U

Mgr.: Oksana Pashko, National U of Kyiv-Mohyla Academy (Ukraine)

Virtual Session 11 – Friday – 12:00-1:45 pm

Committee on Environmental Sustainability - (Meeting) - VR29

Early Slavic Studies Association - (Meeting) - VR 1

SPECIAL EVENT - Visit to VDNKh in Moscow (in Russian) - VR40 - 1:00 – 2:00 PM CST

V11-02 Transnational Cinematic Collaborations: Konchalovsky, Mészáros, and Grlić - VR 2

Chair: Harlow Loomis Robinson, Northeastern U

Papers: Harlow Loomis Robinson, Northeastern U

"Andrei Konchalovsky in Hollywood: On Board Runaway Train"

Catherine E. Portuges, U of Massachusetts Amherst

"Márta Mészáros: Hungarian Director, International Films"

Aida Vidan, Harvard U

"Rajko Grlić: Cadences of Reality"

Disc.: Joshua Malitsky, Indiana U Bloomington

Mgr.: John Meyers, LASA

V11-03 Soviet Encounters with Capitalism - (Roundtable) - VR 3

Chair: Alessandro Iandolo, Harvard U

Part.: Giovanni Cadioli, Portal on Central Eastern and Balkan Europe PECOB (Italy)

Juliette Cadiot, EHESS (France)

Kristy Ironside, McGill U (Canada)

Anna Krylova, Duke U

Elena A. Osokina, U of South Carolina

Mgr.: Zayra M Badillo Castro, SOAS U of London (UK)

V11-04 The Evolution and Diversity of Russian Online Trolling: Interdisciplinary Perspectives on the Internet as Battlefield - VR 4

Chair: Yevgeniy Golovchenko, U of Copenhagen (Denmark)

Papers: Johanne Kalsaas, U of Bergen (Norway)

"Once Upon a Comment Section: Digital Storytelling as a Trolling Technique on the Russian-Language Internet"

Aleksandra Urman, U of Zurich / U of Bern (Switzerland)

Mykola Makhortykh, U of Bern (Switzerland)

"New Platforms, Old Trolls: How Political Trolling in Russia Adapts to New Platform Affordances"

Dinara Yangeldina, U of Bergen (Norway)

"#Russianrapisracist vs #RussianNaziPurgeParty: On Geopolitics, Trolling, and the Mistranslation of Race in a Twitter Controversy"

Disc.: Yevgeniy Golovchenko, U of Copenhagen (Denmark)

Michael S. Gorham, U of Florida

Mgr.: Andrew Paul Janco, Haverford College

V11-05 Cohen-Tucker Fellows Past and Present: Papers in Honor of Stephen F. Cohen (1938-2020) - VR 5

Chair: Nicholas Bujalski, Oberlin College

Papers: Ismael Biyashev, U of Illinois at Chicago

"Tombs, Mummies, and Bones Lie Silent...': The Paradox of 'Dead Cities' as an Archaeological Problem in the Russian Empire, 1890s-1920s"

Michael James Coates, UC Berkeley

"The Classification of Knowledge in the Soviet Union: The Case of the Great Soviet Encyclopedia"

Matthew Klopfenstein, U of South Carolina

"New Rituals for New Times: The Death of Vera

Kommissarzhevskaja and the Emotional Public Sphere"

Samuel Finkelman, U of Pennsylvania

"In the Pipes of the Crematoria, the Jews United': Jewish Samizdat and Holocaust Memory"

Disc.: John Mulvey Romero, U of North Georgia

Virginia Carter Olmsted McGraw, Colby College

Mgr.: Nicholas Bujalski, Oberlin College

V11-06 Literature and Poetics in Eastern Europe and the Former USSR - VR 6

Chair: Anna Janicka, U of Bialystok (Poland)

Papers: Yuliya Minkova, Virginia Tech

"Margarita Hemlin's Novel Krainii and the Poetics of Solidarity"

Agnieszka Karolina Jezyk, U of Toronto (Canada)

"My Tiger is Within Me': Feline Becomings in the Works of Polish Futurism"

David Gomiero Molina, U of Chicago

"Ostap Bender and 'Malandragement': The View from Rio de Janeiro"

Disc.: Małgorzata Abassy, Jagiellonian U (Poland)

Mgr.: Nathan Isaacson, Association for Slavic, East European, and Eurasian Studies

V11-07 Continuities, Disruptions, and Realignments in Eastern Europe's Transnational Networks: 1890-1945 - VR 7

Chair: Catherine Gibson, U of Tartu (Estonia)

Papers: James Koranyi, U of Durham (UK)

"Travellers, Discoveries, and Ideologies: Carpathian Networks in the Early Twentieth Century"

Alexander Vari, Marywood U

"Simulacra, Exotic Shows, and Technological Gadgets: From the Shock of the New to the Mundane in Budapest's Entertainment Park Industry, 1896-c. 1930s"

Irina Gigova, College of Charleston

"Mapping Connections: Bulgarian Writers in European Cultural Networks from the 1920s to the 1940s"

Disc.: Irina Livezeanu, U of Pittsburgh

Mgr.: Catherine Gibson, U of Tartu (Estonia)

V11-08 Post-Habsburg Borderlands and their Institutions, 1918-1939 - VR 8

Chair: Rok Stergar, U of Ljubljana (Slovenia)

Papers: Kathryn E. Densford, Chaminade College Preparatory School

"Between Lower Austria and Moravia: The Diaspora of the Agriculture School in Feldsberg/Valtice, 1918-1938"

Jernej Kosi, U of Ljubljana (Slovenia)

"They Speak Worse Than the Common Folk': Local Teachers, State Schools, and Slovene Ethnolinguistic Nationalism in Post-imperial Prekmurje"

Christopher Wendt, European U Institute (Italy)

"As It Was in the Valleys of Tyrol Since Time Immemorial': Catholic Faith and Politics in Post-Imperial Austrian North Tyrol"

Ivan Jelicic, Institute of Political History (Hungary)

"It Would Be Dangerous to Remove That Flag From the Tower': Political, National, and Social Conflicts on the Municipal Flag in Post-Habsburg Hungarian Fiume"

Disc.: Dominique K Reill, U of Miami

Mgr.: Kathryn E. Densford, Chaminade College Preparatory School

V11-09 Education, Soviet Style: Children, Collectives, and the State - VR 9

Chair: Maria Galmarini-Kabala, College of William & Mary

Papers: Polina Popova, U of Illinois at Chicago

"I Recommend Burning the Book': The Curious Case of Vera Smirnova"

Christine Grant, Carnegie Mellon U

"Closer to Life: Innovation and Tradition in Makarenko's Theory and Practice"

Svetlana A Rasmussen, Academy of Our Lady of Guam

"Collective Ties: Poruka in the System of Obuchenie, Obrazovanie, and Vospitanie"

Disc.: Maria Galmarini-Kabala, College of William & Mary

Mgr.: Svetlana A Rasmussen, Academy of Our Lady of Guam

V11-10 Pouring Your Soul into It: Reconsidering the History of Soviet Labor through Emotions - VR 10

Chair: Anna Ivanova, Harvard U

Papers: Elizaveta Mankovskaya, Princeton U

"Constructive Feelings: Affect and Sensations in the Thaw Construction Novel"

Joy Neumeyer, European University Institute

"Millions of Roses and Broken Bones: Feeling Female Labor in Late Soviet Culture"

Alexandra Oberlaender, Max Planck Institute for Human Development (Germany)

"Pride and Productivity: How Being Productive Meant Feeling Soviet"

Disc.: Christine Elaine Evans, U of Wisconsin-Milwaukee

Mgr.: Mary Arnstein, Association for Slavic, East European, and Eurasian Studies

V11-11 Soviet Languages of Internationalism - VR 11

Chair: Karl D. Qualls, Dickinson College

Papers: Rachel Applebaum, Tufts U

"One Tongue, Two Worlds: Soviet Russian Language Courses for Westerners during the Late Cold War"

Elizabeth Banks, European U Institute (Italy)

"Russian Translation and Soviet International Exclusion at the UN"

Katherine Zubovich, SUNY Buffalo

"In Pursuit of a 'Picture Esperanto': Visual Statistics and Soviet Internationalism in the 1930s"

Disc.: Brigid O'Keeffe, Brooklyn College

Mgr.: Katherine Zubovich, SUNY Buffalo

V11-12 Book Discussion: "The Voices of Babyn Yar," by Marianna Kiyanovska - (Roundtable) - VR 12

Chair: Amelia Glaser, UC San Diego

- Part.:* Polina Barskova, Hampshire College
Amelia Glaser, UC San Diego
Marianna Kiyanovska, Independent Scholar
Max Rosochinsky, Central European U (Hungary)
- Mgr.:* Oleh Kotsyuba, Harvard U
- V11-13 Materiality, Memory, and History: Towards New Avenues of Inquiry in Holodomor Studies - VR 13**
- Chair:* Oksana Vynnyk, U of Alberta (Canada)
- Papers:* Artem Kharchenko, National Technical U of Ukraine "KPI" (Ukraine)
"The Orphanages in Soviet Ukraine during the Holodomor: Forcible Transfer of Children, 1928-1935"
Iryna Skubii, Queen's U (Canada)
"Material Culture and Environment: New Objects, Spaces, and Landscapes in the Holodomor Studies"
Elise Westin, U of Adelaide (Australia)
"Gendered Narratives of the Ukrainian Holodomor and Their Implications for Memory and Trauma"
Karolina Koziura, The New School
"Marking the Past in the Silenced Landscapes of Holodomor Memory"
- Disc.:* Olga Andriewsky, Trent U (Canada)
- Mgr.:* Karolina Koziura, The New School
- V11-14 Pavlo Tychyna's Collection Partiiia vede [The Party Leads] (1934): Between Poetry and Ideology - VR 14**
- Chair:* Matthew Pauly, Michigan State U
- Papers:* Olga Khometa, U of Toronto (Canada)
"Poetics of Ventriloquism in Pavlo Tychyna's Collection Party Leads [Partiiia vede] (1934)"
Ostap Kin, Rutgers, The State U of New Jersey
"Iurii Shevel'ov and His 1939 Dissertation on Pavlo Tychyna's Partiiia vede"
Olena Palko, U of London (UK)
"Tychyna's Partiiia Vede: Marking the End of Political Transition in Soviet Ukraine"
- Disc.:* Michael M. Naydan, Pennsylvania State U
- Mgr.:* Aliide Naylor, Independent Scholar
- V11-15 Literature, Memory, and the Newest History: The Case of Poland - VR 15**
- Chair:* Magdalena Baran-Szoltys, U of Vienna (Austria)
- Papers:* Aleksandra Konarzewska, U of Tübingen (Germany)
"The Distinction 'pany' – 'chamy' ('noblemen' - 'servants') in the

- Polish Gonzo Journalism"
Monika Glosowitz, U of Silesia (Poland)
"Affective Narratives in the Time of the Revolutions: The Case of Upper Silesia"
Andrzej Czyzewski, U of Lodz (Poland)
"Trauma of 1968: Constructing an Autobiographical Narrative"
- Disc.:* Magdalena Baran-Szoltys, U of Vienna (Austria)
- Mgr.:* Julia Furmanczyk, U of Tuebingen (Germany)
- V11-16 Translating Words, Translating Cultures - VR 16**
- Chair:* Stephen Michael Norris, Miami U of Ohio
- Papers:* Judith E. Kalb, U of South Carolina
"Translating Homer, Writing Russia"
Grigory Starikovskiy, Ramsey High School
"Translating Greco-Roman Poetry and Drama in Post-Soviet Russia"
Zara Martirosova Torlone, Miami U of Ohio
"Translating Boris Akunin's F.M."
Margarit Ordukhanyan, Hunter College
"Tsaved Tanem: Mediating Hyphenated Armenian-Russian Identity Through Translation"
- Disc.:* Zakhariy Ishov, Uppsala U (Sweden)
- Mgr.:* Ekaterina V. Klimentko, Institute of Philosophy and Sociology, PAS (Poland)
- V11-17 Constructing the Other In Russian Culture and Literature of the 1920s-30s - VR 17**
- Chair:* Carol R. Ueland, Drew U
- Papers:* Olga Simonova Partan, College of the Holy Cross
"Words Instead of Swords: The Poetic Legacy of the Knights Templar in Russian Culture"
Alexandra Smith, U of Edinburgh (UK)
"The Otherness of the Past in Tsvetaeva's and Nabokov's Autobiographical Stories of the 1930s"
Galina S. Rylkova, U of Florida
"The Other in Nabokov's Despair: Writers as Refugees and Prisoners of Their Time"
- Disc.:* Olga Peters Hasty, Princeton U
Olga Yuri Sobolev, LSE (UK) / U of London (UK)
- Mgr.:* Alexandra Smith, U of Edinburgh (UK)

V11-18 COVID-19 in East-Central Europe: Diverse Policy Responses to the Pandemic - VR 18

Chair: Daniel Chirot, U of Washington

Papers: Attila Antal, Eötvös Loránd U (Hungary)

"Emergency Power in Hungary and the COVID-19 Crisis"

Krzysztof Brzechczyn, Institute of National Remembrance (Poland)

"Between Safety and Freedom: The Dilemmas of Policy Responses to the COVID-19 Pandemic in Poland"

Vitezslav Sommer, Charles U in Prague (Czech Republic)

"State, Experts and Legacies of Long Transformation: COVID-19 Controversies in the Czech Republic"

Dragos Petrescu, U of Bucharest (Romania)

"Path Dependence, Legal (In)Security, Digital Solutions: Contradictory Responses to the COVID-19 Crisis in Romania"

Disc.: Daniel Chirot, U of Washington

Mgr.: Allison Schmidt, U of Pennsylvania

V11-19 Studying Belarus and Studies in Belarus - (Roundtable) - VR 19

Chair: David Kurkovskiy, UC Berkeley

Part.: Felix Ackermann, German Historical Institute (Poland)

Anna Engelking, Institute of Slavic Studies, PAS (Poland)

Clare Fester, Yiddishkayt

Karalina Matskevich, Francis Skaryna Belarusian Library and Museum

Olga Shparaga, European College of Liberal Arts in Belarus (Belarus)

Mgr.: Maureen Waters O'Neill, Laval U (Canada)

V11-20 The State of the Field: Reflections on Russian Children's Literature Research - (Roundtable) - VR 20

Sponsored by: Childhood in Eastern Europe and Russia (ChEEER)

Chair: Anastasia G Kostetskaya, U of Hawai'i at Manoa

Part.: Marina Balina, Illinois Wesleyan U

Anastasia G Kostetskaya, U of Hawai'i at Manoa

Kirill Maslinsky, NRU Higher School of Economics St. Petersburg (Russia)

Larissa Rudova, Pomona College

Sara Pankenier Weld, UC Santa Barbara

Mgr.: Nana Gulic, U of Toronto (Canada)

V11-21 Listeners to Western Broadcasts in the Baltic States, Poland, and Romania: Lessons from the Cold War - VR 21

Chair: Justyna Anna Beinek, U of Kansas

Papers: Inga Zaksauskiene, Vilnius U (Lithuania)

"Western Values for Captive Nations Penetrating the Iron Curtain: Reaction to Western Broadcasts in the Soviet Baltic States"

Luciana Radut-Gaghi, U in Cergy (France)

"The Blurred Personal Significance of the Broadcasting: A Phenomenological Analysis"

Anna A Mazurkiewicz, U of Gdańsk (Poland)

"Fostering Resilience to Disinformation: Legacy of Western Radio Broadcasts to Poland during the Cold War"

Disc.: Ioana Macrea-Toma, Open Society Archives (Hungary) / Central European U (Hungary)

Mgr.: Ellen Bleier, U of Notre Dame

V11-22 Late Soviet Prose in Central Asia - VR 22

Chair: Christopher James Fort, U of Michigan

Papers: Donohon Abdugafurova, Emory U

"Soviet Policies Written and Lived: 'So'qmoqlar' (Trails) by Saida Zunnunova"

Erin Hutchinson, U of Colorado at Boulder

"Chingiz Aitmatov between Kyrgyzstan and Moscow: The Cultural Politics of Nationality during the Thaw"

Claire Nadine Roosien, Providence College

"Between Nationalism and Internationalism: Pirimqul Qodirov's 'Starry Nights'"

Yoonmin Kim, Yale U

"Beyond the Borders of Languages: The Identity of the Displaced in Mikhail Pak's Angels' Dock"

Disc.: Masha Kirasirova, New York U Abu Dhabi (UAE)

Mgr.: Susan Zayer Rupp, Wake Forest U

V11-23 From Turban to Timberland: Continuity and Change in Donor Portraits in Eastern Orthodox Churches - (Roundtable) - VR 23

Chair: Nikolaos A. Chrissidis, Southern Connecticut State U

Part.: Nadieszda Kizenko, SUNY Albany

Wendy R. Salmond, Chapman U

Lukas Tsipstios, ENS (France)

Mgr.: Nikolaos A. Chrissidis, Southern Connecticut State U

V11-24 Building Community at Home and Abroad - VR 24

Chair: Kathleen Manukyan, U of Pittsburgh

Papers: Nikolina Zenovic, Indiana U

"Differing 'Mentalities' and Diasporic Erasures: Language Ideologies of Serbian Identities in Chicago"

Alena Aissing, UCLA

"Community Building with Slavic and East European Events at the University of California Library, Los Angeles"

Lea Astrid Moreau Shmatenko, U of Geneva (Switzerland)

"Examining the Relevance of the Diaspora-based Theoretical Framework When Studying Russian Speakers Abroad"

Disc.: Kathleen Manukyan, U of Pittsburgh

Mgr.: Alexandra Novitskaya, Stony Brook U

V11-25 Howard U Undergraduate Think Tank Student Presentations: Part I - VR25

Chair: Louis H. Porter, Texas State U

Papers: Lina Felix, Howard University

Stephen Paul Octable, Howard U

Belyn Emery Peters, California State U

Francia P, Howard U

"The Soviet Union's Role in Black Radicalism around the World"

Damian Seth Cabrera, U of Illinois at Chicago

Justin Mackie, U of Arizona

Isabella Mari Mason, Howard U

Linda Zhou, Stanford U

"Explosions: An Analytical Blast into Kazantsev's Tunguska Short Story"

Mario Sanchez Isabas, Washington & Jefferson College

"Historical Memory of Chernobyl"

Isabella Castaneda, U of Illinois at Chicago

Nickolas Khimerik, Brooklyn College

Shawn Tarver, U of Arizona

"Rock Around the Bloc: Underground Music in the Former USSR"

Mgr.: Louis H. Porter, Texas State U

V11-26 What's Left Behind: Aftermaths of Conflict and Tragedy in Central and Eastern Europe - VR26

Chair: Johnathon Vsetecka, Michigan State U

Papers: Mathias Fuelling, Temple U

"A Beautiful Day in May: Sudeten German May Day Activism in 1938 and the Rhetoric of Fascism and Socialism"

Johnathon Vsetecka, Michigan State U

"The World Responds: International and Cross-Border Aid and

Relief Efforts and the Fear of Future Famine in Soviet Ukraine"

Alexandra Birch, UC Santa Barbara

"Vsevolod Zaderatsky: Composing After Kolyma, a Gulag Survivor's Violin Concerto"

Isabelle DeSisto, Princeton U

"Healing the Nuclear Family: Explaining Variation in Foreign Aid for Chernobyl Victims"

Disc.: Harry Merritt, Amherst College

Mgr.: Anastasia Felcher, Blinken Open Society Archives (Hungary)

V11-27 Funding Opportunities for Graduate Student Internships - (Roundtable) - VR27

Chair: Trevor Erlacher, U of Pittsburgh

Part.: Melissa Katherine Bokovoy, U of New Mexico

Ian Kelly, Northwestern U

Nina Murray, Foreign Service (On Sabbatical)

Mgr.: Trevor Erlacher, U of Pittsburgh

V11-28 Translation as Intersection VIII: Translating beyond Translation - VR 28

Chair: Hannu Kemppanen, U of Eastern Finland (Finland)

Papers: Eugenia Kelbert, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia) / U of East Anglia (UK)

"Translingualism in Context: Theorizing Foreignness in Original Writing"

Julia Trubikhina, Hunter College

"Paratexts as a Form of Translation: Nabokov's Cover Art"

Dmitry Kharitonov, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)

"Translation as Identity Making: Hunter S. Thompson and Vladimir Nabokov as Role Models"

Anna Maslenova, U of Exeter (UK)

"Russian Philosophy in 20th-Century Britain: The Reception of Vladimir Solov'ev"

Disc.: Adrian J. Wanner, Pennsylvania State U

Mgr.: Susanna Witt, Stockholm U (Sweden)

V11-30 Peace, Trust, and the Discourse of Power in the Disintegrating Yugoslavia and its Aftermath - VR30

Chair: Susan Stout Baker, Independent Scholar

Papers: Zala Pavsic, Faculty of Media (Slovenia) / European U Institute (Italy)

"Gender in the Discourse of War: On Friendship in the Yugoslav Conflict"

Daniel Michael Rhea, Independent Scholar
"1991 Conflict in Croatia: Prelude to the Bosnia Partition Effort"

Paula M. Pickering, College of William & Mary
"What Does It Take?: Understanding Trust in Civil Society
Organizations in Bosnia-Herzegovina"

Disc.: Peter Q Wright, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
Mgr.: Zala Pavsic, Faculty of Media (Slovenia) / European U Institute (Italy)

V11-31 Making War, Unmaking Peace: Repercussions of the Ukraine Crisis on Popular Culture, Public Discourse, and Media - VR31

Chair: Oleksandr Chertenko, U of Giessen (Germany)
Papers: Roman Dubasevych, Greifswald U (Germany)
"Squeezing the Russian World Out of Oneself: The Paradoxes of Cultural Exorcism in Contemporary Ukraine"

Elena Hamidy, U of Giessen (Germany)
"So Let's Ban Languages Once They Disconnect?: On the Artificiality of Ukrainian Language in the Russian-Language Sector of YouTube"

Matthias Schwartz, Leibniz Center for Literary and Cultural Research (Germany)
"Servants and Enemies of the People: On Populist Rhetoric in the Russia-Ukraine Conflict"

Valeria Korablyova, Charles U in Prague (Czech Republic)
"A 'Dove of Peace?': The Populist Viscourse of Warfare and Reconciliation under Zelensky's Presidency"

Disc.: Nina Friess, Centre for East European and International Studies (Germany)

Mgr.: Tetiana Shyshkina, Central European U (Hungary)

V11-32 Sino-Russian Relations I: Energy Cooperation and its Regional and Global Implications - VR32

Chair: Gaye Christoffersen, Johns Hopkins U
Papers: Keun Wook Paik, Oxford Institute for Energy Studies (UK)
"Sino-Russian Gas Cooperation and Its Implications Towards Global LNG Supply"

Gaye Christoffersen, Johns Hopkins U
"Private Companies and Sub-National Relations in Sino-Russian Energy Relations"

Andrei Sergeevich Golobokov, U of British Columbia (Canada)
"Diverging Powers: China-Russia Energy Misalliance and the Accommodation Approach"

Elena Feditchkina Tracy, U of Illinois
"Sino-Russian Relations Over Energy and Environment: Between Alignment and Discord"

Disc.: Jiayi Zhou, Stockholm International Peace Research Institute (Sweden)
Li Guo, U of British Columbia (Canada)

Mgr.: Elena Feditchkina Tracy, U of Illinois

V11-33 Empire in the Highlands: Tsarist Russia and the Caucasus in the Long 19th Century - VR33

Chair: Stephen Badalyan Riegg, Texas A&M U
Papers: Lina Tsimova, École des hautes études en sciences sociales (France)
"Rites of Punishment: Staging a Trial of the Caucasus 'Predators' at the Turn of the 19th Century"

Oleksandr Polianichev, Södertörn U (Sweden)
"Russians into Highlanders: Settler Colonialism in the West Caucasus, 1861-1870"

Azat Bilalutdinov, Columbia U
"Making Sense of the Caucasus War: Between Ethnography and Military History, 1860-1917"

Disc.: Michael Khodarkovsky, Loyola U Chicago

Mgr.: John C Stanko, Indiana U

V11-34 Belarusian Protests and Digital Media - (Roundtable) - VR34

Chair: Aristide M LaVey, U of Rhode Island
Part.: Elena Gapova, Western Michigan U / European Humanities U (Lithuania)
Olga Kuchinskaya, U of Pittsburgh
Anna Rakityanskaya, Harvard U
Sasha Razor, UCLA

Mgr.: Aristide M LaVey, U of Rhode Island

V11-35 "Russophone Voices": Institutionalizing, Researching, and Teaching Russophone Literature - (Roundtable) - VR35

Chair: Naomi Caffee, Reed College
Part.: Alex Averbuch, U of Toronto (Canada)
Yelena Furman, UCLA
Hilah Kohen, U of Pennsylvania
Ilya Kukulkin, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
Marco Puleri, U of Bologna (Italy)

Mgr.: Sibelan E. S. Forrester, Swarthmore College

V11-36 Japanizing Eastern Europe: Alternative Modernizations of State Socialism - VR36

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Chair: Małgorzata Mazurek, Columbia U

Papers: Victor Petrov, U of Tennessee

"A Song for Fujitsu: Socialist Bulgaria and the Japanese Model in the Late Cold War"

Piotr Perkowski, U of Gdansk (Poland)

"Modernization through Japanization: How Capitalist Success Seduced Polish State Socialism"

Aleksandra Komornicka, U of Glasgow (UK)

"The Japanese Challenge and the Rise of East-West Trade in the 1970s"

Disc.: Małgorzata Mazurek, Columbia U

Mgr.: Liladhar R. Pendse, UC Berkeley

V11-37 Responses to Mobilization in Authoritarian and Hybrid Regimes - VR37

Chair: Katherine Geneya Crofts-Gibbons, King's College London (UK)

Papers: Margaret Hanson, Arizona State U

"A Nested Game: Law & Collective Action in Kazakhstan"

Katherine Geneya Crofts-Gibbons, King's College London (UK)

"Listening to the Streets?: The Response of the Uzbek Government to Gas Supply Protests"

Sasha de Vogel, New York U

"Quality, Quantity, & Credibility: Concessions & Demobilization in Moscow, Russia"

Disc.: Mark R. Beissinger, Princeton U

Graeme Robertson, UNC at Chapel Hill

Mgr.: Sasha de Vogel, New York U

V11-38 Studying Eurasia through an Urban Lens IV: Memory II - VR38

Chair: Michael J. Ernst, Temple U

Papers: Sabine Stach, U of Leibniz GWZO (Germany)

"Cold War Shelters in Prague: Some Considerations About the Epistemology of Bunkers"

Iulia Statica, University of Sheffield, UK

"Building Cities, Building Bodies: Mass Housing, Propaganda, and the Biopolitics of Gender in Communist Bucharest"

Victoria Phillips, LSE (UK)

"'Goodwill is a Weapon': Architectural Fronts and Nation Re/Building in Divided Cold War Berlin, 1952- 1957"

Disc.: Magdalena Banaszkiwicz, Jagiellonian U (Poland)

Marie-Alice L'Heureux, U of Kansas

Mgr.: Victoria Phillips, LSE (UK)

Virtual Session 12 – Friday – 2:00-3:45 pm

Little Star Rising - (Film) - VR 15

V12-01 Framing Russian Poetry - (Roundtable) - VR 1

Chair: Irina Reyfman, Columbia U

Part.: Catherine Ann Ciepiela, Amherst College

Luba Golburt, UC Berkeley

Andrew Kahn, U of Oxford (UK)

Stephanie Sandler, Harvard U

Mgr.: Stephanie Sandler, Harvard U

V12-02 Hen's Teeth, Horses Toes, and the Latent Possibilities of Marginalized Eastern European Art - VR 2

Chair: Maia Toteva, Texas Tech U

Papers: Maia Toteva, Texas Tech U

"Absent Signifieds and Marginal Subjects: The Simulacrum of Past Presence in Conceptual Archives"

Gediminas Gasparavicius, U of Akron

"Subjective Time and Non-Linear Histories: Discursive Temporality in Late Socialist Performance Art"

Frank V. Boyer, SUNY New Paltz

"Why No Fame for FAMA?"

Disc.: Conor McGrady, Burren College of Art

Mgr.: Alexandra Novitskaya, Stony Brook U

V12-03 Multidisciplinary Approaches to Russian Opera and Opera in Russia - VR 3

Chair: Karen Joan Evans-Romaine, U of Wisconsin-Madison

Papers: Lee Gurdial Kaur Singh, Kennan Institute, Woodrow Wilson Int'l Center for Scholars

"Injured Veterans, Minors, and Mothers: How Stagehands Shaped Opera Programming at the Bolshoi Theater (1944)"

Philip Ross Bullock, U of Oxford (UK)

"Dialogues with Pushkin and Tchaikovsky: Stravinsky's 'The Rake's Progress' as a Russian Opera"

John Martin Pendergast, U.S. Military Academy, West Point

"Fair is Foul and Foul is Fair: Lady Macbeth from Stage to Screen"

Disc.: Kevin Michael Bartig, Michigan State U

Mgr.: Kiril Tomoff, UC Riverside

V12-04 Engaging Audiences: Computation, Dynamic Visualization, and

Archives for Research and Teaching in Slavic Digital Humanities - (Roundtable) - VR 4

Chair: Svetlana A Rasmussen, Academy of Our Lady of Guam

Part.: Anna Ivanov, Harvard U

Georgii Korotkov, Independent Scholar

Svetlana A Rasmussen, Academy of Our Lady of Guam

Veronika Trotter, Indiana U

Mgr.: Svetlana A Rasmussen, Academy of Our Lady of Guam

V12-05 Great Collectors of Slavica and East Europeana at University Libraries in Canada, California, and the Midwest (USA) - (Roundtable) - VR 5

Chair: Jon C. Giullian, U of Kansas

Part.: Wookjin Cheun, Indiana U Bloomington

Ksenya I. Kiebuszinski, U of Toronto (Canada)

Laurence Hanson Miller, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

Liladhar R. Pendse, UC Berkeley

George Andrew Spencer, U of Wisconsin-Madison

Mgr.: Jon C. Giullian, U of Kansas

V12-06 Tsvetaeva's Craft - VR 6

Chair: Adam Fergus, U of Sheffield (UK)

Papers: Lev Nikulin, Princeton U

"The Soul Topography of Tsvetaeva's Long Poems"

Ksenia Radchenko, U of Southern California

"The Intolerable Cruelty of Grammatical Divides: Distributive Contacts in Marina Tsvetaeva's Poetry"

Disc.: Sibelan E. S. Forrester, Swarthmore College

Mgr.: Lev Nikulin, Princeton U

V12-07 The Transformation of Post-Soviet Russia in the Mirror of Asia: What a "Comparative Area Studies" Perspective Can Reveal - VR 7

Chair: Rudra Sil, U of Pennsylvania

Papers: Allison Denise Evans, U of Nevada, Reno

Ian M Hartshorn, U of Nevada

"Rentier, Resource Curse, or Post-Soviet Legacy?: Modes of Social Control in Russia and Central Asia in the Mirror of Middle Eastern Autocracies"

Mikhail A. Strokan, U of Pennsylvania

"The Evolution of Post-Soviet Russia's Energy Sector in the Mirror of Varying Eurasian Petrostates"

Cheng Chen, SUNY Albany

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"Discipline and Punish: Regime-Building and Corruption
Crackdowns in Russia in the Mirror of Anti-Corruption Campaigns
in China "

Michele E. Commercio, U of Vermont

"Polygyny in Eurasia in Comparative Perspective: Central Asia?
Yes -- Russia? Only Among Muslims"

Disc.: Rudra Sil, U of Pennsylvania

Mgr.: Rudra Sil, U of Pennsylvania

V12-08 Careers beyond Academia: III - (Roundtable) - VR 8

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Chair: Zachary Kelly, UC Berkeley

Part.: Emily Joan Elliott, East Lansing Info

Zachary Kelly, UC Berkeley

Nina Murray, Foreign Service (On Sabbatical)

Terrell Jermaine Starr, The Root

Mgr.: Nathan Isaacson, Association for Slavic, East European, and Eurasian
Studies

V12-09 Diverse Tellings, Intersecting Goals: Folklore in Literature - VR 9

Chair: Mariya Lesiv, Memorial U of Newfoundland (Canada)

Papers: Lauren Warner, Kingston U (UK)

"From 'Wooden Idols' Book: A Collaboration Between Russian
Creators of Sound Art and Visual Culture"

Sidney Dement, Binghamton U

"Memorates, Witches, and Truth Claims in Gogol's 'Vii'"

Jill Mackenzie Martiniuk, U of South Florida

"Russian Folklore as a Western Commodity"

Disc.: Natalie Kononenko, U of Alberta (Canada)

Mgr.: Nana Gulic, U of Toronto (Canada)

**V12-10 New Books on Gender and Sexuality in Russian Literature, Culture,
and History - (Roundtable) - VR 10**

Chair: Adrienne M. Harris, Baylor U

Part.: Siobhan Hearne, Durham U (UK)

Allison Leigh, U of Louisiana at Lafayette

Colleen Lucey, U of Arizona

Mgr.: Zayra M Badillo Castro, SOAS U of London (UK)

**V12-11 Soviet Cinematic Experimentations during the Long 1960s: Hybridity,
Sincerity, and Socialist Modernism - VR 11**

Sponsored by: Working Group on Cinema and Television

Chair: Vincent Morrison Bohlinger, Rhode Island College

Papers: Viktoria Paranyuk, Pace U

"Revolutionary Romanticism as an Expression of Sincerity?"

Raisa Sidenova, Newcastle U (UK)

"Hybrid Documentary on the Soviet Periphery"

Olga Kim, Williams College

"Cinema on the Edge: Iurii Illienko's 'A Well for the Thirsty' as a
Case of Socialist Modernism"

Disc.: Elizabeth A. Papazian, U of Maryland, College Park

Mgr.: Olga Kim, Williams College

**V12-12 Suspicions, Solidarities, Sensitivities: Novel Scenarios in Soviet-Era
Personal Files - VR 12**

Chair: Ania Nikulina, SUNY Binghamton

Papers: Ania Nikulina, SUNY Binghamton

"Soviet Personnel Files as Performances of Soviet State Power and
National Identity"

Nikos Papadatos, Independent Scholar

"Guilty By Suspicion: The 'Great Terror' and the Greek
Communists in the USSR"

Adrienn Kacsor, Northwestern U

"Comradely Referee System for Political Migrants: The Collective
Enterprise of Writing 'Ankety'"

Disc.: Zeynep Otluoğlu Dursun, Binghamton U

Mgr.: Trevor Erlacher, U of Pittsburgh

**V12-13 Transfers and Intermediaries Between East and West: Transnational
Agriculture, Trade, and Linguistics in the 20th Century - VR 13**

Chair: Alex Tipei, U of Montréal (Canada)

Papers: Maria Fedorova, Macalester College

"M.L. Wilson and Soviet Agricultural Visits to Montana in the
Early 1930s"

Szabolcs Laszlo, Indiana U Bloomington

"Transnational Genealogies: How Uralic and Altaic Studies
Traveled from Hungary to the U.S., 1950s-70s"

Samuel Fajerstein, Indiana U

"Transnational Artifacts and Agricultural Technologies:
Agricultural Transfer between the US and USSR, 1973-1980"

Leah Valtin-Erwin, Indiana U Bloomington

"Transnational Intermediaries and the Making of Poland's First
Supermarket After 1989"

Disc.: Kristy Ironside, McGill U (Canada)
Mgr.: Samuel Fajerstein, Indiana U

V12-14 East Central Europe in the Sixties: Intersections of Culture and Mentalities - VR 14

Chair: Padraic J. Kenney, Indiana U Bloomington
Papers: Malgorzata Fidelis, U of Illinois at Chicago
"Globalizing Socialism in Polish Public Culture in the Sixties"
Andrew Thomas Demshuk, American U
"The Other Lives of Stasi Spies: Decrypting Patriots, Heroes, and Traitors"
Sandor Horvath, Hungarian Academy of Sciences (Hungary)
"Children of Communism: Politicizing a Youth Revolt in 1960s Budapest"
James Krapfl, McGill U (Canada)
"Global Critiques of Systemic Violence and the Rise of Central European Solidarity in the Prague Spring Era"

Disc.: Madigan Fichter, Holy Family U
Mgr.: Joshua Tapper, Stanford U

V12-16 The Carpathian Travel Narrative - (Roundtable) - VR 16

Chair: Bogdan Horbal, New York Public Library
Part.: Patrice M. Dabrowski, Harvard U
Edward Kasinec, Columbia U / Hoover Institution
Patricia Ann Krafcik, Evergreen State College
Nicholas Kyle Kupensky, United States Air Force Academy
Hee-Gwone Yoo, New York Public Library
Mgr.: Nicholas Kyle Kupensky, United States Air Force Academy

V12-17 Evgeniia Tur and Others - VR 17

Chair: Margarita Vaysman, U of St Andrews (UK)
Papers: Anna A. Berman, Cambridge U (UK)
"Sisters in Love: Tur and Zhukova"
Katherine Bowers, U of British Columbia (Canada)
"Tur, Brontë, and the Creation of the Female Subject"
Svetlana Slavskaya Grenier, Georgetown U
"Evgeniia Tur and Tolstoy"
Marcus C. Levitt, U of Southern California
"Antonina as a 'Feminist' Pechorin"
Disc.: Hilde M. Hoogenboom, Arizona State U
Mgr.: Marcus C. Levitt, U of Southern California

V12-18 State, Science, and Disability: Towards a History of Disability in Russia and the Balkans in the Twentieth Century - VR 18

Chair: Robert Edward Niebuhr, Arizona State U
Papers: Maria Bucur, Indiana U Bloomington
"When the Invalids Came Home: Disability in Romania after World War I"
Maria Galmarini-Kabala, College of William & Mary
"Ambassadors of Social Progress or Obstacles to Integration?: The All-Russian Union of the Blind and its Global Engagements in the 1960s-1970s"
John Paul Newman, National U of Ireland Maynooth (Ireland)
"Manufacturing Disability in 20th Century Yugoslavia"
Evguenia N. Davidova, Portland State U
"Nursing Disabled Bodies in Bulgaria, 1900-1939"

Disc.: Frances Lee Bernstein, Drew U
Mgr.: Robert Edward Niebuhr, Arizona State U

V12-19 Political and Legal Questions in the Post-Soviet Space - VR 19

Chair: Oleg Manaev, U of Tennessee
Papers: Alesia Sedziaka, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
"Citizen Mobilization for Fair Elections in Belarus"
Natalja Czarniecki, U of Chicago
"Encoding Ambivalence: Legal Harmonization and Emergent Technoscientific Authorities at the Georgian National Food Agency"
Félix Krawatzek, Centre for East European and International Studies (Germany)
"The Young Leading the Old?: Intergenerational Differences and Political Views in Belarus"
Ararat Osipian, The New School
"Galvanizing Academia: Student Protests and Navalny's Anti-corruption Movement"

Disc.: Andrei Kazakevich, "Political Sphere" Institute of Political Studies (Belarus)
Aliaksei Lastouski, Polotsk State U (Belarus)
Mgr.: Allison Schmidt, U of Pennsylvania

V12-20 Reconsidering Dostoevsky and Ideology - VR 20

Sponsored by: North American Dostoevsky Society
Chair: Ilya Kliger, New York U
Papers: Helen R Stuhr-Rommereim, Swarthmore College

"'Before Us Unconsciously Lies Nature': Dostoevsky v. Nikolai Uspensky in the Wake of Emancipation"

Lindsay Marie Ceballos, Lafayette College

"Ivan Karamazov as Liberal Hero: Russian Idealist Thinkers and the Politics of Character Function"

Chloe Kitzinger, Rutgers, The State U of New Jersey

"Desires Called Utopia: Dostoevsky, Lukács, and Early Novel Theory"

Disc.: Kate Rowan Holland, U of Toronto (Canada)

Mgr.: Ilya Klinger, New York U

V12-21 Ethno-national Belonging as a Legal Category in the Habsburg Empire - VR 21

Chair: Orel Beilinson, Yale U

Papers: Tamara Scheer, Pontifical Institute Santa Maria dell' Anima (Italy)

"Bosnian, Ladin and Dalmatianian: The Usage of Legally Unrecognized Language Categories in the Habsburg Army, 1867-1914"

Wolfgang Thomas Goederle, U of Graz (Austria)

"Census, Language, and Ethnicity in Later Habsburg Central Europe: Nudging Citizens to Respond"

Börries Kuzmany, U of Vienna (Austria)

"No Choice but to Vote Nationally: The Introduction of National Registers in Provincial Elections"

Disc.: Jeremy R. King, Mt Holyoke College

Mgr.: Ellen Bleier, U of Notre Dame

V12-22 Howard U Undergraduate Think Tank Student Presentations: Part II - VR 22

Chair: Elizabeth J King, U of Michigan

Papers: Sonya Gupta, U of Illinois at Chicago

Danielle Massey, Lawrence U

Zakkaria Renaye Reaves, Howard U

"Dissatisfaction with the People's Medicine: The Effects of Politicized State Medicine from the Soviet Era to the Present"

Beatrice Mary Lark Washburn, U of Arizona

"Homosexuality in the 'Bulwarks of Christendom': LGBT Rights and European Identities in Post-Socialist Poland and Croatia"

Dana Brouillard, U of Arizona

Juliette Oliver, UCLA

"Legislating Language: Public Participation and Social Media in

the Sakha Republic and the Republic of Buryatia, 2018-2021"

Amman Hussain, Macalester College

"Consequences of Drug Trafficking Networks in Post-Soviet Spaces: From Tajikistan to Latvia"

Mgr.: Elizabeth J King, U of Michigan

V12-23 Book(s) Discussion: Interdisciplinary Approaches to Anti-Jewish Violence - (Roundtable) - VR 23

Chair: Eugene Michael Avrutin, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

Part.: Elissa Bemporad, CUNY Queens College / CUNY Graduate Center
William Hagen, UC Davis

Harriet Lisa Murav, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

Jeffrey Veidlinger, U of Michigan

Polly Zavadivker, U of Delaware

Mgr.: Anastasia Felcher, Blinken Open Society Archives (Hungary)

V12-24 "The Power of the Powerless": Gendered Civil Society in Central and Eastern Europe: The Solution? - (Roundtable) - VR 24

Chair: Patrice Colleen McMahon, U of Nebraska-Lincoln

Part.: Vera Beloshitzkaya, Florida International U

Katalin Fabian, Lafayette College

Simona Fojtova, Transylvania U

Lukasz Walenty Niparko, U of Nebraska-Lincoln

Hana Waissierova, U of Nebraska-Lincoln

Mgr.: Katalin Fabian, Lafayette College

V12-25 The Humans of Soviet Humanism: Lichnost, Feeling, and Revolution III: What's Left of Revolutionary Feeling - VR25

Chair: Zachary Hicks, UC Berkeley

Papers: Jason Andrew Cieply, Hamilton College

"Skaz, Stiob, and the Afterlife of Revolutionary Affect"

Jonathan Flatley, Wayne State U

"Everybody Hates the Police"

Petre Petrov, U of Texas at Austin

"Individuality as Exemplarity (On Bolshevik and Post-Bolshevik Lichnost)"

Disc.: Marijeta Bozovic, Yale U

Mgr.: Susan Zayer Rupp, Wake Forest U

V12-26 Elemental Histories: Russian Cultural Conceptions of Soil - VR26

Chair: Donna Tussing Orwin, U of Toronto (Canada)

Papers: Elena Konstantinovna Murenina, East Carolina U

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"Chekhov's Drama as ECO-text: Environmental Readings"

Lily Scott, UC Berkeley / Central Washington U

"Soil Scientists of the Human Soul: The Problems and Promises of
Dirt in Socialist Realist Literature"

Jennifer Jean Flaherty, New York U

"Creating Images of the Land with Manure in Gleb Uspensky's
Sketches"

Disc.: John Randolph, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

Mgr.: Jennifer Jean Flaherty, New York U

**V12-27 Seeing the Unseen: Visual Narratives in Early Modern Muscovy and
Poland-Lithuania - VR27**

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Chair: Simon Franklin, U of Cambridge (UK)

Papers: Elena Boeck, DePaul U

"Confronting Troy in Sixteenth-century Muscovy: Tall Tales,
Edifying Models, and the Litsevoi Letopisnyi Svod"

Maria Ivanova, McGill U (Canada)

"Who Holds the Keys?: Early Modern Ruthenian Iconography of
Grammar"

Olenka Z. Pevny, University of Cambridge

"Visual Representations of the Earthly Head of the Orthodox
Church in the Polish-Lithuanian Commonwealth"

Disc.: Michael S. Flier, Harvard U

Mgr.: Aliide Naylor, Independent Scholar

**V12-28 "Everything Connects with Everything": 20th-21st-century Polish
Society and Culture in Interdisciplinary and Gendered Perspective -
(Roundtable) - VR 28**

Chair: Monika Siebert, U of Richmond

Part.: Justyna Anna Beinek, U of Kansas

Marysia Galbraith, U of Alabama

Emily Schuckman Matthews, San Diego State U

Iwona Sadowska, Georgetown U

Mgr.: John C Stanko, Indiana U

V12-29 Soviet Spaces of Confinement - VR29

Chair: Deborah A. Kaple, Princeton U

Papers: Cynthia A. Ruder, U of Kentucky

"Cultural Products as Spaces of Confinement: Canvas and Text at
Dmitlag"

Steven A. Barnes, George Mason U

"Steppe as Confinement, Steppe as Freedom: Alzhir and the
Prisoner/Imprisoner/Nature Relationship"

Kathleen Elizabeth Smith, Georgetown U

"The Writers' Community at Peredelkino as a Site of Privilege and
Vulnerability"

Mgr.: Kathleen Elizabeth Smith, Georgetown U

V12-30 Public Opinion in Russia - VR30

Chair: Ora John Edward Reuter, U of Wisconsin-Milwaukee / NRU Higher
School of Economics (Russia)

Papers: Ora John Edward Reuter, U of Wisconsin-Milwaukee / NRU Higher
School of Economics (Russia)

"The Demand for Democracy: How Voters React to the
Cancellation of Local Elections in Russia"

Kyle L. Marquardt, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)

Katerina Ivanovna Tertychnaya, U College London (UK)

"Preference Falsification in Authoritarian Regimes: Evidence from
Russia"

Grigore Pop-Eleches, Princeton U

Bryn Rosenfeld, Cornell U

Graeme Robertson, UNC at Chapel Hill

"Covid, Anxiety, and Information Search"

Disc.: Henry E. Hale, George Washington U

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