8:00 – 11:40 am
East Coast Consortium of Slavic Library Collections - *(Meeting) - Foothill I, 2*
Midwest Slavic and Eurasian Library Consortium - *(Meeting) - Pacific G, 4*
Pacific Coast Slavic and East European Library Consortium - *(Meeting) - Foothill A, 2*

8:00am – 12:00 pm
ASEEES Board of Directors Meeting - *(Meeting) - Pacific I, 4*

8:30 – 11:40 am
ASEEES Slavic Digital Humanities - Preconference Workshop - *Foothill G1 & G2 (Breakout room), 2*

9:30 – 11:30 am
Central Asian, Russian and East European Writing Workshop - *Pacific C, 4*
Chair: Elizabeth Walker, Taylor & Francis
Part.: Luca Anceschi, U of Glasgow (UK)
Matthew Rendle, U of Exeter (UK)

Session 1 – Saturday – 12:00-1:45 pm

Association for Women in Slavic Studies - *(Meeting) - Sierra F, 5*

1-01 Authoritarian Politics in Russia: Regulation, Popular Approval, and Social Policy - *Foothill A, 2*
Chair: Margaret Hanson, Ohio State U
Papers: Dinissa Duvanova, Lehigh U
"Post-communist Regulatory State"
Noah Buckley, Columbia U / NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"Why So Insecure? Popular Approval of Authoritarian Government"
Amanda Leigh Zadorian, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"How 'Rentier' was Russian Social Policy During the Commodity Price Boom?"
Disc.: Margaret Hanson, Ohio State U

1-02 Collaboration and Tensions Across Opposite Systems of Belief. Communist Romania's Cultural Relations and Ideological Contention with the West - *Foothill B, 2*
Chair: Corina Dobos, U of Bucharest (Romania)
Papers: Irina Nastasa-Matei, U of Bucharest (Romania)
"Academic Exchange Across the Iron Curtain: the Humboldt Fellowships for Romanians"
Petre Georgian Matei, Elie Wiesel National Institute for Studying the Holocaust in Romania (Romania)
"Holocaust Memory's Instrumentalisation and Compensation Claims: Negotiation and Tensions between Communist Romania and West Germany during the Cold War"
Laura Demeter, U of Bucharest (Romania)
"UNESCO Agenda for Heritage Preservation between East and West"
Disc.: Caterina Preda, U of Bucharest (Romania)

1-03 Russian Children's Reading: Constructing Childhood and Identity - *Foothill C, 2*
Chair: Julie K. deGraffenried, Baylor U
Papers: Megan Swift, U of Victoria (Canada)
"The 'Living Link:' Wartime Children's Reading and the Creation of a Soviet Children's Canon"
Polina Popova, U of Illinois at Chicago
"Raising Children of the 'Genius Times:' the Soviet Biographies of Party Leaders and Famous Historical Figures"
Anastasia Rogova, U of British Columbia (Canada)
"Educating Children, Against All Odds: Pursuit of a Better Education among Russian-Speaking Immigrants in Canada "
Natalia Kolodina, Winston Churchill High School

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"The Reception of Russian Poetry by Russian-American Bilingual Children (7-15 years old)"
Disc.: Olga Bukhina, International Association for the Humanities (Ukraine)

1-04 **"Make Belief" in Russian Performance** - *(Roundtable)* - *Foothill E, 2*
Chair: Alisa Ballard Lin, Ohio State U
Part.: Julia Listengarten, U of Central Florida
Yana Meerzon, U of Ottawa (Canada)
Luke Parker, Colby College
Yuri Tsivian, U of Chicago
Boris Wolfson, Amherst College

1-05 **Digital Humanities Pedagogy: How to Incorporate DH Tools and Resources in the Classroom** - *(Roundtable)* - *Foothill F, 2*
Chair: Susan Grunewald, Carnegie Mellon U
Part.: Megan K. Duncan Smith, Harvard U
Zachary A. Hoffman, U of Virginia
Amy Nelson, Virginia Tech
Kirsten B. Painter, U of Washington
Vadim A. Staklo, George Mason U

1-06 **Humanization of Literature/Culture and Language Education** - *(Roundtable)* - *Foothill G1, 2*
Chair: Marina Rojavin, Bryn Mawr College
Part.: Anna A. Alsufieva, Portland State U
Evgeny Dengub, Smith College / U of Massachusetts Amherst
Olga Kovbasyuk, Immanuel Kant Baltic Federal U (Russia)
Margarita Dimitrova Marinova, Christopher Newport U

1-07 **Reading, Writing, and Teaching Russian Nature** - *(Roundtable)* - *Foothill G2, 2*
Chair: Holly E. Myers, Barnard College
Part.: Polina Barskova, Hampshire College
Alyssa Dinega Gillespie, Bowdoin College
Ian Micah Helfant, Colgate U
Holly E. Myers, Barnard College
Thomas Roberts, Smith College

1-08 **Political and Economic Transformations in Post-Communist Countries** - *Foothill H, 2*
Chair: Bryn Rosenfeld, U of Southern California
Papers: Kiran Rose Auerbach, U of Bergen (Norway)
Jennifer Kartner, Arizona State U
"Measuring State Capture in Post-Communist Democracies"
Conor O'Dwyer, U of Florida
Matthew Stenberg, U of California, Berkeley
"Local-Level Democratic Backsliding? Right-Wing Regime Consolidation in Hungary and Poland"
Delgerjargal Uvsh, U of Wisconsin-Madison
"Resource Revenue Shocks and Economic Development in Russian Regions"
Disc.: Arturas Rozenas, New York U

1-15 **Emergent Energies and their Intersection with State, Society and Culture in the Russian Arctic** - *Nob Hill A, LB2*
Chair: Dmitry Yagodin, University of Helsinki (Finland)
Papers: Stephanie Katherine Hitztaler, U of Helsinki (Finland)
"A Sustainable Yamal? A Critical Look at Corporate Social Responsibility and its Contribution to Short- and Long-Term Urban Vitality in Yamalo-Nenets Autonomous Okrug"
Sohvi Kangasluoma, U of Helsinki (Finland)
"Masculine Industry, Feminine Environment? A Gender-Based Look at Media Representations of Arctic Hydrocarbon Companies"

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Ekaterina Mikhailova, Lomonosov Moscow State U (Russia)
"Energy and Co-Governance in the Paatsjoki River Basin where Russia, Norway and Finland Meet"
Disc.: Pey-Yi Chu, Pomona College

1-16 **Saints and Sinners I: A Roundtable in Honor of Eve Levin** - *(Roundtable) - Nob Hill B, LB2*
Chair: Matthew P. Romaniello, Weber State U
Part.: Nikolaos A. Chrissidis, Southern Connecticut State U
Valerie Ann Kivelson, U of Michigan
Nancy S. Kollmann, Stanford U
Natalia Lvovna Pushkareva, Russian Academy of Sciences (Russia)
Jennifer B. Spock, Eastern Kentucky U

1-17 **Vulnerability and Care in Today´s Russia** - *Nob Hill C, LB2*
Chair: Cassandra Hartblay, U of Toronto Scarborough (Canada)
Papers: Meri Kulmala, U of Helsinki (Finland)
Zhanna Chernova, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"Subjective Wellbeing and Agency of Young Adults Leaving Care in the Russian North"
Anna Altukhova, European U at St. Petersburg (Russia)
"Life Trajectories of (De)institutionalized Youth with Borderline Intelligence or Development Delay in Rural Russia"
Anna Klepikova, European U at St. Petersburg (Russia)
"Children and Young People with Developmental Disabilities in Russia: Deinstitutionalization, Family Care and Projects of the Future"
Elena A. Bogdanova, Centre for Independent Social Research (Russia)
"Establishment of Long-Term Care System in Russia: Deinstitutionalization as Expected Result and Reason for the Reform"
Disc.: Michele Rivkin-Fish, UNC at Chapel Hill

1-18 **Global Imagination after Versailles: Alternative Histories of Social Science in Eastern Europe** - *(Roundtable) - Nob Hill D, LB2*
Chair: Maria N. Todorova, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
Part.: Michael David Kennedy, Brown U
Katherine Lebow, Oxford U (UK)
Małgorzata Mazurek, Columbia U
Mirjam Voerkelius, UC Berkeley
Joanna Wawrzyniak, U of Warsaw (Poland)

1-19 **Christian Brinton: Is Seeing Really Believing?** - *(Roundtable) - Pacific A, 4*
Chair: Kristen Regina, Philadelphia Museum of Art
Part.: Jared Ash, Metropolitan Museum of Art
Laura Camerlengo, Fine Arts Museums of San Francisco
Christina K Peter, Frick Art Reference Library
Margaret Samu, The New School
Mechella Yezernitskaya, Bryn Mawr College

1-20 **I Believe in Miracles: Excavating Cold War Sport** - *Pacific B, 4*
Chair: Johanna Mellis, Ursinus College
Papers: Steven Maddox, Canisius College
"Cold War Football at Home and Abroad"
Jenifer L. Parks, Rocky Mountain College
"Divided Solidarity: Navigating the First, Second, and Third Worlds in Sport"
Sylvain Dufraisse, U of Nantes (France)
"From Lobbying to Cooperation on Sports Policies: Discussions, Negotiations and Decisions in Meetings between Socialist Sports Administration Leaders in the 1970s and the 1980s."
Disc.: Robert S. Edelman, UC San Diego

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1-21 **Teaching Russian History and Politics in the Age of Putin... and Trump** - *(Roundtable)* - *Pacific C, 4*
Chair: Lynne A. Hartnett, Villanova U
Part.: Lynne A. Hartnett, Villanova U
Page Herrlinger, Bowdoin College
Alan Holiman, William Jewell College
Victoria M. Khiterer, Millersville U
Glennys J. Young, U of Washington

1-22 **Believing in Metaphors, Shaping our Worldviews** - *Pacific D, 4*
Chair: Kristina Pranjic, U of Ljubljana (Slovenia)
Papers: Elizaveta Shevchenko, Russian State U for the Humanities (Russia)
"Metaphor in Novel and Bakhtin's Polyphony"
Kristina Pranjic, Faculty of Media (Slovenia)
"Literal and Metaphorical Forces of a Balkan Man: Barbarogénie le Décivilisateur"
Zala Pavsic, Independent Scholar (Slovenia)
"Metaphors that Make us: a Few Examples from the Balkans"
Disc.: Natalija Majsova, U of Ljubljana (Slovenia)

1-23 **A Relationship under Stress: Franco-Russian Relations from the Great Reforms to the July Crisis** - *Pacific E, 4*
Chair: John Athanasios Mazis, Hamline U
Papers: Heather Leigh Bailey, U of Illinois at Springfield
"Guilty with Mitigating Circumstances: Russian Responses to the Anton Berezowski Trial"
Meredith Tuttle, Purdue U
"A Tragic Pantomime: The Coronation of Tsar Nicholas II and the Khodynka Tragedy in Russia and France"
Ronald P. Bobroff, Oglethorpe U
"Before the Union Sacrée: The Russian and French Press During the July Crisis, 1914"
Disc.: Jennifer Siegel, Ohio State U

1-24 **The Politics of the Cold War Archives: Of Flaws and Glitches** - *Pacific F, 4*
Chair: Alison Margaret Lewis, U of Melbourne (Australia)
Papers: Anca Maria Sincan, U College Cork (Ireland)
"'"If Sex Were a Factor… The Securitate Archives and Issues of Morality in Documents Related to Religious Life"'"
Camelia Craciun, U of Bucharest (Romania)
"Between Cultural Heritage and Performative Art: The Archives of the Yiddish Theatre in Romania"
Valentina Glajar, Texas State U
"'"Manipulative Forensic Translations in the Secret Police Files of Herta Müller and Richard Wagner"'"
Ioana Macrea-Toma, Open Society Archives / Central European U (Hungary)
"Second-Order Cybernetics and Cold War Archives in the Post-Truth Era"
Disc.: Corina Liliana Petrescu, U of Mississippi

1-25 **Writing Incarceration: Body and Identity in the Gulag and Beyond** - *Pacific G, 4*
Chair: Katya Elizabeth Hokanson, U of Oregon
Papers: Fabian Heffermehl, U of Oslo (Norway)
"Tactility and Memory in Shalamov"
Kirstin Maya Larson, U of Oregon
"Divining Aesop in Shalamov's 'Third Language'"
Josefina Lundblad-Janjic, UC Santa Cruz
"An Autobiography in Search of Self: Shalamov's Unfinished 'About Kolyma'"
Laura Kline, Wayne State U
"Identity in the Big House and the Little Zone: An Examination of Representations of Self in Prison Narratives"

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Disc.: Irina Sandomirskaja, Södertörn U (Sweden)

1-26 **Osip Mandelstam: Faith against Faith I: Buddhism, Neo-Kantianism, Judaism** - *Pacific H, 4*
Chair: Emily Wang, U of Notre Dame
Papers: Elizabeth Macheret, Independent Scholar
"Mandelstam and Buddhism"
Pavel Polian Nerler, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
Leonid Mikhailovich Vidgof, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"Osip Mandelstam's Judaism and Jewishness"
Anna Razumnaya, Independent Scholar
"Principles, as against a Creed: Mandelstam's Neo-Kantian Inheritance"
Disc.: Emily Wang, U of Notre Dame

1-28 **Interdisciplinarity and the Study of Gender in Central Eastern Europe and Eurasia** - *(Roundtable) - Pacific J, 4*
Chair: Mara Lazda, CUNY Bronx Community College
Part.: Alexia Bloch, U of British Columbia
Alexandra Martha Hrycak, Reed College
Jill Massino, UNC at Charlotte
Shana Penn, Jagiellonian U (Poland)
Lisa McIntosh Sundstrom, U of British Columbia (Canada)

1-29 **Consumption in Socialist Economics** - *Salon 1, LB2*
Chair: Rhiannon Dowling, Columbia U
Papers: Yakov Feygin, Berggruen Institute
"Khrushchev's Politics of Productivity: The Problem of Economic Rebalancing and the Birth of the Reformist Paradigm"
Nataliia Laas, Brandeis U
"Producing for a Rational Consumer: Soviet Economic Planning and 'Rational Consumption Norms'"
Gyorgy G. Peteri, Norwegian U of Science & Technology (Norway)
"The Consumer under State Socialism"
Disc.: Patrick H. Patterson, UC San Diego

1-30 **Slavery, Displacement, and Identity in the history of the Caucasus** - *Salon 2, LB2*
Chair: Eileen Mary Kane, Connecticut College
Papers: Sergey Saluschev, UC Santa Barbara
"Mapping the Slave Trade and Breaking Slaves' Silence in the Nineteenth Century Caucasus"
Benjamin Bamberger, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
"Climbing Stories and the Meaning of the Local: Georgian Alpinism in Svaneti and Khevi"
Gehad Abaza, UC Santa Barbara
"On Becoming Citizens of the 'Non-Existent': Syrian War-Time Migration in Abkhazia"
Disc.: Eileen Mary Kane, Connecticut College

1-31 **Memorialization, Historical Narratives, and Nation Building in Central and Eastern Europe** - *Salon 3, LB2*
Chair: David A. Messenger, U of South Alabama
Papers: Tiffany A. Wilson, U of Illinois at Chicago
"Harcerstwo Heros: Scouting and the Defense of Katowice, Poland in September 1939"
Hope M. Harrison, George Washington U
"German Memorialization and Memory Politics related to the Berlin Wall, 1989-2019"
Kiun Hwang, U of Pittsburgh
"(Un)making Monuments and Place of Memory"
Josef Djordjevski, UC San Diego
"Safeguarding the Past, Securing the Future: Tourism, National Identity, and the Protection of Historical Monuments on Yugoslavia's Adriatic Coast, 1950s-1991"
Disc.: Susan C. Pearce, East Carolina U

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1-32 **What We Believe vs. What is True: Re-thinking Dominant Narratives and Popular Beliefs about Contemporary Ukraine** - *Salon 4, LB2*

Chair: Viktoriya Sereda, Harvard U / Ukrainian Catholic U (Ukraine)

Papers: Emma Mateo, U of Oxford (UK)
"'Ukraine is Europe:' Protester Beliefs About Ukraine and Europe During the Euromaidan Revolution"

Austin Charron, U of Wisconsin-Madison
"'Crimea is Ukraine:' Strategies for Countering Russian Imperialist Narratives among Ukraine's Internally Displaced Crimeans"

Marnie Howlett, London School of Economics and Political Science (UK)
"Outside Looking In: Re-Thinking Ukrainian Nationalism from the Cartographic Peripheries"

Nathaniel Ray Pickett, U of Kansas
"Countering Beliefs and Clearing the Air: An Analysis of the Chernobyl Nuclear Disaster"

Disc.: Viktoriya Sereda, Harvard U / Ukrainian Catholic U (Ukraine)

1-33 **"From Monarchy to Consumerism: Transformation of Public Spaces in Yugoslav and Post-Yugoslav Framework"** - *Salon 5, LB2*

Chair: Marko Icev, UCLA

Papers: Tatjana Rosic Ilic, Singidunum U (Serbia)
"An Unfinished Yugoslav Project in Post-Yugoslav Times: Church of St. Anthony of Padua by Jože Plečnik"

Jelena Zugic, U Nova de Lisboa (Portugal)
"'Come Yesterday': A Building of an Abandoned Cinema in Belgrade and the Transformation of Yugoslav and Post-Yugoslav Cultural Spaces"

Ana Stojanovic, UCLA
"Performing Memory: Transformation of Sokol Public Spaces in Yugoslav and Post-Yugoslav Period"

Disc.: Aleksandar Boskovic, Columbia U

1-34 **Donbas in the Spotlight: Ukraine's East in Contemporary Film and Drama** - *Salon 6, LB2*

Chair: James M Steffen, Emory U

Papers: Yuliya V. Ladygina, Sewanee: The U of the South
"Re-constructing Donbass: Sergei Loznitsa's Cinematic Study of the War-Torn Region"

Oleksandra Wallo, U of Kansas
"War in Ukraine's East: New Drama Projects by Natalia Vorozhbyt"

Vitaly Chernetsky, U of Kansas
"Wartime Rethinking of Pre-War Identities: Yaroslav Lodygin's Cinematic Adaptation of Serhii Zhadan's Voroshilovgrad"

Disc.: Joshua J. First, U of Mississippi

1-35 **Religion in Post-Soviet Belarus: Official Mediations and Grassroots' Accounts** - *Salon 7, LB2*

Chair: Nikolay Zakharov, Södertörn U (Sweden)

Papers: Galina Miazhevich, Cardiff U (UK)
"Framing Religion in Belarusian Mediascape"

Aliaksei Lastouski, Polotsk State U (Belarus)
"Sacred Language in the Border Area: Discussions on the Language of Belarusian Catholicism"

Sergei Mudrov, Polotsk State University (Belarus)
"The Orthodox Church in the Context of Post-Soviet Nation-Building and Identity Politics in Belarus"

Disc.: Nikolay Zakharov, Södertörn U (Sweden)

1-36 **Book Discussion: "Faith and Science in Russian Religious Thought" (Teresa Obolevitch, 2019)** - *(Roundtable) - Salon 8, LB2*

Sponsored by: Working Group on Philosophy and Intellectual History

Chair: Daniela Steila, U of Turin (Italy)

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Alexandra Medzibrodszky, Central European U (Hungary)
Ana Siljak, Queen's U (Canada)
Daniela Steila, U of Turin (Italy)

1-37 **Russian and East-Central European Exile Filmmakers Negotiating Jewish Identity in WW II and Postwar Hollywood** - *Salon 10, LB2*
Chair: Harlow Loomis Robinson, Northeastern U
Papers: Harlow Loomis Robinson, Northeastern U
"Why Am I for Oppressed People?': Lewis Milestone and Jewish Identity"'
Kamil Moll, Humboldt U Berlin (Germany)
"Glubsk, New Jersey: Edgar G. Ulmer's Shtetl Film 'The Light Ahead'"
Catherine E. Portuges, U of Massachusetts Amherst
"The (Un)Kindness of Strangers: Salka Viertel and Paul Henreid, Activist Exiles"
Disc.: Jared McBride, UCLA

1-38 **Sovietness in Soviet and American Cinema from the late 1910s to the 1930s** - *Salon 11, LB2*
Chair: Vincent Morrison Bohlinger, Rhode Island College
Papers: Lauren Kaminsky, Harvard U
"Bolshevism Bared! Film, Fabulation, and the Nationalization of Women"
Booth Wilson, Chinese U of Hong Kong, Shenzhen (China)
"Abroad at Home: Yakov Protazanov's Soviet Films as Exilic Cinema"
Herbert J. Eagle, U of Michigan
"Soviet and American Film Genres: Appropriation and Innovation"
Vincent Morrison Bohlinger, Rhode Island College
"Soviet Films Censored and Acclaimed in the United States in the 1930s"
Disc.: Olga Mukhortova, U of Pittsburgh

1-39 **Dark Waters and Monstrous Illusions in Russian Literature and Culture** - *Salon 12, LB2*
Chair: Jenny Kaminer, UC Davis
Papers: Barbara Henry, U of Washington
"Go I Know Not Where, Bring Back I Know Not What: The Russian Folktale in Uncertain Waters"
Katherine Bowers, U of British Columbia (Canada)
"Watery Creatures: The Fantastic and the City in the Petersburg Text"
Alec Brookes, Memorial U of Newfoundland (Canada)
"Making Kin with Swamp Monsters: Zinovieva-Annibal's 'Chudovishche'"
Disc.: Brittany Rae Roberts, UC Riverside
Colleen McQuillen, U of Illinois at Chicago

1-40 **Cultural Worlds in the Caucasus between Tradition and Modernity** - *(Roundtable)* - *Salon 13, LB2*
Chair: Dana Sherry, Silk Road House
Part.: John Colarusso, McMaster U (Canada)
Ketevan Gurchiani, Ilia State U (Germany)
Carl M Linich, Bard College
Kevin Tuite, U of Montreal (Canada)

1-41 **Diffusion of Ideas: From American Missionary Impact on Albanian National Idea to the Representation of Albanian Studies in the 21st Century** - *Salon 14, LB2*
Chair: Jeta Rudi, California State Polytechnic U
Papers: Elton Skendaj, Manchester U
"Re-presenting 'Albanian studies' in the West: the Re-Construction and Representation of Identity-Based Studies from the Vantage Point of a Hybrid Citizen"
Nevila Pahumi, U of Michigan
"Constructing Difference: American Protestantism, Christian Workers, and Albanian-Greek Relations in Late Ottoman Europe"
Alexis Zoto, U of Southern California

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"Traditional Albania Diaspora (Qilim) Kilim Motifs and Narratives"
Disc.: Jeta Rudi, California State Polytechnic U

1-42 **"Slavic Folklore in the Modern World" in Honor of James Bailey** - *Salon 15, LB2*
Chair: Patricia Ann Krafcik, Evergreen State College
Papers: Ilana Batya Hamilton, Portland State U
"Maria Morevna: An Imperfect Feminist Heroine"
Jill Mackenzie Martiniuk, U of South Florida
"Vasilisa Visits America: Slavic Folklore for the non-Slavic Audience"
Anna Brzozowska-Krajka, Maria Curie-Skłodowska U (Poland)
"The System 'either…or' or 'both…and:' Religious spirituality v. Postmodern Spirituality from the Perspective of Polish Digital Folklore"
Viktoria Basham, Hampden-Sydney College
"'Reality' and 'Flesh and Blood': The Unbreakable Family Bonds in Krassi Zourkova's Wildalone, C.J. Cherryh's Rusalka, and the Legend of La Llorona"
Disc.: Margaret Hiebert Beissinger, Princeton U

1-43 **Visual Vocabularies of Early Modern Ruthenia** - *Sierra A, 5*
Chair: Julia Verkholantsev, U of Pennsylvania
Papers: Tomasz Grusiecki, Boise State U
"Maps: Seeing Ruthenia for the First Time"
Maria Ivanova, McGill U (Canada)
"Engravings. Cryptography in the Printed Editions of the Kyivan Lavra"
Michelle Ruth Viise, Harvard U
"Icons. Icons, Visions, and Voices: Miracle Reporting in Seventeenth-Century Ruthenia"
Disc.: Georg B. Michels, UC Riverside

1-44 **The Generation of 1919: The Contributions to Ukrainian Studies of Omeljan Pritsak, George Luckyj, and Ivan Lysiak Rudnytsky** - *Sierra B, 5*
Chair: Jars Balan, U of Alberta (Canada)
Papers: Frank Edward Sysyn, U of Alberta (Canada)
"Omeljan Pritsak and the "Harvard Miracle": His Concept and Establishment of Ukrainian Studies on the Charles."
Marko Robert Stech, Canadian Inst of Ukrainian Studies (Canada)
"The Imitation of Panteleimon Kulish: George Luckyj and the Creation of Ukrainian Literary Studies in Canada."
Yaroslav Hrytsak, Ukrainian Catholic U (Ukraine)
"Ivan Lysiak Rudnytsky: Historian, Public Figure, and Political Thinker"
Disc.: Zenon E. Kohut, U of Alberta (Canada)
Mark Von Hagen, Arizona State U

1-45 **Disease, Dying Bodies, and the Discourse of Civilization in Late Imperial Eurasia** - *Sierra C, 5*
Chair: Christopher Burton, U of Lethbridge (Canada)
Papers: Rustin Zarkar, New York U
"Traveling in the Time of Cholera: Quarantining Diseased Bodies at Caspian Sea Ports (1817-1896)"
Olivia Rebecca Humphrey, UC Irvine
"Fear and Looting in the Far East: Bandits, Military Death, and the Russo-Japanese War"
Matthew Klopfenstein, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
"'The Battle for Existence and the Battle with Disease': The Death of Vera Kommissarzhevskaia and the Limits of Russian Civilization"
Disc.: William Scott Nickell, U of Chicago

1-46 **Designing and Teaching Higher-Level Content Courses in Russian** - *(Roundtable)* - *Sierra D, 5*
Chair: Olga Ogurtsova, Beloit College
Part.: Anna Borovskaya-Ellis, U of Virginia
Natalia Chernysheva, UNC at Chapel Hill

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Olga Permitina, U of Wisconsin-Madison
Snezhana Zheltoukhova, Stetson U

1-47 **Bulgaria 30 Years After the System Change: Constitutionalism and Political Culture in Past and Present** - *Sierra E, 5*

Sponsored by: Bulgarian Studies Association
Chair: Cristofer Scarboro, King's College
Papers: Markus Wien, American U (Bulgaria)
"Constitution and Policy Making in Bulgaria 1879-1944"
Emilia Alexandrova Zankina, American U in Bulgaria (Bulgaria)
"Elites, Parties, Elections: 30 Years of Democratic Governance in Bulgaria"
Benedict Edward DeDominicis, Catholic U of Korea (South Korea)
"Bulgarian Media Representations of George Soros Amidst the Competing Demands of National Sovereignty, Global Interdependence and Sustainable Development"
Disc.: Cristofer Scarboro, King's College

1-49 **Book Discussion: Yuri Vynnychuk's "Tango of Death" and its Translation into English** - *(Roundtable) - Sierra G, 5*

Chair: Olha Tytarenko, U of Nebraska at Lincoln
Part.: Oksana Lutsyshyna, U of Texas
Michael M. Naydan, Pennsylvania State U
Alla Perminova, Taras Shevchenko Kyiv National U (Ukraine)
Maxim Tarnawsky, U of Toronto (Canada)
Ludmilla A. Trigos, Independent Scholar

1-50 **Copyright Law and Its Opponents: Clash of Belief Systems?** - *(Roundtable) - Sierra H, 5*

Chair: Liisi Esse, Stanford U
Part.: Ksenya I. Kiebuzinski, U of Toronto (Canada)
Barbara Brigida Krupa, Stanford U
Janice T. Pilch, Rutgers, The State U of New Jersey

1-51 **A Belief in Nation-States? The 1919 Peacemaking for East Central Europe at 100** - *(Roundtable) - Sierra I, 5*

Chair: Jana Osterkamp, Collegium Carolinum (Germany)
Part.: Jakub Benes, U of Birmingham (UK)
Peter Bugge, Aarhus U (Denmark)
Frank Hadler, Leibniz Inst for the History and Culture of Eastern Europe (Germany)
Paul Robert Magocsi, U of Toronto (Canada)

1-52 **When Extremes Met: Far-Right Russian Émigrés and Balkan Fascists (1920-1941)** - *Sierra J, 5*

Chair: Victor Taki, The King's U (Canada)
Papers: Ionut Florin Biliuta, "Gheorghe Sincai" Inst for Social Sciences & the Humanities (Romania)
"Fascist Religiosity in Interwar Romania: The Iron Guard's 'Orthodoxy' (1930-1941)"
Denis V. Vovchenko, Northeastern State U
"Making Sense of Fascism: Communist Reactions to the Far-Right in the Balkans (1920-1939)"
Martin Beisswenger, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"Eurasianism's Balkan Connection: The Russian Officer, Journalist and Bishop N.P. Rklitskii in Interwar Yugoslavia"
Disc.: Irina Livezeanu, U of Pittsburgh

1-53 **Imperial Challenges: One Century of Transformations in Russia and Japan** - *(Roundtable) - Sierra K, 5*

Chair: Norihiro Naganawa, Hokkaido U (Japan)
Part.: Yoko Aoshima, Kobe U (Japan)
Yaroslav Shulatov, Kobe U (Japan)
Peter Waldron, U of East Anglia (UK)

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Session 2 – Saturday – 2:00-3:45 pm

2-01 **Book Discussion "Amoral Communities: Collective Crimes in Time of War" Mila Dragojevic** - *(Roundtable) - Foothill A, 2*
Chair: Pellumb Kelmendi, Auburn U
Part.: Dominique Arel, U of Ottawa (Canada)
Mila Dragojevic, Sewanee: The U of the South
Chip Gagnon, Ithaca College
Vjeran Ivan Pavlakovic, U of Rijeka (Croatia)

2-02 **People and the State: Support and Resistance in Russian Authoritarianism** - *(Roundtable) - Foothill B, 2*
Chair: Pauline Jones Luong, U of Michigan
Part.: Natalia Forrat, U of Michigan
Ted Gerber, U of Wisconsin-Madison
Samuel Aaron Greene, King's College London (UK)

2-03 **Human, Non-human, and Beyond: Manipulation of Cultural Beliefs in Soviet and post-Soviet Literature for Children and Young Adults** - *Foothill C, 2*
Chair: Alejandra Isabel Otero Pires, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
Papers: Daria Semenova, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
"Human and Non-Human as Structural and Ideological Divides in Russian- and Ukrainian-Language Soviet Adventure Prose"
Mariia Semashyna, Central European U (Hungary)
"Verbal Machines and the Production of Ideology: Soviet Childhood as Non-Human Territory in the Poetics of Daniil Kharms"
Sergii Gurbych, HfJS, Heidelberg U (Germany)
"Game Concepts in the Peter Bormor's Fairy Tales as an Example of the Post-Modern Play with Beliefs in Contemporary Russian-Language Literature"
Disc.: Anastasia G Kostetskaya, U of Hawai'i at Manoa

2-04 **Boundary Breaking in Russian, Soviet, and Post-Soviet Theatre** - *Foothill E, 2*
Chair: Natalia Klimova, Princeton U
Papers: Alisa Ballard Lin, Ohio State U
"Seeing as Creating: Broken Boundaries in Evreinov's Theater"
Dassia N. Posner, Northwestern U
"From Blue Bird to Seagull: The Theatrical Truth of Alisa Koonen"
Jenny Kaminer, UC Davis
"The Teenager as False Messiah in Kirill Serebrennikov's (M)uchenik and Uchenik"
Disc.: Robert Franklin Crane, Carnegie Mellon U

2-05 **Digital Migrations: Diasporas, Transnational Circulations, and Border Crossings through the Lens of Digital Humanities** - *(Roundtable) - Foothill F, 2*
Chair: Philip Gleissner, Ohio State U
Part.: Quinn Dombrowski, Stanford U
Natalia Ermolaev, Princeton U
Philip Gleissner, Ohio State U
Yasha Klots, CUNY Hunter College
Jessie Labov, Central European U (Hungary)

2-06 **Maximizing Effectiveness, Appeal and Outreach for Teaching Smaller and Not So Small Slavic Languages: BCMS, Czech, Polish, Slovene and Ukrainian** - *(Roundtable) - Foothill G1, 2*
Sponsored by: Society for Slovene Studies
Chair: Timothy Pogacar, Bowling Green State U
Part.: Ljiljana Duraskovic, U of Pittsburgh

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Svitlana Rogovyk, U of Michigan
Mojca Nidorfer Šiškovič, U of Ljubljana (Slovenia)
Izolda Wolski-Moskoff, Ohio State U
Luka Zibelnik, Cleveland State U

2-07 **Tradition and Innovation in the Soviet Literary Education: Who and How Taught Literature and Writing in the 1920s-1970s** - *Foothill G2, 2*
Chair: Dmitry Kozlov, Research and Information Centre "Memorial" (Russia)
Papers: Maria Trenikhina, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"People, Institutions and Ideology behind the School Literary Canon in the USSR in the 1920s"
Olga Nechaeva, U of Pennsylvania
"Creative Writing Programs in the Soviet Union in the 1920s-1930s: From Bryusov's Writers Institute to Gorky Literature Institute"
Maria Mayofis, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"New Approaches to Teaching Literature in Soviet Secondary Schools, 1956-1965"
Maya Kucherskaya, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"Professor Brodsky: Between Freedom and Didacticism"
Disc.: William Mills Todd III, Harvard U

2-08 **Russia Relations with China and Japan in a Changing World Order** - *Foothill H, 2*
Chair: Gaye Christoffersen, Johns Hopkins U
Papers: Tsuneo Akaha, Middlebury Institute of International Studies at Monterey
"The Vestige of History and 'Cold Peace' between Russia and Japan"
Tamara Troyakova, Far Eastern Federal U (Russia)
"Pacific Russian Identity: Beliefs and Intentions"
Gaye Christoffersen, Johns Hopkins U
"Sino-Russian Energy Relations in Northeast Asian Regional Energy Initiatives"
Ying Liu, China Foreign Affairs U (China)
"A Comparative Study on the Involvement of China and Russia in the Syrian War"
Disc.: Vitaly Kozyrev, Endicott College

2-15 **Lost in Transition: From Champion of Democratization to Model of Stagnation. Volgograd 1990-2019** - *(Roundtable)* - *Nob Hill A, LB2*
Chair: Harley D. Balzer, Georgetown U
Part.: Mikhail Anipkin, Independent Scholar (UK)
Pavel Kononenko, St Petersburg State U (Russia)
Ivan I. Kurilla, European U at St. Petersburg (Russia)

2-16 **Two Distinct Systems of Belief: Religious Expression in Soviet Music and Musicians' Belief in the Soviet System** - *Nob Hill B, LB2*
Chair: Levon Hakobian, State Institute for Art Studies (Russia)
Papers: Levon Hakobian, State Institute for Art Studies (Russia)
"The Religious Aspect in Late-Soviet Music"
Philip Ewell, Hunter College
"Belief, Spirituality, and Mysticism in the Music of Sofia Gubaidulina"
Ryan McCulloch, U of Michigan
"A Soviet Bach: The Production of Specialized Beliefs About J.S. Bach"
Thornton Miller, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
"Expectation for Recognition: Alan Bush and the Soviet Performance of His Operas"
Disc.: Pauline Fairclough, U of Bristol (UK)

2-17 **Ethnic Germans of Eastern Europe and Soviet Union: Methodological Challenges and Trends in Scholarship** - *(Roundtable)* - *Nob Hill C, LB2*
Chair: Jeffrey Pennington, UC Berkeley
Part.: Justyna Anna Beinek, U of Kansas
Irina Mukhina, Assumption College
Agnieszka Smelkowska, UC Berkeley

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Andrew Dale Straw, U of Texas at Austin
John C. Swanson, U of Tennessee at Chattanooga

2-18 **Documenting Lives of Carpatho-Rusyns and Their Neighbors in Subcarpathian Rus' and Beyond** - *Nob Hill D, LB2*

Chair: Maria Silvestri, John and Helen Timo Foundation

Papers: Kristina Marie Cantin, U of Tennessee
"Ethnographic Methodologies for Comparing Carpatho-Rusyn Beliefs and Practices Across Time and Space"
Richard D. Custer, Independent Scholar
"A Carpatho-Rusyn Village's American Conversion to Orthodoxy: Statistical Analysis Reveals Life Narratives"
Pavlo Khudish, Uzhhorod National U (Ukraine)
"The Issue of the Land: Relations between Jewish Farmers and Carpatho-Rusyn Peasants Right After the WWII in Transcarpathia"
Yuriy Slavik, Uzhhorod National U (Ukraine)
"Relations between Subcarpathian Jews and Rusyns at the Time of Anti-Jewish Legislation in the Hungarian State (1938-1944)"

Disc.: Alexandra Wiktorek Sarlo, U of Pennsylvania
Paul Robert Magocsi, U of Toronto (Canada)

2-19 **Three Ways of Looking at an Archive: Digitizing Vagrich Bakhchanyan's "Stalin Test"** - *Pacific A, 4*

Chair: Nadja Berkovich, U of Arkansas

Papers: Natasha Lyandres, U of Notre Dame
"Strategies and Challenges in Digitizing Vagrich Bakhchanyan's 'Stalin Test' Archive, 1979-2009"
Elena Kalimova, Repin Institute of Arts (Russia)
"Stalin Test: Myth, History and Memory"
Emily Wang, U of Notre Dame
"Teaching with the Stalin Test"

Disc.: Gabriella Aurora Ferrari, Princeton U

2-20 **Faith Unhinged, Bibles in Balloons, and the Politics of the Church: Religion as Cold War Propaganda and its Aftermath** - *Pacific B, 4*

Chair: Victoria Phillips, Columbia U

Papers: Victoria Phillips, Columbia U
"Faith Unhinged: The Politics of God and the U.S. Export of Christianity as a Cold War Weapon"
Sarah Roth, Columbia U
"Bibles and Balloons: The Historic Use of Airborne Propaganda Dissemination and its Current Role in the Soft Power of Faith"
Tinatin Japaridze, Columbia U
"Politics of the Church: The Georgian Orthodox Church and Its Impact on Georgia's Political Culture and the Path towards Democratization"

Disc.: Irina Gigova, College of Charleston

2-21 **The Legacy of Donald J Raleigh: Scholar, Colleague, Mentor** - *(Roundtable)* - *Pacific C, 4*

Chair: Sharon A. Kowalsky, Texas A&M U at Commerce

Part.: Diana V. Dumitru, Ion Creanga State U (Moldova)
Peter Isaac Holquist, U of Pennsylvania
Diane P. Koenker, U College London (UK)
Michael Vincent Paulauskas, Middle Tennessee State U
Christopher Read, U of Warwick (UK)

2-22 **Book discussion: "The Post-Chornobyl Library" by Tamara Hundorova (2019)** - *(Roundtable)* - *Pacific D, 4*

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Chair: George G. Grabowicz, Harvard U

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Part.: Vitaly Chernetsky, U of Kansas
Aleksandra Hnatiuk, Centre for East European Studies (Poland)
Tamara Hundorova, National Academy of Sciences (Ukraine)
Yuliya Ilchuk, Stanford U
Oleh Kotsyuba, Harvard U

2-23 Experiencing 1917: Anticipating, Conceptualizing and Judging the Russian Revolution - *Pacific E, 4*
Chair: Vera Kaplan, Tel Aviv U (Israel)
Papers: Matthew Rendle, U of Exeter (UK)
"Inventing the Russian Revolution: Conceptualizing Revolution in the Print Culture of 1917"
Dina Moyal, Tel Aviv U (Israel)
"Crime and Punishment under the Russian Revolutionary Regime: The Extraordinary Commission of Inquiry and former Tsarist Ministers"
Alice K. Pate, Kennesaw State U
"Workers Experience Revolution"
Sarah Elizabeth Slye, U of Cambridge (UK)
"Russia's Great Revolution in the Caucasus: Expectations and Outcomes"
Disc.: Pavel Vasilyev, Van Leer Jerusalem Institute (Israel)

2-24 Retrotopia in Central Europe - *Pacific F, 4*
Chair: Mark Keck-Szajbel, European U Viadrina (Germany)
Papers: Ondřej Klipa, Charles U Prague (Czech Republic)
"Polish Builders in Czechoslovakia: The Memory Gap in the Communist Past"
Thomas Kamil Sliwowski, UC Berkeley
"Socialist Realism and Nostalgic Technologies"
Pawel Koscielny, UC Berkeley
"A Crusade Against the Vanquished"
Disc.: Matěj Spurný, Charles U in Prague (Czech Republic)

2-25 The Politics of Censorship, Security, and Creativity in Soviet Culture - *Pacific G, 4*
Chair: Edythe C. Haber, U of Massachusetts Boston
Papers: Alessia Benedetti, U of Manchester (UK)
"Reading Dante in Stalin's Russia: An Analysis of References to the 'Divine Comedy' in Mikhail Bulgakov's Novel 'The Master and Margarita'"
Jesse O'Dell, UCLA
"Science Fiction in the Stalin Era: Mystery of the Two Oceans as Novel, Screenplay, and Film Adaptation"
Lee Gurdial Kaur Singh, UC Riverside
"Aleksei Ermolaev, the Creative Brigade, and the Ascription of Authorship for the Ballet 'The Red Poppy' (1949)"
Sarah Rosenthal, Georgetown U
"Expedient Bedfellows: Securitization Policy and Soviet Sexual Deviance"
Disc.: Anna Maslennikova, U of Rochester

2-26 Olga Sedakova I: Ethics of Contemplation - *Pacific H, 4*
Chair: Nataliya Karageorgos, CUNY Graduate Center
Papers: Martha M. F. Kelly, U of Missouri
"Olga Sedakova's Aristotelian Inclination"
Julia Trubikhina, Hunter College
"Olga Sedakova and Paradoxes of Freedom; The Ethical Dimension"
Josephine von Zitzewitz, U of Cambridge (UK)
"Olga Sedakova: Poetry as a Contemplative Discipline"
Disc.: Benjamin Paloff, U of Michigan

2-27 Nabokov Beyond Belief (1) - *Pacific I, 4*
Chair: Elizabeth Frances Geballe, Indiana U Bloomington

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Papers: Matthew Walker, Middlebury College
"Nabokov's Pharmacy"
Michal Oklot, Brown U
"Nabokov's Lolita: Impossibility of Pure Relationship"
Yulia Kim, Gorky Institute of World Literature (Russia)
"The University Chronotope in Nabokov's Literary Works: Pnin, Pale Fire, and The Original of Laura"
Sergey Karpukhin, U of Wisconsin-Madison
"Fate, Accidents, and Self-Referentiality in Nabokov's Fiction"
Disc.: David M. Bethea, U of Wisconsin-Madison
Andrew Reynolds, U of Wisconsin-Madison

2-28 **Gender, Womanhood, and Russian Identity Construction** - *Pacific J, 4*
Chair: Elena Rakhimova-Sommers, Rochester Institute of Technology
Papers: Emily Schuckman Matthews, San Diego State U
"Sex Worker as Role Model/Aspirational Figure"
Elena Rakhimova-Sommers, Rochester Institute of Technology
"'Chasing the Stork': Russian Social Awareness Advertising Incentivizing Motherhood"
Diana Dukhanova, College of the Holy Cross
Erin K Krafft, U of Massachusetts Dartmouth
"Commodifying Maternities: Capitalism, Nationalism, Orthodoxy and the Creation of Post-Soviet Family Values"
Natalia V Dame, U of Southern California
"A Trade Post for Brides or a Family Textbook? Constructing a Modern Russian Family in 'Davai Pozhenimsia' ('Let's Get Married')"
Disc.: Valerie Sperling, Clark U

2-29 **Inequality and Privilege under Late Socialism** - *(Roundtable) - Salon 1, LB2*
Chair: Guillaume Sauvé, U of Montréal (Canada)
Part.: Courtney Doucette, Franklin & Marshall College
Anna Ivanova, Harvard U
Iuliia Skubytska, U of Pennsylvania

2-30 **Islam in Central Asia: Beliefs, Believers, and Managers** - *Salon 2, LB2*
Chair: Thomas W. Simons, Harvard U
Papers: Martha Brill Olcott, Carnegie Endowment for Intl Peace
"Faith, Culture and Tradition and the Islamic Conquest of Central Asia"
Timur Kocaoglu, Michigan State U
"Islam as a Discourse in the Writings of the Jadids from the Tsarist Russia to the Early Soviet Period"
Nargis Kassenova, Harvard U
"Managing the Religious Sphere in Kazakhstan the 1980s and 1990s: Accommodating the Rights of Believers and the Interest of State"
Asel Dooletkeldieva, American U of Central Asia (Kyrgyzstan)
"Institutionalized Islamic Education in Kyrgyzstan"
Disc.: George Krol, US Naval War College
Ulugbek Khasanov, U of World Economics and Diplomacy (Uzebekistan)

2-31 **Continuities of Violence in Central & Eastern Europe, 1914-1945** - *(Roundtable) - Salon 3, LB2*
Chair: Leslie M Waters, Randolph-Macon College
Part.: Gábor Egry, Institute of Political History (Hungary)
Ota Konrad, Charles U in Prague (Czech Republic)
Jared McBride, UCLA
Andrea Peto, Central European U (Hungary)
Leslie M Waters, Randolph-Macon College

2-32 **The Dynamics of Interaction Between the State and Civil Society in Russia** - *Salon 4, LB2*

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Chair: Robert Thomas Argenbright, U of Utah
Papers: Allison Denise Evans, U of Nevada, Reno
"Protest and Elite Strategies in the Oil Capital of Russia: Adjusting to Transition in Surgut"
Alfred Burney Evans, California State U, Fresno
"Collective Identity and Anger in Protests Against Landfills in Russia: Insights from Social Psychology"
Elizabeth N Plantan, Harvard U
"State-Society Interaction in Putin's Russia"
Disc.: Alan Holiman, William Jewell College

2-33 Repackaging the City: Urban Design and Planning in post-Socialist Volgograd, Tallinn and Prague - *Salon 5, LB2*
Chair: Vladimir Kulic, Iowa State U
Papers: Matthew Cotton, McPherson College
"Reconstructing Stalingrad: The Struggle to Rebuild and Redefine the "Hero City" in the Aftermath of 1943"
Marie-Alice L'Heureux, U of Kansas
"Repackaging the City: Urban Design in Estonia under Socialism and Capitalism (1985-2000)"
Petr Roubal, Institute of Contemporary History CAS (Czech Republic)
"Self-Destruction of Urbanistic Expertise: Prague Urban Planning 1985-1995"
Disc.: Vladimir Kulic, Iowa State U

2-34 Locating Eastern European Experimental Cinema in the Socialist-Era Cultural Landscape - *Salon 6, LB2*
Chair: Ksenya Gurshtein, Wichita State U
Papers: Eliza Rose, Columbia U
"Field Work: Kinolaboratorium as Experiment in Living"
Sonja Simonyi, Independent Scholar
"Works and Words, 1979: Eastern European Film and/as Art"
Tomas Glanc, U of Zurich (Switzerland)
"Underground Film in Eastern Europe as a Cultural Practice during 1960s- 1980s"
Disc.: Ksenya Gurshtein, Wichita State U

2-35 Envisioning Change in the Religious Landscape in Ukraine after Autocephaly - *Salon 7, LB2*
Chair: Richard Alan Arnold, Muskingum U
Papers: Catherine Wanner, Pennsylvania State U
"Why We Need to Think Outside the Box when it Comes to Religion in Ukraine"
Kostyantyn Bondarenko, Harvard U
"MAPA: Digital Atlas of Ukraine"
Viktoriya Sereda, Harvard U / Ukrainian Catholic U (Ukraine)
"Shifting Landscapes of Belief: Religion in the post-Euromaidan Ukraine"
Oxana Shevel, Tufts U
"To Switch or to Stay with Moscow? Macro and Micro-Level Determinants of the Orthodox Churches (Re)Affiliation in Ukraine."
Disc.: Sarah Wilson Sokhey, U of Colorado at Boulder

2-36 Revolutions of 1989: What They Believed (Before and After) in Moscow, Berlin, Prague, and Budapest - *(Roundtable) - Salon 8, LB2*
Chair: Thomas Blanton, National Security Archive
Part.: Csaba Bekes, Hungarian Academy of Sciences (Hungary)
Hope M. Harrison, George Washington U
Svetlana Vitalievna Savranskaya, National Security Archive
Oldrich Tuma, Institute of Contemporary History CAS (Czech Republic)

2-37 Russian Nationalism in Russia and Europe - *Salon 10, LB2*
Papers: Natalia Yudina, SOVA Center for Information and Analysis (Russia)
"Russian Nationalists in the Diaspora"

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Alexander Verkhovskiy, SOVA Center for Information & Analysis (Russia)
"The Marginalization of Russian Nationalists in Russia"
Anton Shekhovtsov, U of Vienna (Austria)
"The Pro-Kremlin Far Right in the European Parliament"
Steven Lloyd Wilson, U of Nevada, Reno
Yoshiko M. Herrera, U of Wisconsin-Madison
"Xenophobia and Social Media in Russia"
Disc.: Andreas Umland, Institute for Euro-Atlantic Cooperation (Ukraine)

2-38 **Does Kremlin's Propaganda Work? State Media, Protest, and Government Support in Russia** - *Salon 11, LB2*
Chair: Hannah Chapman, Miami U of Ohio
Papers: Nikita Zakharov, Freiburg U (Germany)
"The Electoral Effect of Pro- vs Anti-Regime Propaganda in an Environment with Captured Media: Experimental Evidence from Russia's 2018 Presidential Election"
Georgiy Syunyaev, Columbia U
"Public Attribution of Responsibility in Autocracies: Evidence from Russia"
Anton Shirikov, U of Wisconsin-Madison
"Perceptions of State-Run Media in Autocracies: Evidence from Russia"
Disc.: Megan MacDuffee Metzger, Stanford U
Hannah Chapman, Miami U of Ohio

2-39 **Corruption, Crime and Eloquence in Nineteenth-Century Fiction and Discourse** - *Salon 12, LB2*
Chair: Olga Georgievna Voronina, U College London (UK)
Papers: Hilde M. Hoogenboom, Arizona State U
"Public Opinion and Corruption in Nineteenth-Century Russian Civil Society: Literary Exposés by Nadezhda Khvoshchinskaia and Mikhail Saltykov-Shchedrin"
Claire Whitehead, U of St Andrews (UK)
"Cultivating Belief and Believability in Nineteenth-Century Russian Crime Fiction: The Case of Aleksandra Sokolova"
Anna Schur, Keene State College
"Eloquence and Belief in Late 19th-Century Russian Fiction and Journalism"
Disc.: Harriet Lisa Murav, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

2-40 **The Immortal Regiment Movement at Home and Abroad** - *(Roundtable) - Salon 13, LB2*
Chair: Maria Sidorkina, Harvard U
Part.: Alexandra S. Arkhipova, Russian Presidential Acad of Nat'l Economy & Public Admin (Russia) (Russia)
Olga Davydova-Minguet, U of Eastern Finland (Finland)
Anastasia Rogova, U of British Columbia (Canada)
Catherine Ann Schuler, U of Maryland, College Park
Olga Shevchenko, Williams College

2-41 **In Cans We (T)Rust: Towards a Socio-Cultural History of Fish Processing in the Adriatic** - *Salon 14, LB2*
Chair: Theodora Dragostinova, Ohio State U
Papers: Tanja Petrovic, Scientific Research Centre SAZU (Slovenia)
"Fabrika as an Agent of Social Life: Fish-Canning Industry and the Labor History of the Yugoslav Adriatic"
Ulf Brunnbauer, Leibniz Institute for East and Southeast European Studies (Germany)
"Building an Empire of Sardines: 'Mirna' in Rovinj (Istria) and Its Business Strategies"
Iva Kosmos, Scientific Research Centre SAZU (Slovenia)
"'There is Nothing to Talk About with Those Women!' Fish Cannery as a Place of Inclusion and Exclusion"
Disc.: Caitlin E. Murdock, California State U, Long Beach

2-42 **Czech Forgeries and Mystifications: Imagining Communities and Inventing Traditions** - *(Roundtable) - Salon 15, LB2*

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Part.: Erin Dusza, Indiana U Bloomington
Jennifer M. Katanic, CUNY Graduate Center
Anastasia Tsylina, Brown U
Abigail Ruth Weil, Harvard U

2-43 Transottomanica: Practices of 'Transcultural' Diplomacy in the Early Modern Period - *Sierra A, 5*
Chair: Stefan Rohdewald, U of Giessen (Germany)
Papers: Dennis Dierks, U of Jena (Germany)
"Cultures of Contract. A Transottoman Perspective on Negotiating Peace in Early Modern Europe"
Robert Born, Leibniz Inst for the History and Culture of Eastern Europe (Germany)
"Chroniclers, Intermediaries and Entrepreneurs. Observations on the Artists in the Context of the Diplomatic Delegations to Constantinople"
Disc.: Stefan Rohdewald, U of Giessen (Germany)

2-44 Changing Religious Minds: State Policy and Transformations in Religious Practices of Soviet Citizens - *Sierra B, 5*
Chair: Scott M. Kenworthy, Miami U of Ohio
Papers: Victoria Gerasimova, Dostoevsky Omsk State U (Russia)
"Desacralization of the Holy Land: Pilgrimage to Palestine/ Israel in the Perception of Soviet Believers"
Andrii Fert, National U of "Kyiv-Mohyla Academy" (Ukraine)
"Hidden Shrines: Former Orthodox Temples and Antireligious Policy of the Soviet State in the Period of Zastoy (Case Study)"
Iryna Ramanava, European Humanities U (Lithuania)
"'Lepel's Silentiaries': Confrontation of Believers and Authorities in 1930-s in Belarusian Soviet Socialist Republic"
Disc.: Scott M. Kenworthy, Miami U of Ohio

2-45 Darwin's Reception in Russia - *(Roundtable)* - *Sierra C, 5*
Chair: Stephen M. Woodburn, Southwestern College
Part.: Andrew M. Drozd, U of Alabama
James Frank Goodwin, U of Florida
Olga Y. Maiorova, U of Michigan
Brendan Mooney, U of South Carolina

2-46 "A guard to neither cause?" Translation and the Eastern Front: Between Ideology and Cultural Mediation - *Sierra D, 5*
Chair: Svetlana Cecovic, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
Papers: Vladislava Warditz, U of Potsdam (Germany)
"'We Fought with Words.' Wartime Translation and the Development of Translation Studies in the Soviet Union"
Wim L Coudenys, KU Leuven (Belgium)
"Russian Emigrés-translators in the Légion Wallonie: Between Conviction and Compassion"
Jeremy Hicks, Queen Mary, U of London (UK)
"Translating and Mediating the Eastern Front for Western Film Audiences: Defeat of the Germans Near Moscow."
Disc.: Sara Ruiz, U of Michigan

2-47 Communist Beliefs in the Soviet Union and Their Impacts - *Sierra E, 5*
Chair: Stefanie Marie Woodard, Emory U
Papers: Ellen R. Langer, UC Berkeley
"Forms of Secular Belief in Jiří Weil's Moskva-hranice, a Novel of Europeans in Moscow in the Thirties"
Michael James Coates, UC Berkeley
"Socializing Knowledge: The Early History of the Great Soviet Encyclopedia"

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Gary Berkovich, GAB
"Dom-Communa as Realization of Communist Beliefs."
Disc.: Megan Race, Harvard U

2-48 **New Trends in the History of Photography in the USSR** - *Sierra F, 5*
Chair: Nina Tumarkin, Wellesley College
Papers: Ramina Abilova, State Museum of Fine Arts of Tatarstan Republic (Russia)
"Soviet Trip with a Leica Camera: Photographic Travelogue of American Economist Frank W. Fetter"
Jessica Marie Werneke, Loughborough U (UK)
"Photography Criticism and Theory: Sergei Morozov and the Journal Sovetskoe Foto"
Martin Alan Miller, Duke U
"Russia under Western Eyes: Images of Moscow in the Work of Robert Capa, William Klein and Inge Morath"
Disc.: Katherine M. H. Reischl, Princeton U

2-49 **In/animate: Post-Humanism and Non-Human Agency in Russian Literature** - *Sierra G, 5*
Chair: Svetlana Tcareva, Yale U
Papers: Spencer Small, Yale U
"The Revenge of the Rhizome: Forests and the Fate of Human Agency in Gorky's 'Legend of Danko'"
Elaine Wilson, Columbia U
"Orthodox Atheism: Animism as Device in Gladkov's Cement"
Charlie Smith, U of Illinois at Chicago
"Platonov's Foundation Pit: A Socialist-Surrealist Novel"
Tomi Haxhi, Columbia U
"Pelevin's Pygmalion and the Sex Robot That Came to Life: The Art of Artifice in S.N.U.F.F."
Disc.: Bradley A Gorski, Vanderbilt U

2-50 **Area Studies Librarianship in a Postcolonial Present** - *(Roundtable)* - *Sierra H, 5*
Chair: Anna Arays, Yale U
Part.: M.A. Johnson, Ohio State U
Joseph Lenkart, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
Juergen Michael Warmbrunn, Herder Inst for Historical Research on East Central Europe (Germany)

2-51 **Institutional Practices and National Self-identification in Wartime Austria-Hungary, 1914-1918** - *Sierra I, 5*
Chair: Nancy M. Wingfield, Northern Illinois U
Papers: Ke-chin Hsia, Indiana U Bloomington
"Welfare and Nationalizing Politics in WWI Austria"
Etienne Boisserie, Institut National des Langues et Civilisations Orientales (INALCO) (France)
"Schools and Patriotism in the Czech Lands during WWI: Aims, Tools and Evolution"
Jernej Kosi, U of Ljubljana (Slovenia)
"'Siamo Polesani': Classification as the Essential Characteristic of World War I Refugee Policy in Imperial Austria"
Jiri Hutecka, U of Hradec Kralove (Czech Republic)
"A Burning Sense of Dignity: The Austro-Hungarian Army and Its Czech-speaking Soldiers in the First World War"
Disc.: Rok Stergar, U of Ljubljana (Slovenia)

2-52 **Biopolitics under State Socialism: (Neo)eugenics and Population Growth in Czechoslovakia and Romania** - *Sierra J, 5*
Chair: Barbara Klich-Kluczewska, Jagiellonian U in Kraków (Poland)
Papers: Corina Dobos, U of Bucharest (Romania)
"Creating the 'Population Shortage': Gloomy Narratives, Statistical Tools and Dramatic Effects"
Radka Sustrova, Charles U Prague (Czech Republic)
"'"Medical and Social Base of State Renewal": Continuities of Eugenic Thought a Practice in

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Czechoslovakia Beyond 1945"
Jakub Rakosnik, Charles U in Prague (Czech Republic)
"Between Communist Future and the Fear of Extinction: Czechoslovak Population Policies 1960–1989"
Disc.: Barbara Klich-Kluczewska, Jagiellonian U in Kraków (Poland)

2-53 **Translation and Belief I: The Suspension of Disbelief in Fictional Depictions of Translation, Multilingualism and Oral Speech** - *Sierra K, 5*
Chair: Hannu Kemppanen, U of Eastern Finland (Finland)
Papers: Emily Finer, U of St Andrews (UK)
"Translating 'Poor Yorick' as 'Bednyi Lenskii': Multilingualism in Pushkin and Sterne"
Julie Hansen, Uppsala U (Sweden)
"Who Speaks French, How and Why in Tolstoi's 'War and Peace'"
Roman Ivashkiv, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
"The Two Fictional Ukrainian Translators: Andrukhovych's 'Femme Fatale' and Zhadan's 'Dame in a Gray Business Suit'"
Timothy Dimitry Sergay, SUNY Albany
"Would Stanislavsky 'Believe' This Dialogue? Aesthetic Credence and the Translation of Speech in Recent Translations of Babel"
Disc.: Oana Popescu-Sandu, U of Southern Indiana

Session 3 – Saturday – 4:00-5:45 pm

Council of Institutional Members - *(Meeting)* - *Salon 5, LB2*
Committee on Libraries and Information Resources Subcommittee on Education and Access - *(Meeting)* - *Foothill I, 2*

3-01 **Central and East Europe and the EU: What Next?** - *(Roundtable)* - *Foothill A, 2*
Chair: Sharon L. Wolchik, George Washington U
Part.: Federigo Argentieri, John Cabot U Rome (Italy)
Valerie Jane Bunce, Cornell U
Jane Leftwich Curry, Santa Clara U
Ronald H. Linden, U of Pittsburgh
Paula M. Pickering, College of William & Mary

3-02 **Colonialism and Transnational Histories of East Central Europe** - *(Roundtable)* - *Foothill B, 2*
Chair: Olga Linkiewicz, Tadeusz Manteuffel Institute of History PAN (Poland)
Part.: Marta Grzechnik, Harvard U
Piotr Puchalski, U of Wisconsin-Madison
Katrin Steffen, Hamburg U (Germany)
Lenny A. Urena Valerio, U of Florida

3-03 **Emigration as Vocation: Non-Nostalgic Diaspora Writing** - *Foothill C, 2*
Chair: Andrei Ustinov, The Old School
Papers: Olga Yuri Sobolev, London School of Economics and Political Science (UK) / U of London (UK)
"In Search of Lost Time: Forward-looking Nostalgia in Bunin's Prose"
Edward Waysband, NRU Higher School of Economics St. Petersburg (Russia)
"Khodasevich's 'European Night': An Émigré as Flâneur"
Irene Ingeborg Masing-Delic, UNC at Chapel Hill
"Poshlost'—German and Soviet-Russian Style: Nabokov's King, Queen, Knave (1928) and Olesha's Envy"
Disc.: Stuart H. Goldberg, Georgia Institute of Technology

3-04 **Acting on Belief: Within and Beyond the Stanislavsky System** - *Foothill E, 2*
Chair: Valleri Robinson, U of Illinois
Papers: Sharon Marie Carnicke, U of Southern California

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"Belief and Knowing: Knebel's Perspective on Stanislavsky's System"
Maria Ignatieva, Ohio State U
"Belief and Proof: Maria Lilina's Work with Stanislavsky"
Anna Muza, UC Berkeley
"Make-believe: Stanislavsky and Meyerhold in the 1930s"
Rose Whyman, U of Birmingham (UK)
"Belief in Action: Stanislavsky, Meyerhold, Bernstein"
Disc.: Valleri Robinson, U of Illinois

3-05 Digital Russia Studies: Defining an Emergent Field - *(Roundtable) - Foothill F, 2*
Chair: Mariëlle Wijermars, U of Helsinki (Finland)
Part.: Svetlana S. Bodrunova, St Petersburg State U (Russia)
Gernot Howanitz, U of Passau (Germany)
Ekaterina Kalinina, Södertörn U (Sweden)
Mariëlle Wijermars, U of Helsinki (Finland)

3-06 Fate of the Revolution in Civil War Russia: Stalled, Ended or Forging Ahead? - *Foothill G1, 2*
Sponsored by: Allan K. Wildman Group for the Study of Society, Politics, and Culture in the Russian Revolutionary Era
Chair: Alice K. Pate, Kennesaw State U
Papers: Lara Douds, Durham U
"Bolsheviks Against the Soviets in July 1918: The Real 'Bolshevik Seizure of Power' at the Fifth Congress of Soviets?"
Michael Stanford Melancon, Auburn U
"Left SR Proclamations and Other Publications, Late 1918-1919: The Revolution Continues"
Alexander Rabinowitch, Indiana U Bloomington
"1919: The Bolsheviks Survive"
Disc.: Boris Ivanovich Kolonitskii, European U at St. Petersburg (Russia)

3-07 Belief and Bulgakov: New Perspectives on The Master and Margarita - *Foothill G2, 2*
Chair: Anthony James Qualin, Texas Tech U
Papers: Olga Georgievna Voronina, U College London (UK)
"Rewriting the Passion of Christ: Evolution of the Jerusalem Theme in the Drafts of The Master and Margarita"
Edythe C. Haber, U of Massachusetts Boston
"The Evolving Role of Christ in Bulgakov's Moscow, 1928-1940"
John R. Givens, U of Rochester
"Aquinas and Bulgakov: Proving God in Master and Margarita"
Disc.: Anna Maslennikova, U of Rochester

3-08 Political Rhetoric and Symbolic Politics in Post-Soviet States - *Foothill H, 2*
Chair: Kristiina Annikki Silvan, U of Helsinki (Finland)
Papers: Alexander Baturo, Dublin City U (UK)
"Historical Turn in Russian Foreign Policy: Combating Nazism in Diplomatic Rhetoric and International Resolutions"
Evgenia Olimpieva, U of Chicago
"Collective Memory in Authoritarian Regimes: Great Patriotic War as Ideology in Putin's Russia"
Hasmik Grigoryan, Dublin City U (Ireland)
"Strategic Behaviour of Armenian Opposition Parties on Nagorno Karabakh Conflict: An Examination of Parliamentary Debates"
Mariia Ukhvatova, St Petersburg State U (Russia)
"'Blessing of the Guardians': Religious Rhetoric at Inauguration of Governors in Russia"
Disc.: Rudra Sil, U of Pennsylvania

3-15 The Politics and Perception of Climate Change and Renewable Energy Discourse from the Russian Far North to Central Asia - *Nob Hill A, LB2*
Chair: Stephanie Katherine Hitztaler, U of Helsinki (Finland)

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Papers: Dmitry Yagodin, University of Helsinki
"Convenient Truth: The Roots of Climate Denial in the Official Discourse in Russia"
Robert W. Orttung, George Washington U
"Climate Change in Northern Russia through the Prism of Public Perception"
Hilma Salonen, U of Helsinki (Finland)
"Is there Life after Fossil Fuels? Transitioning to Sustainable Energy in the Russian Far North"
Konstantin Kaminskij, Humboldt U Berlin (Germany)
"Climate Change and Environmental Migration in Central Asia"
Disc.: Shinichiro Tabata, Hokkaido U (Japan)

3-16 The Russian Opera Libretto from Catherine the Great to the Soviet Era - *Nob Hill B, LB2*
Chair: Emily Frey, Brandeis U
Papers: Inna F Naroditskaya, Northwestern U
"Tsarina the Teller of the Opera-Bylina"
Margaret Frainier, U of Oxford (UK)
"Imagining Russian History in Rimsky-Korsakov's 'Sadko'"
Philip Ross Bullock, U of Oxford (UK)
"The Taming of Katerina Izmailova"
Disc.: Emily Frey, Brandeis U

3-17 The Soviet Union and the Worlds of Global Capital - *Nob Hill C, LB2*
Chair: Sophie Alena Lambroschini, Centre Marc Bloch (Germany)
Papers: Andrew Sloin, CUNY Baruch College
"Wage Labor, 'Socialist' Commodities, and the Creation of Soviet Capitalism"
Robynne Mellor, Georgetown U
"Capitalism, Communism, and Early Cold War Uranium Procurement: A Comparative Case Study"
Oscar Sanchez-Sibony, U of Hong Kong (China)
"From Fellow Traveler to Associate Creator: The Soviet Union and the Creation of Late Twentieth Century Global Capitalism"
Disc.: Jeffrey Kenneth Hass, U of Richmond / St. Petersburg State U (Russia)

3-18 Recent Research: Estonia, Romania & Hungary - *Nob Hill D, LB2*
Chair: Francis D. Raska, Charles U in Prague (Czech Republic)
Papers: Piret Peiker, Tallinn U (Estonia)
"'If You Believe in Yourself, Then You (Will) Believe in the People'"
Pauli Heikkilä, U of Tartu (Estonia)
"Window on the Communist Economy. Soviet Studies within the Estonian Emigration in the Cold War"
Marius Iulian Petraru, California State U, Sacramento
"The Road to Freedom: The Romanian Jewish Migration during the Cold War (1945-1975)"
Endre Szentkiralyi, Nordonia High School
"How Can an Ethnic Community Maintain its Language and Traditions into the Second and Third Generations?"
Disc.: John Kayl Cox, North Dakota State U

3-19 The Art of Belief. National Representation in Interwar Central Europe - *Pacific A, 4*
Chair: Julia Secklehner, Masaryk U (Czech Republic)
Papers: Marta Filipova, Masaryk U (Czech Republic)
"Belief on Display. Central European Countries at Interwar World's Fairs"
Vendula Hnídková, U of Birmingham (UK)
"Housing for a New Social Order. Czechoslovak Urban Visions between Belief in Humankind and Social Segregation"
Julia Secklehner, Masaryk U (Czech Republic)
"Reactionary Idyll? Central European Homeland-Photography in a Transnational Context"
Disc.: Peter A. Zusi, U College London (UK)

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3-20 **Grass Is Always Greener on the Other Side. Disillusionment and Defection During the Cold War.** - *Pacific B, 4*

Chair: Benjamin Tromly, U of Puget Sound

Papers: Christina Elizabeth Gusella, Emory U
"Travelers, Informants, and Defectors: Americans in Khrushchev's Soviet Union"
Inga Zaksauskiene, Vilnius U (Lithuania)
"Faithful Listeners to Western Voices: Defectors from the Soviet Baltic States Witnessing Soviet Order Destruction."
Anna A Mazurkiewicz, U of Gdańsk (Poland)
"Repatriation or Redefection? American Response to the 1955 Soviet Bloc Campaign to Demoralize anti-Communist Escapees and to Induce Them to Return."

Disc.: Benjamin Tromly, U of Puget Sound

3-21 Why (Not) Compare? Interdisciplinarity, Transantionalism, and Precarity - *(Roundtable)* - *Pacific C, 4*

Chair: Sanja Ivanov, U of Toronto (Canada)

Part.: Sanja Ivanov, U of Toronto (Canada)
Nikolay Raykov Karkov, SUNY Cortland
Eralda L Lameborshi, Stephen F. Austin State U
Tanja Petrovic, Scientific Research Centre SAZU (Slovenia)
Cristofer Scarboro, King's College

3-22 **Book Discussion: Title: World War II Through a Polish - French Lens. Andrzej Bobkowski's Wartime Notebooks: France 1940-1944** - *(Roundtable)* - *Pacific D, 4*

Chair: Chris Rzonca, New York U

Part.: Grazyna F. Drabik, City College of New York
Krystyna Lipinska Illakowicz, Yale U
Maciej Nowak, John Paul II Catholic U of Lublin (Poland)
Chris Rzonca, New York U

3-23 **Belief in the Monarch(y): Politics and Ideology in Imperial and Post-Soviet Russia** - *Pacific E, 4*

Chair: Irina Karlsohn, Dalarna U (Sweden) / Uppsala U (Sweden)

Papers: Derek Offord, U of Bristol (UK)
"Karamzin's Defence of Russian Autocracy"
Alexandra Medzibrodszky, Central European U (Hungary)
"Lev Tikhomirov and the Monarchical Principle in Late Imperial Russia"
Mikhail Nikolaevich Loukianov, Perm State U (Russia)
"The Russian Conservatives, the Monarchy, and the Monarch, August 1914 – February 1917"
Mikhail D Suslov, U of Copenhagen (Denmark)
"Of Tsars and Men: Ideology of Monarchism in Today's Russia"

Disc.: George Gilbert, U of Southampton (UK)

3-24 **Files Wide Open: Religious Faith and Underground Culture as Competing Belief Systems Against Communist Utopia** - *Pacific F, 4*

Chair: Dragos Petrescu, U of Bucharest (Romania)

Papers: Katarina Valcova, Comenius U in Bratislava (Slovakia)
"Hidden Escapes to Liberty? Religious Communities under Communism and After"
Krzysztof Brzechczyn, Institute of National Remembrance (Poland)
"On the Different Roles of the Secret Police in the Communist System and Beyond: The Case of Poland"
Cristina Petrescu, U of Bucharest (Romania)
"Fostering Democratic Beliefs through Transnational Encounters: Underground Culture in Romania before and after 1989"

Disc.: Dragos Petrescu, U of Bucharest (Romania)

3-25 **Russophone Literatures I: Russian-language Literatures in Post-Soviet Space: A Comparative Perspective** - *Pacific G, 4*

Chair: Kirill Ospovat, U of Wisconsin-Madison

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Papers: Yaraslava Ananka, U of Potsdam (Germany)
"The Zone of (Self)Alienation. Ukrainian Revisions of the Russian (Poetic) World"
Naomi Caffee, Reed College
"'(The) Broken Russian:' Russophone Literary Subjectivity in the Post-Soviet Era"
Heinrich Kirschbaum, U of Freiburg (Germany)
"Dissent and Diglossia: The Implied (Non)Reader and the (Bela)Rus(s)ian Subject in Dmitrii Strotsev's 'Patchwork Ode'"
Kevin Mercer Forsyth Platt, U of Pennsylvania
"Performance across Linguistic Borders: Latvia's Orbita Group"
Disc.: Miriam Finkelstein, U of Innsbruck (Austria)

3-26 Imperial Culture in the Soviet Imaginary - *Pacific H, 4*
Chair: Emily D Johnson, U of Oklahoma
Papers: Pavel Khazanov, Rutgers, The State U of New Jersey
"The Soviet Masses as Polufabrikat: Grigorii Pomerants and the Meaning of 'Intelligentsia' and 'Narod' in 1968"
Brett Roark Winestock, Stanford U
"A Space Outside the Present: The Literary House Museum and Memorialization in the Soviet Union"
Kathleen Macfie, UNC at Greensboro
"Reshaping Russian Imaginaries: Literary House Museums in the Post-Soviet Era"
Disc.: Christine Elaine Evans, U of Wisconsin-Milwaukee

3-27 Carpathian Rus' under Communism: Identity, Ideology, Literature - *Pacific I, 4*
Sponsored by: Carpatho-Rusyn Research Center
Chair: Bogdan Horbal, New York Public Library
Papers: Iaroslav Kovalchuk, U of Alberta (Canada)
"At Home Among Strangers: Carpatho-Rusyn Russophiles in the Soviet Intelligentsia"
Nicholas Kyle Kupensky, Bowdoin College
"'On the Brink of Death': Andrii Karabelesh and the Writing of a Communist Concentration Camp Narrative"
Marta Watral, Jagiellonian U (Poland)
"Existing Outside Language: Literary Strategies of Expressing Lemko Identity in Postwar Poland"
Disc.: Elaine Rusinko, U of Maryland, Baltimore County

3-28 Gender, Sexuality and Queerness in Contemporary Pop Culture - *Pacific J, 4*
Chair: Nick Mayhew, Stanford U
Papers: Sarah Vitali, Harvard U
"Music for the Muzhik?: Making Room for Women's Voices in the Band Leningrad"
Marija Grujic, Institute for Literature and Art (Belgrade)
"'Reality Has Never Heard of Us': An Introduction to Representations of Non-Heteronormative Lifestyles in TV Series and Popular Music in Serbia"
Nick Mayhew, Stanford U
"Same-Sex Desire in Russian Pop After the 'Gay Propaganda' Law"
Disc.: Julie Anne Cassiday, Williams College

3-29 Empire of Ice and Snow: Winter Sports in the Soviet Union After WWII - *Salon 1, LB2*
Chair: Sylvain Dufraisse, U of Nantes (France)
Papers: Mathieu Boivin-Chouinard, U du Québec à Montréal (Canada)
"Shooting over the Curtain – a Transnational Analysis of Soviet Hockey in the 1950s and 1960s"
Erica L. Fraser, Carleton U (Canada)
"The Peculiarities of Women's Hockey in the Soviet Union"
Jean Levesque, U du Québec à Montréal (Canada)
"Join, Compete, Dominate: The Soviet First Three Winter Olympics, 1956-1964."

3-30 Book Discussion: The Lawful Empire. Legal Change and Cultural Diversity in Late Tsarist Russia by Stefan B. Kirmse - *(Roundtable) - Salon 2, LB2*

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Chair: Joerg Bernhard Baberowski, Humboldt U (Germany)
Part.: Jane Burbank, New York U
Elena I Campbell, U of Washington
Peter Isaac Holquist, U of Pennsylvania
Stefan Bastian Kirmse, Leibniz-Zentrum Moderner Orient (ZMO) (Germany)

3-31 **Engaging Late Socialism** - *(Roundtable) - Salon 3, LB2*
Chair: Thomas Roberts, Smith College
Part.: Mark N. Lipovetsky, U of Colorado at Boulder
Tatiana Mikhailova, U of Colorado at Boulder
Alexander V. Prokhorov, College of William & Mary
Elena V. Prokhorova, College of William & Mary
Thomas Roberts, Smith College

3-32 **The Civil Society Puzzle in Contemporary Russia: Growth Because or in Spite of Pressure?** - *Salon 4, LB2*
Chair: Allison Denise Evans, U of Nevada, Reno
Papers: Victor Albert, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"Contentious (De)Constructions: Civil Society Responses to Moscow's Renovation Program"
Robert Thomas Argenbright, U of Utah
"'A Garbage Revolution'? What the Solid Waste Crisis Says about Putinism"
Christian Fröhlich, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"Contentious Neighbors: How Muscovites Oppose the Great Transformation of Their City"
Disc.: Allison Denise Evans, U of Nevada, Reno

3-34 **Media and the Political Regime in Russia** - *Salon 6, LB2*
Chair: Timothy M. Frye, Columbia U
Papers: Bryn Rosenfeld, U of Southern California, Katerina Ivanovna Tertytchnaya, U College London (UK), Kohei Watanabe, Waseda U (Japan)
"Independent Media in Autocracies: Evidence from Russia"
Arturas Rozenas, New York U, Denis Stukal, New York U, Georgiy Syunyaev, Columbia U
"How State-Controlled Media Shape Government Evaluation? Experimental Evidence from Russia"
Denis Stukal, New York U, Sergey Sanovich, New York U, Joshua A. Tucker, New York U
"'Bot Don't Support Them!' Twitter Bots and Popular Protest in Russia, 2015--2018"
Disc.: Kiran Rose Auerbach, U of Bergen (Norway)

3-35 **Academic Freedom and Slavic Studies** - *(Roundtable) - Salon 7, LB2*
Chair: Eve Levin, U of Kansas
Part.: Dmitry Dubrovskiy, Center of Independent Social Research (Russia)
Nicole Monnier, U of Missouri
Henry F. Reichman, California State U, East Bay / AAUP
Charles David Shaw, Central European U (Hungary)

3-36 **The New Age in Russia I** - *Salon 8, LB2*
Chair: Alexander Panchenko, Institute of Russian Literature (Pushkin House) RAS (Russia)
Papers: Birgit Menzel, U of Mainz (Germany)
"Citizen Diplomacy and Human Potential Movement. The Esalen Soviet-American Exchange Program and 'Cultic Milieus' in Late and post-Soviet Russia"
Anna Tessmann, Johannes Gutenberg U of Mainz (Germany)
"Between Science and Belief: (Post-)Soviet Astrologers on Their Practices"
Julia Andreeva, Peter the Great Museum of Anthropology and Ethnography (MAE) (Russia)
"Esoteric Energy in Daily Life of the Russian New Age"
Romina Heim, Johannes Gutenberg-U of Mainz (Germany)
"Mystical Anarchism: Roots, Ideas, and Traces of a Belief System"
Disc.: Andrei Znamenski, U of Memphis

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3-37 **The 1990s and Political Attitudes in Putin's Russia** - *Salon 10, LB2*
Chair: Andrey Yakovlev, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
Papers: Alexander Libman, Ludwig-Maximilians-U Munich (Germany)
"Communist Modernization, Post-Communist Collapse, and Democracy: Evidence from the Baikal-Amur Mainline"
William Henszey Pyle, Middlebury College
"Russians' 'Impressionable Years': Perestroika and Putin-era Beliefs"
Gulnaz Sharafutdinova, King's College London (UK)
"Insecure Collective Identity and Illiberal Attitudes in Putin's Russia"
Disc.: Michael Rochlitz, U of Bremen (Germany)

3-38 **Soviet Film Adaptations: Soviet-Western Encounters through Film, 1930-1972** - *Salon 11, LB2*
Chair: Maria Mayofis, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
Papers: Dustin Michael Condren, Stanford University
"Every Sound Is Shrill: Sergei Eisenstein, Adaptation, the American Landscape"
Rita Safariants, St. Olaf College
"Filming the Criminal Mind: Josef von Sternberg's and Lev Kulidzhanov's Adaptations of Dostoevsky's Crime and Punishment"
Sabina Amanbayeva, Oklahoma City U
"Naïve Absurdity in the Soviet Winnie the Pooh"
Disc.: Elena Konstantinovna Murenina, East Carolina U

3-39 **The Culture and Politics of Authoritarianism in Russia after Two Decades of Putin** - *(Roundtable) - Salon 12, LB2*
Chair: Henry E. Hale, George Washington U
Part.: Maria Lipman, George Washington U
Nikolay Petrov, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
Scott Radnitz, U of Washington
Sarah Wilson Sokhey, U of Colorado at Boulder

3-40 **Belief and the Body: Engendering Embodiment in Central Asia and the Caucasus** - *Salon 13, LB2*
Chair: Olga Breininger-Umetayeva, Harvard U
Papers: Laura Ann Chang Tourtellotte, Boston U
"'The Scarlet Word': Uyat in Performance and Social Projects in Conceptualizing 'Good Women' in Almaty"
Olga Breininger-Umetayeva, Harvard U
"Giving Women the Voice: Islam and Grassroots Feminist Activism in Central Asia and the North Caucasus"
Nari Shelekpayev, Sciences Po Paris (France)
"The Power of Uyat: Violence, Transgression, and Biopolitics in Kazakhstan"
Grace H Zhou, Stanford U
"Mother, Daughter, Whore: Negotiating Women's Bodies and Labor in Southern Kyrgyzstan"
Disc.: Svetlana A. Peshkova, U of New Hampshire
Julie McBrien, U of Amsterdam (Netherlands)

3-41 **Migrants and Refugees to, from, and in the Balkans: Belief, Identity, Alterity, and Culture** - *(Roundtable) - Salon 14, LB2*
Chair: Sunnie Trine'e Rucker-Chang, U of Cincinnati
Part.: Yana Hashamova, Ohio State U
Ioana Luca, National Taiwan Normal U (Taiwan)
Oana Popescu-Sandu, U of Southern Indiana
Randall Rowe, Ohio State U

3-42 **The State & Big Business in Putin's Russia** - *Salon 15, LB2*
Chair: Rachel Anne Polonsky, U of Cambridge (UK)
Papers: Tina Jennings, U of Oxford (UK)
"The Impact of Western Sanctions on the Russian Economy, Post-Crimea"

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Yuko Adachi, Sophia U (Japan)
"Recent Developments in State-Owned Business under Putin"
Holly Nielsen, Baring Vostok Capital Partners (Russia)
"The Russian Investment Climate, Post-Crimea"
Disc.: Anders Aslund, Atlantic Council

3-43 Punishments for Serious Criminal Offenses: The Law of God and the State Law in Russia of the 18th Century - *Sierra A, 5*
Chair: Nadieszda Kizenko, SUNY Albany
Papers: Ekaterina Makhotina, U of Bonn (Germany)
"To Save the Soul and the Body: Confinement in Monasteries as an Alternative to the Death Penalty in Russia of the 18th Century"
Elena Marasinova, Institute of Russian History, RAS (Russia) / NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"Orthodox Priest as Investigator: Church Practices in the Service of a Secular Court in Russia in the Second Half of the 18th century"
Maksym Klymentyev, Independent Scholar (Ukraine)
"Death vs Salvation: Differing Conceptions of Life and Death in Russia during the Pugachev Rebellion."
Disc.: Nadieszda Kizenko, SUNY Albany
Jonathan W. Daly, U of Illinois at Chicago

3-44 Rebirth: Social and Cultural Practices of the Post-War Russian Immigration - *Sierra B, 5*
Chair: Carol R. Ueland, Drew U
Papers: Yukio Nakano, Doshisha U (Japan)
"Russian Emigrants in Japan - Life as a Foreigner in Japan during the Interwar and Post-war Period"
Margarita Meniailenko, Museum of Russian Culture, San Francisco
"DPs' Materials in the Museum of Russian Culture in San Francisco"
Marina Adamovitch, The New Review, Inc.
"'The Restless Hearts': Literary and Artistic Circles and Salons in Post-war Russian New York and Philadelphia."
Disc.: Vladimir Agenosov, Griboedov Institute of International Law and Economics (Russia)

3-45 Russian Philosophy of the Late Soviet Period Book Discussion Roundtable - *(Roundtable)* - *Sierra C, 5*
Chair: Lina B. Steiner, U of Bonn (Germany)
Part.: Mikhail N. Epstein, Emory U
Olga Lyanda-Geller, Purdue U
Tom Rockmore, Peking U (China)
Daniela Steila, U of Turin (Italy)

3-46 Study Abroad in Russia: Advantages and Challenges - *Sierra D, 5*
Chair: Constantine Muravnik, Yale U
Papers: Constantine Muravnik, Yale U
"Accelerating Language Proficiency: Third-Year Russian at Home and Abroad"
Vladimir B. Golstein, Brown U
"Brown Summer Program in St. Petersburg, Russia"
Nikolai Firtich, Vassar College
"Art and Culture Courses in the Context of Study Abroad Programs (Yale Summer Session and Vassar Semester in St. Petersburg)"
Disc.: Dan I. Ungurianu, Vassar College

3-47 Policing, Surveillance, and Reform: Analyzing the Role of the Secret Police in Soviet History - *Sierra E, 5*
Chair: Jeffrey J. Rossman, U of Virginia
Papers: Olga V. Velikanova, U of North Texas

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"The Functions and Forms of Soviet surveillance"
Philip Kiffer, Georgetown U
"A New Kind of Chekist? The Stalinist Origins of Khrushchev's Secret Police Reforms."
Andrei Tcacenco, U of California, Santa Cruz
"Communist Morality, Neighborhood Councils, and Comrade Courts during Late Socialism"
Disc.: Edward Cohn, Grinnell College

3-48 **Peasants as "Poachers": Trust and Accommodation Between the State and the Village, 1914 to the Present** - *Sierra F, 5*
Chair: Colleen M Moore, James Madison U
Papers: Alexandre Sumpf, U of Strasburg (France)
"Trusting in a Second Chance: The Tactics of the Village Disabled Ex-Servicemen to Negotiate Their Sortie de Guerre, 1914-1939"
Aaron Benyamin Retish, Wayne State U
"Between State and Village: The Court Bureaucracy and the Problems of Representing Soviet Values in the Countryside, 1921-1939"
Brandon Schechter, New York U
"Muzhiki i portianki: The Peasant Soul and Substance of the Red Army, 1941-1945"
Ekaterina Emeliantseva Koller, U of Zurich (Switzerland)
"Certificates of Merit (Pochetnye Gramoty) in Late Soviet Rural Communities: Between Performing Materiality of the State and Shaping Beliefs and Subjectivities"
Disc.: Christine Diane Worobec, Northern Illinois U

3-49 **Future Visions, Unseen Dimensions, and Dreamscapes in Russian Literature** - *Sierra G, 5*
Chair: Deborah A. Martinsen, Columbia U
Papers: Stephen Andrew Bruce, Columbia U
"'Novel Voyages': Fantastical Travel through Time and Space in the Early Nineteenth Century"
Alejandra Isabel Otero Pires, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
"Of Imaginary Machines and Mundane Futures: Sigizmund Krzhizhanovsky's Literary Interface and the Perception of Reality Through Alternate Literature"
Olga Zolotareva, Princeton U
"'Higher Matter': The Fourth Dimension in Andrei Bely's Petersburg"
Olga Stuchebrukhov, UC Davis
"Overcoming Linear Perspective in Dostoevsky's 'Dream of a Ridiculous Man'"
Disc.: Irina M Erman, College of Charleston

3-50 **Academic Publishing in Russia: Trends, Practices, and Possibilities** - *(Roundtable)* - *Sierra H, 5*
Chair: Richard H. Bidlack, Washington and Lee U
Part.: Kirill Boldovskiy, St Petersburg Institute (Russia)
Natalia Guliaeva, St Petersburg State U (Russia)
Elena Lebedkina, St Petersburg State U (Russia)

3-51 **Vernacular (Inter)nationalisms in Interwar East-Central Europe** - *Sierra I, 5*
Chair: Brian Kruzick Goodman, Arizona State U
Papers: Cheryl Stephenson, U of Chicago
"Flocking Together: Performances of Internationalism in Interwar All-Sokol Festivals"
Dmitry Halavach, Princeton U
"Vernacular Internationalism: Contraband, Border-Crossings, and Moral Economy on the Polish-Soviet Border, 1921-1939"
Irina Gigova, College of Charleston
"The Bulgarian Pen Center: A Study in Cultural Internationalism"
Disc.: Katherine Lebow, Oxford U (UK)

3-52 **The Upheavals of 1989: A 30th-Anniversary Retrospective** - *(Roundtable)* - *Sierra J, 5*
Chair: Peter Ruggenthaler, Ludwig Boltzmann Institute for Research of War Consequences (Austria)
Part.: Nadia G. Boyadjieva, Balkan Studies Institute BAS (Bulgaria)
Sławomir Lukasiewicz, John Paul II Catholic U of Lublin (Poland)

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Nikita Petrov, Memorial
Oldrich Tuma, Institute of Contemporary History CAS (Czech Republic)

3-53 **Seeing late Imperial Russia: Past, Present and Future in Pictures.** - *Sierra K, 5*
Chair: Tsuyoshi Hasegawa, UC Santa Barbara
Papers: Stephen Michael Norris, Miami U of Ohio
"'A Clap of Thunder' that 'Dripped in Blood': Vasily Surikov's Morning of the Execution of the Streltsy (1881) and the Russian History Painting"
Alison Rowley, Concordia U (Canada)
"Revolution, What Revolution? National Geographic's Photographs of Russia in 1917."
Sarah Badcock, U of Nottingham (UK)
"The Unknowable Muzhik? Rural People in the Work of Ilya Repin."
Disc.: Willard Sunderland, U of Cincinnati

6:00 – 6:30 pm

Regional Affiliates Business Meeting (Meeting) - *Nob Hill C, LB2*
Mod.: Robert Edward Niebuhr, Arizona State U
Sharon A. Kowalsky, Texas A&M U at Commerce
Susan Smith-Peter, CUNY College of Staten Island
Brian James Baer, Kent State U
Nicole Monnier, U of Missouri

Saturday Evening Events and Meetings

6:00 -7:30 pm

ASEEES Digital Humanities Group - *(Meeting) - Foothill E, 2*
ASEEES Russian, East European and Eurasian Music Study Group - *(Meeting) - Foothill G1, 2*
Association for Croatian Studies - *(Meeting) - Nob Hill A, LB2*
Association for the Study of Eastern Christian History and Culture - *(Meeting) - Pacific B, 4*
Bulgarian Studies Association - *(Meeting) - Pacific E, 4*
Committee on Libraries and Information Resources Subcommittee on Copyright Issues - *(Meeting) - Foothill I, 2*
East European Politics & Societies and Cultures Journal Editorial Board Meeting - *(Meeting) - Pacific G, 4*
International Association for the Humanities - *(Meeting) - Pacific I, 4*
Polish Studies Association - *(Meeting) - Foothill G2, 2*
Q*ASEEES: Society for the Promotion of LGBTQ Slavic, East European, & Eurasian Studies - *(Meeting) - Nob Hill D, LB2*
Slavic, East European, and Eurasian Folklore Association - *(Meeting) - Salon 3, LB2*
Society for Slovene Studies - *(Meeting) - Pacific A, 4*
Society of Historians of East European and Russian Art & Architecture - *(Meeting) - Foothill F, 2*
Western Slavic and Eurasian Association - *(Meeting) - Salon 5, LB2*
Working Group on Philosophy and Intellectual History - *(Meeting) - Pacific C, 4*

6:30 – 7:30 pm

American Association for Ukrainian Studies - *(Meeting) - Foothill A, 2*

6:30 – 8:00 pm

Involvement in Regional Affiliate Activities: Learn about New Opportunities - *Nob Hill C, LB2*
Mod.: Robert Edward Niebuhr, Arizona State U

"Dirty Dances" of Comrades: Choreography and Discipline in the USSR (1920s to the 1960s) - *Nob Hill B,*

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LB2

Chair: Kirill Chunikhin, NRU Higher School of Economics St. Petersburg (Russia)

Papers: Irina Sirotkina, RAS Institute for the History of Science and Technology (Russia)
"Clean Soviet Dancing vs Dirty Bourgeois One: Creating Workers' Mass Dances"
Dmitry Kozlov, Research and Information Centre "Memorial" (Russia)
"The Role of Soviet Dancing Halls in Production of 'Stiliagi' Subculture"
Kirill Chunikhin, NRU Higher School of Economics St. Petersburg (Russia)
"AbstraktTwist: American Music, Dance in a Picture"

Disc.: Yulia Karpova, Central European U (Hungary)

7:30 – 9:00 pm

American Association for Ukrainian Studies Reception - *(Reception)* - *Foothill B, 2*

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Session 4 – Sunday – 8:00-9:45 am

4-01 **Foresight Scenarios on Populism: Imagining Central and Eastern European Politics in 2030** - *(Roundtable) - Foothill A, 2*
Chair: Vello Pettai, U of Tartu (Estonia)
Part.: Rachel A Epstein, U of Denver
Vello Pettai, U of Tartu (Estonia)
Milada Anna Vachudova, UNC at Chapel Hill

4-02 **Neoliberalism, Roman Catholicism, and the Collapse of Communism in Eastern Europe** - *Foothill B, 2*
Chair: Lukas Dovern, Stanford U
Papers: Piotr H Kosicki, U of Maryland, College Park
"Beyond Social Justice: Religion's Turn to Neoliberalism as a National, East European, and Global Phenomenon"
Brian Porter-Szucs, U of Michigan
"Catholics, Communists, and Dissidents: Who Was Responsible for Poland's Austerity Doctrine?"
Milosz Wiatrowski, Yale U
"'It's the Economy, Stupid': The Origins of Shock Therapy and the Formation of Mazowiecki's Government in 1989"
James Ramon Felak, U of Washington
"The Pope's Perspective on Eastern Europe's Economic Transformation: John Paul II's June 1991 Visit"
Disc.: Johanna K. Bockman, George Mason U

4-03 **Diasporic Formations: Identities, Avatars, and Subjectivities in Russian Émigré Culture** - *Foothill C, 2*
Chair: Catherine Ann Ciepiela, Amherst College
Papers: Roman Utkin, Wesleyan U
"Trans/national Attachments in Russian Berlin: Maxim Gorky and Vladislav Khodasevich Between Exile and Cosmopolitan Tourism"
Luke Parker, Colby College
"Performing Stardom: Émigré Actresses of the 1920s and '30s"
Robyn Jensen, UC Berkeley
"'The Blank Reverse Side': Exilic Loss and Photography in Brodsky"
Disc.: Maria Rubins, U of London (UK)

4-08 **Socio-Political Dimensions of Illegal Markets in Post-Soviet Countries** - *Foothill H, 2*
Chair: Todd Foglesong, U of Toronto (Canada)
Papers: Alexei Trochev, Nazarbayev U (Kazakhstan)
"Judicial Chiefs and Clientelism in Authoritarian Regimes: Evidence from Kazakhstan"
Gavin Slade, Nazarbayev U (Kazakhstan)
"Governing through Heroin: Prisoner Management of Prison Drug Markets in Kyrgyzstan"
Marina Zaloznaya, U of Iowa
William M. Reisinger, U of Iowa
"Corruption Networks as Civil Society: The Case of Russia"
Disc.: Olga Semukhina, Tarleton State U

4-10 **Soviet Ukraine and the Capitalist West: Beliefs and Identities in Cultural and Academic Exchanges** - *(Roundtable) - Golden Gate C1, B2*
Chair: Sergei Ivanovich Zhuk, Ball State U

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Part.: Olga Bertelsen, Embry-Riddle College of Security and Intelligence
Georgiy Kasianov, Institute of the History of Ukraine NANU (Ukraine)
Volodymyr Kravchenko, U of Alberta (Canada)
Bohdan Nahajlo, Independent Scholar (France)
Sergei Ivanovich Zhuk, Ball State U

4-11 Russia's Perspectives on World Order: Implications for Geopolitics Among Major Powers, Russia, China, and the United States - *Golden Gate C2, B2*
Chair: Sharyl N Cross, St. Edward's U / Woodrow Wilson Center, Kennan Institute
Papers: Dmitry Suslov, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"A Clash of World Orders: US-Russian Confrontation and the Future of International Order"
Artyom Lukin, Far Eastern Federal U (Russia)
"Is the English School the Best Theoretical Perspective to Comprehend Russian Foreign Policy?: Russia, China and the United States in Asia/Pacific"
Marcin Kaczmarski, U of Glasgow (UK)
"Russia and China's Visions of International Order - Short-Term Convergence Versus Long-Term Divergence"
Disc.: Andrej Krickovic, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)

4-12 Geographies of Power in Interwar Yugoslavia - *Golden Gate C3, B2*
Chair: Jovana Babovic, SUNY Geneseo
Papers: Emil Kerenji, US Holocaust Memorial Museum
"Balkan Geopolitics and Yugoslavia as Territory, 1908-1945"
Suzana Vuljevic, Columbia U
"From the Balkan Conferences to the Balkan Institute: Yugoslav Contributions to Pan-Balkanism in Interwar Southeast Europe"
James MacEwan Robertson, UC Irvine
"From Groundless Community to Fragile Borders: Territoriality in Miloš Crnjanski's Nationalist Modernism"
Disc.: Jovana Babovic, SUNY Geneseo

4-13 Geopolitical Aesthetics and Fiction in Politics of the 1990s and Beyond - *(Roundtable) - Juniper, B2*
Chair: Sanna Turoma, U of Helsinki (Finland)
Part.: Fabrizio Fenghi, Brown U
Tatiana Filimonova, College of Wooster
Sofya Khagi, U of Michigan
Maya Vinokour, New York U

4-14 Politics of Russian Women's History - *Laurel, B2*
Chair: Anna Nizhnik, Russian State U for the Humanities (Russia)
Papers: Mariia Nesterenko, U of Tartu (Estonia)
"Female Literary Work in Russia of the 19th Century"
Marina Vinnik, U of Leipzig (Germany)
"Women as Artist in Russia at the end of the 19th —the Beginning of the 20th century"
Anna Nizhnik, Russian State U for the Humanities (Russia)
"Women's Autobiography as Political Performance"
Alexandra Talaver, Central European U (Budapest)
"The Role of the Soviet Women's Committee in Domestic Gender Politics"
Disc.: Angelina Lucento, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)

4-19 Reconsidering Moscow Conceptualism - *Pacific A, 4*
Chair: Lisa Ryoko Wakamiya, Florida State U
Papers: Sven Spieker, UC Santa Barbara
"Moscow Conceptualism as a "School""

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Yelena Kalinsky, Michigan State U / H-Net
"Moscow Conceptualism's Erotic Subjects"
Christina Schwartz, UC Berkeley
"Ghost in the Machine: Andrei Monastyrskii and Life Writing"
Lisa Ryoko Wakamiya, Florida State U
"Institutionalizing Interpretation in the Works of Ilya Kabakov"
Disc.: Kristin E. Romberg, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

4-20 **Revolution from Abroad and Internal Dissension: Émigré Anti-Communism and the Cold War** - *Pacific B, 4*
Chair: Jennifer Hudson, U of Texas at Dallas
Papers: Alexey Antoshin, Ural Federal U (Russia)
"Soviet Emigres and Old Russian Socialists during the Cold War: Hopes and Disappointments"
Manfred Zeller, Bremen U (Germany)
"Judgment in Moscow? Returning Dissenters and the Struggle for Political Authority in Moscow and Kiev, 1987-1991"
Benjamin Tromly, U of Puget Sound
"Emigre Anti-Communism Meets American Philanthropy: The Ford Foundation's East European Fund, 1950-1955"
Disc.: Laurie Manchester, Arizona State U

4-21 **The Author's Role in Book Promotion: From the Genteel to the Extreme** - *(Roundtable) - Pacific C, 4*
Chair: Barbara C. Allen, La Salle U
Part.: Eliot Borenstein, New York U
Susan Smith-Peter, CUNY College of Staten Island
Joshua A. Tucker, New York U

4-22 **Translation and Belief Roundtable I: Martyrs and Heretics: Religious Attitudes in Russian Translation** - *(Roundtable) - Pacific D, 4*
Chair: Roman Ivashkiv, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
Part.: Carol Apollonio, Duke U
Brian James Baer, Kent State U
Gasan Chingizovich Gusejnov, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
Schamma Schahadat, U of Tuebingen (Germany)

4-23 **American Belief (or not) in the Bolshevik Revolution** - *(Roundtable) - Pacific E, 4*
Chair: Norman E. Saul, U of Kansas
Part.: Lee A. Farrow, Auburn U at Montgomery
Lyubov A Ginzburg, Independent Scholar
Matt Lee Miller, U of Northwestern-St. Paul
William Benton Whisenhunt, College of DuPage

4-24 **Eastern European Engagements with Africa and Blackness from the Cold War to Postsocialism** - *Pacific F, 4*
Chair: Malgorzata Fidelis, U of Illinois at Chicago
Papers: Małgorzata Mazurek, Columbia U
"Agents of Africanization?: University of Ghana, Eastern Europeans, and the Power of Imperial Legacy"
Theodora Dragostinova, Ohio State U
"Fighting 'Backwardness' and 'Foreign Domination': Bulgaria in Post-Civil War Nigeria"
Sunnie Trine'e Rucker-Chang, U of Cincinnati
"Blackness in Yugoslavia and the Post-Yugoslav Space: From the Non-Aligned Movement to 'Serbia in the World'"

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Disc.: Maria N. Todorova, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

4-25 **Soviet Interpretations of Western Culture** - *Pacific G, 4*
Chair: Sara Pankenier Weld, UC Santa Barbara
Papers: Ilya Kukulin, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"Allegories of Defeat: How Soviet Intellectuals Were Reading West German and Japanese Writers in the 1960s-70s"
Frederick H White, Utah Valley U
"A Soviet Biography for Ernest Hemingway"
Yuri Leving, Dalhousie U (Canada)
"Tales and Holes: Illustrating H.C. Andersen the Russian Way"
Disc.: Angela Brintlinger, Ohio State U

4-26 **Olga Sedakova II: Metaphysical Values of Poetics** - *Pacific H, 4*
Chair: Julia Trubikhina, Hunter College
Papers: Denis Akhapkin, St. Petersburg State U (Russia) / Smolny College (Russia)
"Where the Wild Rose Points: Construal and Perspectivization in Sedakova's poetry"
Nataliya Karageorgos, CUNY Graduate Center
"Olga Sedakova and T. S. Eliot: Resurrection of Metaphysics"
Alexander Markov, Russian State U for the Humanities (Russia)
"The Composition and Construction of Byzantine Liturgical Poetry in Sedakova's Elegies"
Disc.: Sally (Sarah) Pratt, U of Southern California
Anna Arustamova, Perm State U (Russia)

4-27 **Hegel in Russian Thought** - *Pacific I, 4*
Chair: Martin Beisswenger, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
Papers: Vladimir Leonidovich Marchenkov, Ohio U
"Pushkin and Hegel: Two Philosophies of Tragedy"
Marina Bykova, North Carolina State U
"On the Reception of Hegel in Russian Pre-revolutionary Philosophy"
Trevor Wilson, U of Pittsburgh
"Rethinking 'Western Marxism': Hegelian Marxism between Soviet and Émigré Russia"
Disc.: Randall Allen Poole, College of St. Scholastica

4-28 **What Makes the Study of Gender in the Post-Communist Region Distinctive and Threatening?** - *(Roundtable)* - *Pacific J, 4*
Chair: Janet Elise Johnson, CUNY Brooklyn College
Part.: Andrea Susan Chandler, Carleton U (Canada)
Jill Ann Irvine, U of Oklahoma
Diana Taj Kudaibergenova, Lund U (Sweden)
Joanna M. Regulska, UC Davis

4-29 **Earth and the Heavens, Soviet Style: Science and Belief in the Space Age** - *(Roundtable)* - *Salon 1, LB2*
Chair: Victoria Smolkin, Wesleyan U
Part.: Christine Elaine Evans, U of Wisconsin-Milwaukee
Joseph Kellner, UC Berkeley
Asif A. Siddiqi, Fordham U
Roshanna Patricia Sylvester, U of Colorado Boulder

4-30 **Bolshevik, Arabic, and Other Languages of the Caucasus: Language Politics in an Environment in Upheaval, 1900–1940** - *Salon 2, LB2*
Chair: Kit Condill, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
Papers: Naira Sahakyan, U of Amsterdam (Netherlands)
"Divine Language for Religious State: The Debates around the Role of Arabic in the Future of

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Revolutionary Dagestan"
Leone Musgrave, Indiana U Bloomington
"To Speak Bolshevik or to Hear Vernacular?: Political Delivery, Receptivity, and Empire in the North Caucasus, 1917–1926"
Jeremy Johnson, U of Michigan
"A Georgian Script for the Friendship of Peoples: Soviet Georgia and Orthographies of National Chauvinism"
Disc.: Marina B. Mogilner, U of Illinois at Chicago
Adrienne Lynn Edgar, UC Santa Barbara

4-31 **Political Science and the Study of the Holocaust: Contributions and the Next Steps?** - *(Roundtable)* - *Salon 3, LB2*
Chair: Michael H. Bernhard, U of Florida
Part.: Dovile Budryte, Georgia Gwinnett College
Diana V. Dumitru, Ion Creanga State U (Moldova)
Zvi Y. Gitelman, U of Michigan
Jeffrey Kopstein, UC Irvine
Jelena Subotic, Georgia State U

4-32 **Variety of Subnational Politics in Post-Communist Regimes** - *Salon 4, LB2*
Chair: Aleksei Gilev, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
Papers: Dmytro Khutkyy, U of Helsinki (Finland)
"Municipal Governance in Ukraine: Transparent, Participatory, Accountable?"
Tatiana Tkacheva, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
Mikhail Turchenko, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"Only Loyals Left Alive? Self-Nominees and Factors of Their Success in Russia's Local Elections"
Margarita Zavadskaya, U of Helsinki (Finland)
"Measuring Local Governance in Russia: Do Autocracies Serve People's Interests?"
Disc.: Brian D. Taylor, Syracuse U

4-33 **Culture as Matter** - *Salon 5, LB2*
Sponsored by: Society of Historians of East European and Russian Art & Architecture
Chair: Birgitte Beck Pristed, Aarhus U (Denmark)
Papers: Antony Kalashnikov, U of Oxford (UK)
"Evaluating Stalinist Monumentalism after the Material Turn"
Gabriella Aurora Ferrari, Princeton U
"The Craftsmanship of Ideology"
Yulia Karpova, Central European U (Hungary)
"Late Soviet Studio Ceramics as a Site of Institutional Critique"
Tyler Adkins, Princeton U
"Spirited Machines: Soviet Things and Indigenous Ethics in Contemporary Siberia"
Disc.: Alexey Golubev, U of Houston

4-34 **Violence, Women, Church and Family in Georgian Film and Literature** - *(Roundtable)* - *Salon 6, LB2*
Chair: Michael Long, Baylor U
Part.: Tinatin Bolkvadze, Ivane Javakhishvili Tbilisi State U (Georgia)
Mary Evelynne Childs, U of Washington
Julie Ann Christensen, George Mason U
Paul Crego, Library of Congress

4-35 **Idealism as Resistance? How Soviet Scholars Adapted to the State Ideology (1940s-1970s)** - *Salon 7, LB2*

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Chair: Mark Yoffe, George Washington U
Papers: Tatiana Levina, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"Inter-Ideological Forms of Idealism: Sofia Yanovskaya and the "Red Professoriate""
Diana Gasparyan, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"'What is Written Here is False': Idealism as a Blank Area of Soviet Philosophy"
Viktoriia Yulievna Faibyshenko, St. Philaret's Christian Orthodox Institute (SFI) (Russia)
"Idealism as a Construct, Limit, and Utopia of Soviet Materialism"
Disc.: Mikhail Yu. Nemtsev, Georgetown U
Egeniya Vorobyeva, Russian State U for the Humanities (Russia)

4-36 Belief. Mobility. Borders. - *Salon 8, LB2*
Sponsored by: Slavic, East European, and Eurasian Folklore Association
Chair: Erin M. Collopy, Texas Tech U
Papers: Dominic Martin, Yale U
"Far Eastern Old Believers: the global history of a Transpacific Orthodox Ecumene"
April Renee Bass, U of North Texas
"Migration. Belief"
Danila Rygovskiy, Tartu U (Estonia)
"Mobility and Borders of Religious Group: Russian Old Believers in Siberia and North America"
Tatiana Vladimirovna Filosofova, U of North Texas
"The Evil and Tempting World in the Russian Old Believers Folklore and Literature Tradition"
Disc.: Sergei Shtyrkov, European U at St. Petersburg (Russia)

4-37 Believe in Me: Jewish Poetry in the Russian Empire and the Soviet Union - *Salon 10, LB2*
Chair: Alexander Markin, U of Zurich (Switzerland)
Papers: Mikhail Krutikov, U of Michigan
"Poetics of Water in Haim Lenski's Leningrad Sonnets"
Alex Averbuch, U of Toronto (Canada)
"Transactional Poetry of Russian Jews: the Hebrew Panegyrics of the Empire"
Jason Wagner, U of Michigan
"Yiddish Modernism on the Fringes of Empire: Hofshteyn's Dialogue with Pushkin"
Disc.: Marat Grinberg, Reed College

4-38 Film & Fashion: The Role of Dress in Postwar Soviet Cinema - *Salon 11, LB2*
Chair: Emily Schuckman Matthews, San Diego State U
Papers: Carlotta Chenoweth, Yale U
"Refashioning the Thaw in Spring on River Street (1956, 2011)"
Raymond De Luca, Harvard U
"Wearing a Film: Fashion Consumerism in Stagnation-era Cinema"
Marina Rojavin, Bryn Mawr College
"Clothing and Fashion as Catalysts of Film Aesthetics in Kira Muratova's The Long Farewell and Getting to Know the Big Wide World"
Disc.: Birgit Beumers, Aberystwyth U (UK)

4-39 Animals in Russian Literature and Thought - *Salon 12, LB2*
Chair: Robin Feuer Miller, Brandeis U
Papers: Zora Kadyrbekova, McGill U (Canada)
"Tolstoy on Life, Humans and Animals"
Laurel Schmuck, Dalhousie U
"'She is Beef': The Legacy and Critique of Proudhon in Tolstoy's Horse and Platonov's Cow"
Madeline Tingle, Columbia U
"On and Under Horses: The Depiction of Violence in Nikolai Leskov's The Enchanted Wanderer"
Marcus C. Levitt, U of Southern California
"Georgii Vladimov's Vernyj Ruslan: Canine Philosophy and Narrative Structure"

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Disc.: Olga Y. Maiorova, U of Michigan

4-40 **Living, Healing, and Dying in Russia: Literary and Anthropological Use of Story** - *(Roundtable) - Salon 13, LB2*
Chair: Olga Shevchenko, Williams College
Part.: Jehanne M Gheith, Duke U
Michelle Anne Parsons, Northern Arizona U
Michele Rivkin-Fish, UNC at Chapel Hill

4-42 **Cold War Spy Stories** - *(Roundtable) - Salon 15, LB2*
Chair: Ioana Luca, NTNU (Taiwan)
Part.: Valentina Glajar, Texas State U
Axel Hildebrandt, Moravian College
Alison Margaret Lewis, U of Melbourne (Australia)
Corina Liliana Petrescu, U of Mississippi
Anca Maria Sincan, U College Cork (Ireland)

4-43 **A Russian Sovereignty Regime? Practices, Beliefs, Tensions from Muscovy to Moscow** - *Sierra A, 5*
Chair: Susan K. Morrissey, UC Irvine
Papers: Jan Hennings, Central European U (Hungary)
"Sovereignty Contests: Scribal Practice and Bureaucratic Wit in Muscovy"
Richard S. Wortman, Columbia U
"Ritual Sovereignty in Russia?"
Susanne Schattenberg, U of Bremen (Germany)
"Collective Sovereignty in the 20th Century"
Disc.: Jane Burbank, New York U

4-44 **Teaching, Studying, and Living Revolution from Paris to Petrograd and Beyond** - *Sierra B, 5*
Chair: Matthias Neumann, U of East Anglia (UK)
Papers: Andy Willimott, Queen Mary U of London (UK)
"The Paris Commune in Early Soviet Society"
Abby Holekamp, Georgetown U
"Building a Transnational Revolutionary Archive in 1920s Moscow"
Thomas Loyd, Georgetown U
"Soviet Revolutionary Pedagogy for the Global South"
Disc.: Rachel Applebaum, Tufts U

4-45 **Governing Peasants: Law, Economy, and Social Control 1740-1930** - *Sierra C, 5*
Chair: Boris B Gorshkov, U of Tennessee at Chattanooga
Papers: Andrey V. Gornostaev, Georgetown U
"The Issue of Fugitive Peasants in the Reigns of Elizabeth and Catherine II"
Tracy Dennison, California Institute of Technology
"The State as Landlord: The Administration and Reform of Crown Estates in Comparative Perspective"
Igor Khristoforov, Princeton U
"Peasants into (Soviet) Citizens: Land Management and the Transformation of the Countryside, 1918-1929"
Disc.: Steven L Hoch, Washington State U

4-46 **Pushkin between the Censorship of the State and the Public Opinion** - *Sierra D, 5*
Chair: Tatiana Smoliarova, U of Toronto (Canada)
Papers: Joseph Peschio, U of Wisconsin-Milwaukee
"How Pushkin Navigated a Shifting Censorship Landscape in the Early 1820s"
Igor Nemirovsky, NRU Higher School of Economics St. Petersburg (Russia)
"The Historical Background of Lermontov's 'Death of a Poet'"

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Svetlana B. Evdokimova, Brown U
"A National Poet?: Pushkin's Imagined Community"
Disc.: Catherine B. O'Neil, US Naval Academy

4-47 **Living and Leaving the Soviet Gulag** - *Sierra E, 5*
Chair: Cynthia Vickery Hooper, College of the Holy Cross
Papers: Susan Grunewald, Carnegie Mellon U
"Who Let the War Dogs Out: Repatriating German Prisoners of War from the Soviet Union, 1945-1956"
Jeffrey S. Hardy, Brigham Young U
"Religious Life in the Brezhnev-era Gulag"
Tyler Kirk, Arizona State U
"Rehabilitation, Reintegration, and Memory: The Apartment-Museum of Andrei Krems"
Disc.: Yana Skorobogatov, Williams College

4-48 **Idealized Belief: A Journey from Medieval through Modern History in Russia** - *(Roundtable)* - *Sierra F, 5*
Chair: Susan E. Costanzo, Western Washington U
Part.: Greta Bucher, U.S. Military Academy, West Point
Susan E. Costanzo, Western Washington U
Sharon A. Kowalsky, Texas A&M U at Commerce
Eve Levin, U of Kansas
Kate Transchel, California State U, Chico

4-49 **Engaging with the Tradition: Pre-Revolutionary Literary Allusions in Moscow and Leningrad Unofficial Poetry** - *Sierra G, 5*
Chair: Jose Vergara, Swarthmore College
Papers: Melissa Marie Azari, U of Wisconsin–Madison
"An Unwanted Inheritance: Exploring the Poetic Connection between Natalya Gorbanevskaya and Marina Tsvetaeva"
Anna Borovskaya-Ellis, U of Virginia
"The Polohophilia of Natalya Gorbanevskaya and Her Translations from Polish"
Ilona Sotnikova, U of Wisconsin-Madison
"Looking Back: Investigation of Pushkinian Allusions in Leningrad Underground Poetry"
Disc.: Jose Vergara, Swarthmore College

4-50 **Boundaries of Belief in Slavic Subject Cataloging** - *(Roundtable)* - *Sierra H, 5*
Chair: George Andrew Spencer, U of Wisconsin–Madison
Part.: Thomas Mark Dousa, U of Chicago
Cammeron Girvin, Library of Congress
Adrienne Seely, Chicago Public Library
Lana Soglasnova, U of Toronto (Canada)

4-51 **Nationalism and the Growth of the Public Sphere in Habsburg Central Europe** - *Sierra I, 5*
Chair: Maureen Healy, Lewis and Clark College
Papers: Karel Sima, Charles U (Czech Republic)
"Czech Public Festivals on the Road to High Modernity"
Daša Ličen, Slovenian Academy of Sciences and Arts
"Multiple Nationalism of Habsburg Trieste's 'Slavic Society' (1848–1858)"
Robert Parnica, Vera and Donald Blinken Open Society Archives at CEU (Hungary)
"Philanthropy as Belief and Social Practice in Late 19th Century Urban Croatia"
Marco Jaimes, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
"'Our Emperor is a Thief' Lèse-majesté in the Habsburg Bohemian Crownlands"
Disc.: Maureen Healy, Lewis and Clark College

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4-52 **Sexuality, Violence, and Deviance in State Socialism** - *Sierra J, 5*
Chair: Mat Savelli, McMaster U (Canada)
Papers: Barbara Klich-Kluczewska, Jagiellonian U in Kraków (Poland)
"Sexual Violence and the Experts' Discourse on Family in People's Republic of Poland, 1960s-1980s"
Victoria Shmidt, Karl-Franzens-U of Graz
"The Forced Sterilization of Roma Women between the 1970s and the 1980s: The Rise of Eugenic Socialism"
Frank Henschel, U of Kiel (Germany)
"Children's Sexuality and Deviance in Socialist Czechoslovakia"
Disc.: Mat Savelli, McMaster U (Canada)

4-53 **"Due Process and Equal Justice": Honoring the Work of George G. Weickhardt** - *(Roundtable) - Sierra K, 5*
Chair: Jack Edward Kollmann Jr, Stanford U
Part.: Charles J. Halperin, Independent Scholar
Valerie Ann Kivelson, U of Michigan
Nancy S. Kollmann, Stanford U
Russell Edward Martin, Westminster College

4-54 **The New Trends of Post-Soviet Migration** - *SOMA, 2*
Chair: Oleg Manaev, U of Tennessee / Independent Institute of Socio-Economic and Political Studies (Belarus)
Papers: Mikhail Denisenko, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"Emigration from the CIS Countries after the Collapse of the Soviet Union to the Present Days"
Andrei Vladimir Korobkov, Middle Tennessee State U
"Migration Policies of BRICS Countries: A Comparative Perspective"
Ekaterina Demintseva, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"Emigration of Highly Qualified Professionals from Russia in the 2010s: Why Are They Leaving Russia Today?"
Vladimir Izyavitch Mukomel, Russian Academy of Sciences (Russia)
"Highly Skilled Migrants in the Russian Labour Market: Lack of Skills or Discrimination?"
Disc.: Grigory Ioffe, Radford U

4-55 **Song, Belief, Identity** - *Walnut, B2*
Chair: Katya Ermolaeva, St. Andrews U (Scotland) / Royal Conservatoire of Scotland (Scotland)
Papers: Anthony James Qualin, Texas Tech U
"'Там же есть, наверно, Бог?': God in the Works of Vladimir Vysotsky"
Katya Ermolaeva, St. Andrews U (Scotland) / Royal Conservatoire of Scotland (Scotland)
"From Screen to Stage: The Metamorphosis of a Theme from Ivan The Terrible into a National Symbol in War and Peace"
Olga Lyanda-Geller, Purdue U
"'In the desert, thoughts can only be yours': Polyphony of Languages in Sofia Gubaidulina's Vocal Music"
Disc.: Elena Anatolievna Ivanova, Peoples' Friendship U of Russia (Russia)

4-56 **Methodology as Community: Fostering DH Collaborations in the Slavic and East European Fields** - *(Roundtable) - Willow, B2*
Chair: Jessie Labov, Central European U (Hungary)
Part.: Quinn Dombrowski, Stanford U
Natalia Ermolaev, Princeton U
Peter Haslinger, Herder Institute for Historical Research on East Central Europe (Germany)
Katherine M. H. Reischl, Princeton U

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Session 5 – Sunday – 10:00-11:45 am

ASEEES Council of Regional Affiliates - *(Meeting) - Foothill I, 2*
Film Screening 1 - *(Film) - Salon 8, LB2*

5-01 **Political Dimensions of Anti-Corruption Reforms in Central and Eastern Europe** - *Foothill A, 2*
Chair: Maria Popova, McGill U (Canada)
Papers: Marko Klasnja, Georgetown U
Grigore Pop-Eleches, Princeton U
"Challenging the 'Dirty Democracy' Equilibrium: Anticorruption Efforts and Electoral Manipulation in Romania"
Matthew Aaron Light, U of Toronto (Canada)
"Corruption Dynamics during a Police Reform Process: The Case of Ukraine"
Olga Semukhina, Tarleton State U
"Exploring Discretionary Decisions by the Russian Criminal Investigators to Arraign Defendants in Cases of Police Abuse"
Disc.: Sophia Wilson, Southern Illinois U Edwardsville

5-02 **Conflict and Cooperation in Interwar East Central Europe – Free Cities and Territories as Laboratories of International Peacemaking** - *Foothill B, 2*
Chair: Tomasz Blusiewicz, U of Tyumen (Russia)
Papers: Elizabeth Morrow Clark, West Texas A&M U
"'Der Fall van Hamel': The Free City of Danzig, the German Press, and 'International Affairs'"
Ruth Leiserowitz, German Historical Institute (Poland)
"Memel/Klaipeda: Living, Acting and Dreaming in a Hybrid Space"
Peter Oliver Loew, Deutsches Polen-Institut (Germany)
"An International City? The Free City of Danzig and Borders in Mind"
Adrian Mitter, Herder Institute Marburg (Germany) / U of Toronto (Canada)
"Concepts and Consequences of Local and Transnational Conflict Management in the Free City of Danzig"
Disc.: Jesse Kauffman, Eastern Michigan U

5-03 **Soviet and Post-Soviet Prison as Originator of Culture and the Written Word** - *Foothill C, 2*
Chair: Julie Draskoczy Zigoris, Independent Scholar
Papers: Lydia Hart Roberts, UCLA
"'From the Works of the Criminological Unit': Hierarchies of Prison Ethnography in the Publications of the Solovetsky Society for Regional Studies"
Alex Maxwell, U of Virginia
"Intelligentsia Meets 'Poniatiia': Examining the Treatment of Prison Slang in the Works of GULag Writers"
Anastasiia Gordiienko, U of Arizona
"The Shanson as a Mirror of Russian Society's Values and Power Relations"
Olena V Leipnik, Sam Houston State U
"'A Lipstick Ring on a Cigarette Filter': Culture Shift in Eastern Ukraine in the 1990s"
Disc.: Brendan Nieubuurt, Columbia U

5-08 **Multilingualism and Conflict Management in Eastern Europe** - *Foothill H, 2*
Chair: Yoshiko M. Herrera, U of Wisconsin-Madison
Papers: Monika Wingender, U of Giessen (Germany)
"Bi- and Multilingualism between Conflict Intensification and Conflict Resolution – Case Studies from Russia and Ukraine"
Peter Haslinger, Herder Inst for Historical Research on East Central Europe (Germany)
"Conflict and Security in Multilingual Societies – Conceptual Challenges for the Study of Post

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World War I Eastern Europe"
Andrea Gawrich, Justus Liebig U Giessen (Germany)
"Language Policies in International Conflict Management: Eastern Europe Test Cases from Political Science Perspectives"
Disc.: Yoshiko M. Herrera, U of Wisconsin-Madison
Konstantin Zamyatin, Durham U (UK)

5-10 **Cold War Citizen Diplomacy** - *Golden Gate C1, B2*
Chair: Jennifer Hudson, U of Texas at Dallas
Papers: Meri Elisabet Herrala, U of the Arts in Helsinki (Finland)
"The Belief in Soviet-American Musical Encounters during the Cold War"
Simo Mikkonen, U of Jyväskylä (Finland)
"Official, Professional, and Personal: Finnish-Soviet Artistic Networks in Context"
Jennifer Hudson, U of Texas at Dallas
"Global Citizens Defy Star Wars: How Spacebridges Promoted Star Peace"
Disc.: Lyubov A Ginzburg, Independent Scholar

5-11 **Russian Strategic Culture and Operational Code: Conceptual Developments** - *Golden Gate C2, B2*
Chair: Pavel Baev, Peace Research Institute Oslo (Norway)
Papers: Dmitry Primus Gorenburg, Harvard U
"Continuities in Russian Foreign Policy Goals in Post-Soviet Period"
Graeme Pringle Herd, George C Marshall European Center for Security Studies (Germany)
"Strategic Culture, Operational Code, Cognitive Style and the Code of Putinism: Towards an Indicative Analytical Framework?"
Suzanne Loftus, George C. Marshall Center for European Security Studies
"Russia's Strategic Culture: Legitimacy and Societal Consent under Putin"
Disc.: Brian D. Taylor, Syracuse U
Michael Kofman, Woodrow Wilson Center, Kennan Institute

5-12 **Selective Memory: Reimagining and Reconstructing Twentieth-Century Violence in Russia and the Balkans** - *Golden Gate C3, B2*
Chair: Sarah Jean Gavison, U of Colorado, Boulder
Papers: Blaze Joel, UC Berkeley
"One People. One Nation. Two Wars: Nationalism and Memory in Croatia and the Breakup of Yugoslavia"
Joel David Palhegyi, UC San Diego
"(Re)Imagining Croatia's Twentieth Century: Postsocialist Memory in Croatian Museums"
Irina Mukhina, Assumption College
"GULAG Spaces in Public Memory"
Bojan Aleksov, U College London (UK)
"Jewish Refugees in the Balkans"
Disc.: Susan C. Pearce, East Carolina U

5-13 **The Feelings of Believers: Media and Ethos in Russian Film and Literature after 2000** - *Juniper, B2*
Chair: Valery Vyugin, Institute of Russian Literature (Pushkin House), St. Petersburg State U (Russia)
Papers: Olga Burenina-Petrova, U of Zürich (Switzerland)
"Media Power in the Contemporary Anti-utopia and the Limits of Faith"
Mariia Zhukova, St. Petersburg State U (Russia) / U of Konstanz (Germany)
"'The Most Important Thing Is That People Believe': Political Leaders on TV Screen in Russian Cinema"
Lyubov Bugaeva, St. Petersburg State U (Russia)
"Make-Belief, or the 'Factory of Memories' on the Post-Soviet Screen"
Innokentij Urupin, U of Konstanz (Germany)
"Pragmatics of Magic in the Technoecology of Vladimir Sorokin's Post-Significative Writing"

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Disc.: Klavdia Smola, U of Dresden (Germany)
Kirsten Bönker, Bielefeld U (Germany)

5-14 **Russian Masculinities in the Nineteenth Century** - *Laurel, B2*
Chair: Daria Mattingly, U of Cambridge (UK)
Papers: Curtis Richardson, Western Governors U
"All in the Family: A Tale of Two Hegemonic Masculinities"
Allison Leigh, U of Louisiana at Lafayette
"Between Father and Son: Karl Briullov and the Constitution of 19th-Century Masculinity"
Connor Brian Doak, U of Bristol (UK)
"Adapting Kutuzov, or Reinventing Russian Masculinity"
Disc.: Eliot Borenstein, New York U

5-19 **Operations of Disbelief** - *Pacific A, 4*
Chair: Maria Taroutina, Yale-NUS College (Singapore)
Papers: Aglaya Glebova, UC Irvine
"Against the Limits: Vera Mukhina and Sculpture at VDNKh"
Andres Kurg, Estonian Academy of Arts (Estonia)
"Transformable Cubes and Self-Building Houses: Vyacheslav Koleichuk's Equivocal Structures"
Jane Ashton Sharp, Rutgers, The State U of New Jersey
"Zlotnikov's Redundant Systems: Modeling Doubt in the Soviet 1950s"
Maria Cristina Morandi, Rutgers, The State U of New Jersey
"The Falling of Gods: The Disruption of the Personality Cult in Russia and China through Parody"
Disc.: Michael M. Kunichika, Amherst College

5-20 **Socialist Beliefs and Diplomatic Relations with Capitalist Countries.** - *Pacific B, 4*
Chair: Charles Kraus, Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars
Papers: Tao Chen, Tongji U (China)
"East German Factor in the Sino-West German Relations (1969-1972)"
Alsu Tagirova, East China Normal U (China)
"The 1985 Soviet-North Korean Border Agreement and the Improvement of China-South Korea Relations"
Juping Zhang, East China Normal U (China)
"Soviet Disaster Diplomacy and its Emergency Response to the Chernobyl Accident"
Disc.: Charles Kraus, Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars

5-21 **Teaching Philosophy and Literature** - *(Roundtable)* - *Pacific C, 4*
Chair: Alyssa DeBlasio, Dickinson College
Part.: Brian Arthur Armstrong, Augusta U
Alyssa DeBlasio, Dickinson College
Victoria Juharyan, U of Pittsburgh
Kåre Johan Mjør, Uppsala U (Sweden)
Lina B. Steiner, U of Bonn (Germany)

5-22 **Eastern and Southern European Dissent and its International Networks** - *Pacific D, 4*
Chair: Elena Ostrovskaya, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
Papers: Svetlana Cecovic, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"Cosmopolitanism or Patriotism? Transculturality of Miloš Crnjanski"
Astrid Muls, U Libre de Bruxelles (Belgium)
"Moscow-Prague, Prague-Moscow: On a Complex Dissent Relationship"
Petra James, U Libre de Bruxelles (Belgium)
"'Framing' the Eastern European Dissent in American Newspapers of the 1970s and 1980s"
Disc.: Wim L Coudenys, KU Leuven (Belgium)

5-23 **Book Discussion:"Citizen Countess: Sofia Panina and the Fate of Revolutionary Russia" by Adele**

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Lindenmeyr - *(Roundtable)* - *Pacific E, 4*
Chair: Melissa Kirschke Stockdale, U of Oklahoma
Part.: Beth C. Holmgren, Duke U
Vera Kaplan, Tel Aviv U (Israel)
Richard Gardner Robbins, U of New Mexico
Ludmilla A. Trigos, Independent Scholar
Frank Wcislo, Vanderbilt U

5-24 **Extraction and Erasure: Capitalism and Colonialism in Socialist and Post-Socialist Spaces** - *Pacific F, 4*
Chair: Jeremy Morris, Aarhus U (Denmark)
Papers: Artan Hoxha, U of Pittsburgh
"A Swamp, a Forbidden Grove, a Ruined Factory: From Heterotopias of First Modernity to Dead Zones of Second Modernity"
Sophie Alena Lambroschini, Centre Marc Bloch (Germany)
"Soviet Capitalist Bankers on the Financial Front of the Cold War: From Agents of Soviet Financial Statecraft to Russian Global Managers"
Natalia Koulinka, UC Santa Cruz
"The Meaning of Change: Soviet Miners' Strikes of 1989 and 1991 Revisited"
Katja Perat, Washington U in St Louis
"The Straw Man of Communism"
Disc.: Jeremy Morris, Aarhus U (Denmark)

5-25 **Sino-East European Relations during the Cold War and the Non-Alignment Movement** - *Pacific G, 4*
Chair: Victoria Oana Lupascu, Pennsylvania State U
Papers: Darwin H Tsen, Carthage College
"The Bureaucrat Class: Mao, Tito, Ceaușescu, and Theories of Power in Actually Existed Socialisms"
Eralda L Lameborshi, Stephen F. Austin State U
"Micro Spaces of the Cold War: Small Nation Autonomy and the Politics of Non-Alignment"
Lorenzo M. Capisani, Catholic U of the Sacred Heart (Italy)
"The Eastern Europe Gates to China: Understanding the East in Italy during the Cold War"
Disc.: Shuang Shen, Pennsylvania State U

5-26 **Osip Mandelstam: Faith against Faith II: Politics, Philosophy, and Poetics** - *Pacific H, 4*
Chair: Pavel Polian Nerler, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
Papers: Andrew Reynolds, U of Wisconsin-Madison
"'Gathering Live Traditions from the Air': the Allusive Theories and Practice of T. S. Eliot and Osip Mandelstam"
Dimitry Zuev, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"Taranovsky's Mandelstam Seminar as reflected in the Notes of Margaret Troupin"
Leeore Schnairsohn, New York U
"Conversation about Dante and Mandelstam's Erotics of Scholarship"
Disc.: Matthew Peter McGarry, U of Oklahoma

5-27 **Repetition: Poetics, Psyche, Returns of History** - *Pacific I, 4*
Chair: Sara Dickinson, U of Genoa (Italy)
Papers: Michael C. Finke, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
"Repetition in and of the Works of Boris Pilnyak"
Radislav Lapushin, UNC at Chapel Hill
"Repetition as Exposure: The Case of Chekhov"
Stanislav Shvabrin, UNC at Chapel Hill
"Vladimir Nabokov, 'Lolita': Repetitions, Prefigurations"

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Disc.: Sara Dickinson, U of Genoa (Italy)

5-28 **Within and Beyond Time: Queer Temporalities in Literatures and Performing Arts of Eastern Europe** - *Pacific J, 4*

Chair: Sarah Rosenthal, Georgetown U

Papers: Cecil Leigh Wilson, U of Wisconsin-Madison
"'Oh, My Grey-Haired Darling': Illness and Aging in Sophia Parnok's Ursa Major"
Karlis Verdins, Washington U in St. Louis
"'They Lived Their Whole Life Together': Time Stretching in Latvian Queer Writing"
Tatiana Klepikova, Independent Scholar (Russia)
"Timeless Nureev: The Bolshoi's Staging of the Dancer's Vita and Russia's Queer Pasts and Futures"

Disc.: Rebecca Friedman, Florida International U

5-29 **Late Communism and the Religious Revival: Spiritual Awakening, Dissent, and Foreign Influences in Eastern Europe:1970s-1980s** - *Salon 1, LB2*

Chair: Olga V. Velikanova, U of North Texas

Papers: Eva Rogaar, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
"Early Life Experiences of Ethnic Russian Converts to Islam: The Search for Guidance and Spirituality in the Late Soviet Period"
Barbara Martin, Independent Scholar (Switzerland)
"Finding Faith in an Atheist Land: Russian Orthodox Converts from the Intelligentsia in the 1970s, Between Tradition and Dissent"
Sielke Beata Kelner, Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies (Switzerland)
"Global Crusades and Local Encounters in Communist Lands: American Evangelical NGOs and Religious Mobilization in Romania"

Disc.: Milorad Lazic, George Washington U

5-30 **Popular Contention and Political Activism in the Tsarist Borderlands: Mapping Political Mobilization of the Inter-Revolutionary Decade 1907-1917** - *Salon 2, LB2*

Chair: Roman Horbyk, Umeå U (Sweden)

Papers: Wiktor Marzec, U of Warsaw (Poland)
"From Revolution to Nation. Popular Unrest in Russian Poland 1907-1918"
Beka Kobakhidze, Ilia State U (Georgia)
"Why did the Social Democracy of Menshevik Type Prevail in Georgia?"
Anton Kotenko, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"Nationalism from Below: Prosopography of Ukrainian National Movement, 1906–1914"
Mark Moll, Indiana U Bloomington
"Õigus, Uus Ilm and the Estonian Press in Exile as Bellwethers of Independence, 1906-1917"

Disc.: Keely Stauter-Halsted, U of Illinois at Chicago
Robert Edward Blobaum, West Virginia U

5-31 **Politics of the Past in Putin's Russia: Re-Stalinization, Holocaust Remembrance, and the Cult of the War** - *(Roundtable) - Salon 3, LB2*

Chair: Irina Prokhorova, New Literary Observer Publishing House (Russia)

Part.: Dina Khapaeva, Georgia Institute of Technology
Nikolay Koposov, Emory U
Nina Tumarkin, Wellesley College
Anton Weiss-Wendt, Norwegian Holocaust Center (Norway)

5-32 **Doveriai, No Proveriai: The Relationship between Documentation, Lived Experience, and Belief in Russia and Ukraine** - *Salon 4, LB2*

Chair: Cynthia J. Buckley, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

Papers: Siobhan Kirkland, George Washington U

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"Conflict, Nationalism, and Migration Rights: A Study of the Prospiska System in Russia and Ukraine"
Alisha Kirchoff, Indiana U Bloomington
"Who are Russia's Notaries and Whom Do They Serve?"
Tetiana Bulakh, Indiana U Bloomington
"Hierarchies of Deservedness: Provision of Humanitarian Aid in Ukraine"
Disc.: Cynthia J. Buckley, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

5-33 **Space: A How-To Guide** - *Salon 5, LB2*
Chair: Victor Petrov, U of Tennessee-Knoxville
Papers: Victor Petrov, U of Tennessee-Knoxville
"It's Not That I'm Lazy, I Just Don't Care: Office Space, Socialist Bulgarian Style"
Konstantin Tsvetanov Georgiev, Rice U
"Is The Lake Still Working? The Post-Industrial Fate of Baykalsk"
Svetlana Borodina, Rice U
"Facets of Accessibility in A Postsocialist City"
Disc.: Madigan Fichter, Holy Family U

5-34 **Paweł Pawlikowski's Cold War: "Set in Poland, That Is to Say Nowhere"?** - *(Roundtable) - Salon 6, LB2*
Sponsored by: East European Politics and Societies and Cultures
Chair: Krzysztof Jasiewicz, Washington and Lee U
Part.: Justyna Anna Beinek, U of Kansas
Wendy Bracewell, U College London (UK)
Izabela Kalinowska-Blackwood, SUNY Stony Brook
Elzbieta U. Ostrowska, U of Alberta (Canada)
Joanna Rydzewska, Swansea U (UK)

5-35 **Book Discussion: "War with Russia? From Putin and Ukraine to Trump and Russiagate" by Stephen F. Cohen** - *(Roundtable) - Salon 7, LB2*
Chair: Lars Thomas Lih, Independent Scholar (Canada)
Part.: Nadezhda Azhghikina, Lomonosov Moscow State U (Russia), PEN Moscow (Russia)
George William Breslauer, UC Berkeley
Stephen F. Cohen, New York U / Princeton U
Joan T. DeBardeleben, Carleton U (Canada)
David Holloway, Stanford U

5-37 **Aftermath of a Jewish Death: Beliefs and Rituals in Central and Eastern Europe (the 19th and 20th Centuries)** - *Salon 10, LB2*
Chair: Ula Madej-Krupitski, UC Berkeley
Papers: Anna Dybała-Pacholak, U of Warsaw / POLIN Museum of the History of Polish Jews (Poland)
"Jewish Women and Death in 19th Century Warsaw"
Artur Markowski, U of Warsaw/ POLIN Museum of the History of Polish Jews (Poland)
"Heroes of the Revolution, Martyrs of Faith, or Instruments of Politics? The Victims of Anti-Jewish Pogroms in the 19th and 20th Centuries"
Michal Trebacz, Polin Museum of the History of Polish Jews (Poland) / U of Lodz (Poland)
"Making Sense of a Suicide. Shmuel Zygielbojm's Death and its Aftermath"
Disc.: Natalia Aleksiun, Touro College

5-38 **Soviet Film Responds to Non-Conformism; Non-Conformism Responds to Soviet Film** - *Salon 11, LB2*
Chair: Yuliya V. Ladygina, Sewanee: The U of the South
Papers: Emily D Johnson, U of Oklahoma
"The Film Maiakovskii Smeetsia in the Context of the Late-Soviet Campaigns against Non-

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conformist Youth Culture"
Alexandar Mihailovic, Brown U
"Timur Novikov's Cinema of Heroic Comedy"
Julie Anne Cassiday, Williams College
"Travestying Stalinism: Vladik Monroe's Volga! Volga!"
Disc.: Nancy Condee, U of Pittsburgh

5-39 **Reflections on the History of Reading in Modern Russia. The State, the Market and the Public in a Historical Perspective** - *(Roundtable)* - *Salon 12, LB2*
Chair: Gary J. Marker, SUNY Stony Brook
Part.: Jeffrey Peter Brooks, Johns Hopkins U
Denis Kozlov, Dalhousie U (Canada)
Birgitte Beck Pristed, Aarhus U (Denmark)
Damiano Rebecchini, U of Milan (Italy)
Raffaella Vassena, U of Milan (Italy)

5-40 **Managing Beliefs: Multiplicities Subjects Identify Through** - *Salon 13, LB2*
Chair: Katerina Suverina, Garage Museum of Contemporary Art (Russia)
Papers: Varvara Sklez, Moscow School of Social and Economic Sciences (Russia)
"Performing 'Difficult Past': Histories and Temporalities of Contemporary Russian Theatre"
Artem Vladimirovich Kravchenko, Moscow School of Social and Economic Sciences (Russia)
"Imagining the Revolution: Contentions of The Soviet Temporalities"
Aleksandra Lozinskaia, Independent Scholar (Russia)
"Successors of The Great Victory, Reimagined: On Militarization Of Russian Public Discourse"
Disc.: Katerina Suverina, Garage Museum of Contemporary Art (Russia)

5-41 **Missing Diversity? Contemporary Discourses on Migrants and Minorities in the Visegrád States** - *Salon 14, LB2*
Chair: Frank Henschel, U of Kiel (Germany)
Papers: Steven Jobbitt, Lakehead U (Canada)
"'Hungary is not a Refugee Camp!': Global Migration and the Rejection of Ethnic Pluralism in Viktor Orbán's Hungary"
Imke Hansen, Hamburg U
"Marginalizing Minorities. Representations of Historical and Contemporary Diversity in Upper Silesia"
Zuzana Schreiberová, Mulicultural Center Prague (Czech Republic)
"Prague Wasn't a City of One Nation. How Teaching about the Multicultural Past Helps Counter Nationalism and Xenophobia"
Eva-Maria Walther, U of Regensburg (Germany)
"'We Have Our Own Problems': Historical Arguments in Slovak Anti-refugee Rhetoric"
Disc.: Katrin Steffen, Hamburg U (Germany)

5-42 **Deconstructing Czech Beliefs: The Work of Vladimír Macura** - *Salon 15, LB2*
Chair: Alfred Thomas, U of Illinois at Chicago
Papers: Hana Pichova, UNC at Chapel Hill
"Dreaming of Tahiti: Vladimír Macura and the Myths of Nationhood"
Anna Förster, Ludwig Maximilians U München (Germany)
"Vladimír Macura between Lotman and Barthes. A West-Eastern History of Theory"
Holt Vincent Meyer, U of Erfurt (Germany)
"Macura's Reading of (Kundera's) Fučík as a Deconstruction of Post-Secular Belief"
Disc.: Chad Bryant, UNC at Chapel Hill

5-43 **Contingent Outcomes: Russia in the Seven Years' War** - *Sierra A, 5*
Chair: Denis Sdvizkov, German Historical Institute, Moscow (Russia)

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Papers: Catherine Evtuhov, Columbia U
"Of Horses and Men: Russian Armies in Europe, 1756-61"
Brian L. Davies, U of Texas at San Antonio
"The Russian Baltic Fleet in the Seven Years' War"
Franz A.J. Szabo, U of Alberta (Canada)
"The Seven Years' War and European Stability"
Disc.: Dominic Lieven, Cambridge U (UK)

5-44 Managing Nationalism: Historical and Contemporary Cases - *Sierra B, 5*
Chair: Ammon Cheskin, U of Glasgow (UK)
Papers: Beata Szymków, Stanford U
"Workers and the Limit of the National Paradigm: The Polish Republic in 1936"
Mike Loader, Uppsala U (Sweden)
"A Tug of War? Centre-Periphery Relations during the Khrushchev Thaw"
Matthew Blackburn, IRES, Uppsala U (Sweden)
"Tracing Discourses on the Russian Nation 'From Above' and 'From Below': The Interplay between Soviet Legacies, Civilizational Identity and Geopolitical Visions"
Caroline Campbell Hill, Uppsala U (Sweden)
"'Gay Propaganda' and Russia's Survival: Orthodox Framing of LGBT Rights Debates"
Disc.: Victoria Donovan, U of St Andrews (UK)

5-45 The Russian Press as a Historical Source: Opportunities, Challenges, Collections - *(Roundtable)* - *Sierra C, 5*
Chair: Ala Creciun, U of Maryland, College Park
Part.: Angela Cannon, Library of Congress
Zachary A. Hoffman, U of Virginia
Louise McReynolds, UNC at Chapel Hill
Charles A. Ruud, U of Western Ontario (Canada)

5-46 Contemporary Political Discourse in Russia and Beyond - *Sierra D, 5*
Chair: Elaine Marie McClarnand MacKinnon, U of West Georgia
Papers: Anna Plisetskaya, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"Language of Populists: Tricks and Strategies"
Alexei Shmelev, Moscow State Pedagogical U (Russia)
"Liberal Lexicon"
Valentina Jurjewna Apresjan, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
Alexander Viktorovich Orlov, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"The Corpus of Russian News Headlines: Manipulation in Political Language"
Julia Galiamina, Lomonosov Moscow State U (Russia)
"Kremlin's 'Great Power' Discourse as a Reaction to Destabilization"
Disc.: Elaine Marie McClarnand MacKinnon, U of West Georgia

5-47 Comparing Population Losses during the Famine of 1932-1933 in Ukraine and Russia: New Findings and the Historiography - *Sierra E, 5*
Chair: Marta Baziuk, Holodomor Research & Education Consortium (Canada)
Papers: Nataliia Levchuk, Ptoukha Institute of Demography and Social Studies (Ukraine)
"1932-1934 Famine Losses in Ukraine and Russia: Factors Determining Regional Fluctuations"
Oleh Wolowyna, UNC at Chapel Hill
"Sudden Increases in Monthly Population Losses in Early 1933 in Some Regions of Ukraine and Russia: Implications for Understanding the 1932-1933 Famine"
Bohdan Klid, U of Alberta (Canada)
"Historiography of Demographic Losses in the 1932-33 Famines in Ukraine and Russia: What Can Be Learned From the Literature?"
Disc.: Dominique Arel, U of Ottawa (Canada)

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5-48 **Authoritarian Rule as Political Order** - *Sierra F, 5*
Chair: Joerg Bernhard Baberowski, Humboldt U (Germany)
Papers: Fabian Thunemann, Humboldt U (Germany)
"Origins of Dictatorship"
Joerg Bernhard Baberowski, Humboldt U (Germany)
"The Russian Revolution and the Origins of Sovereign Dictatorship"
Paul R. Gregory, Hoover Institution
"The Politics of Command Economy"
Sarah Matuschak, Humboldt U of Berlin (Germany)
"Authoritarian Rule, the Conservative Turn and the Re-Discovery of Tradition: Stalin's Composer's"
Disc.: Norman M. Naimark, Stanford U

5-49 **Heroes and Heroism in Georgian Literature** - *Sierra G, 5*
Chair: Tamar sharabidze, Ivane Javakhishvili Tbilisi State U (Georgia)
Papers: Nana Gonjilashvili, Ivane Javakhishvili Tbilisi State U (Georgia)
"A Problem Common to All Mankind: Nikoloz Baratashvili's Pegasus"
Giuli Alasania, U of Georgia (Georgia)
"State and Church in Georgia"
Bert Beynen, Temple U
"How Animals Become Humans: Shota Rustaveli's and Ioane Petritsi's Contributions to Neoplatonism"
Maia Nachkebia, Ivane Javakhishvili Tbilisi State U (Georgia)
"Fact and Fiction in a Slovak and a German Play about the Georgian Martyr Queen Ketevan"
Disc.: Rusudan Asatiani, Ivane Javakhishvili Tbilisi State U (Georgia)

5-50 **The Hoover Library and Archives at 100: Today and the Future** - *(Roundtable)* - *Sierra H, 5*
Chair: Edward Kasinec, Columbia U / Hoover Institution
Part.: Samira Bozorgi, Stanford U
Jean M Cannon, Stanford U
Lisa Nguyen, Stanford U
Marissa Schleicher Rhee, Stanford U
Janet Zmroczek, The British Library (UK)

5-51 **Habsburg-Ottoman Engagements in Bosnia: Muslims as Subjects and Agents in the Imperial Borderlands** - *Sierra I, 5*
Chair: Robert J. Donia, U of Michigan
Papers: Maureen Healy, Lewis and Clark College
"Taming 'the Turk' in Bosnia: Habsburg Justice and the Legend of Hadschi Loja"
Leyla Amzi-Erdogdular, Rutgers, The State U of New Jersey
"Habsburg Muslims and the Umma: Discourses of Modernity"
Jared Manasek, Pace U
"Habsburgs, Ottomans, and Bosnia and Herzegovina during the Balkan Wars: 1912-1913"
Disc.: Larry Wolff, New York U
Robert J. Donia, U of Michigan

5-52 **Landscapes of Postwar Jewish and non-Jewish Hungarian Fates in Emigration and Accommodation** - *Sierra J, 5*
Chair: Cynthia Paces, College of New Jersey
Papers: Alice Freifeld, U of Florida
"Facing the 'New' Anti-Semitism: Hungarian Jews 1945-48"
Rebekah Klein-Pejsova, Purdue U
"'A Grotesquely Familiar Landscape': Jewish Self-Defense Strategies and the Experience of Rupture"

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Bela Bodo, U of Bonn (Germany)
"The Red and White Emigration Compared: the Fate of the Proponents of the Hungarian Civil War in the West and the Soviet Union after 1920"
Disc.: Jacob Ari Labendz, Youngstown State U

5-53 Belief in the Glagolitic Cultural Milieu – The Kvarner and Istria in Medieval and Early Modern Times - *Sierra K, 5*
Chair: John Peter Kraljic, Croatian Academy of America
Papers: Tomislav Galovic, U of Zagreb (Croatia)
"Aspects of Belief in Medieval Glagolitic Culture in Istria and the Kvarner"
Željko Bartulovic, U of Rijeka (Croatia)
"Regulations Based on Faith – the Status of the Church and Clergy in Medieval Statutes of the Kvarner"
Elvis Orbanic, Pazin State Archive (Croatia)
"The Historiography of the Church in Istria in the Early Modern Age (16th-8th centuries): Published Works and Archival Sources"
Disc.: Ivo Soljan, Grand Valley State U

5-54 "Homo Universitatis": A Comparative Analysis of the Problem of Belief and Trust in the University Society of Russia, the USA and Europe - *SOMA, 2*
Chair: Alexander N. Sorokin, Tyumen State U (Russia)
Papers: Natalia Gulius, Tomsk State U (Russia) / Syracuse U
"University Transformation Diagnostics: Applied Sociology Techniques (Russia)"
Alexander N. Sorokin, Tyumen State U (Russia)
"The Transformation of University Lecturer's Profession as a Factor in the Emergence and Aggravation of the Problem of Trust in the University Community of France and Russia"
Mikhail Gribovskiy, National Research Tomsk State U (Russia)
"Organizational Identity VS Professional Identity: The Loyalty Problem of European University Employees"
Disc.: Henry Lambright, Syracuse U

5-55 Sing it Soviet: Music and Modernization in the Soviet Empire - *Walnut, B2*
Chair: Kiril Tomoff, UC Riverside
Papers: Claire Nadine Roosien, U of Chicago
"Music for the Masses in Interwar Turkey and Soviet Central Asia"
Boram Shin, APRC at Hanyang U (South Korea)
"Musical Make-believe in a Soviet Nation: Making of the National Anthem of the Uzbek SSR in the post-WWII years"
Leah Goldman, Lewis & Clark College
"Mr. Minority Goes to Moscow: National Minority Composers' Reception at the All-Union Level during Late Stalinism"
Flora J Roberts, U of Tübingen (Germany)
"Kolkhoz Shashmaqom: Court Music on the Cotton Farm"
Disc.: Jeff Sahadeo, Carleton U (Canada)

5-56 Teaching with Digital Humanities: Primary Sources, Methods of Analysis, and Real-World Applications - *(Roundtable)* - *Willow, B2*
Sponsored by: ASEEES Digital Humanities Group
Chair: Benjamin Warren Sawyer, Middle Tennessee State U
Part.: Anastasia Bonch-Osmolovskaya, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
Mikhail Melnichenko, Fund "Prozhito"
Kelly O'Neill, Harvard U

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Session 6 – Sunday – 12:30-2:15 pm

ASEEES Slavic Review Editorial Meeting - *(Meeting) - Salon 5, LB2*
Soyuz-The Research Network for Post-Socialist Studies - *(Meeting) - Foothill I, 2*
Film Screening 2 - *(Film) - Salon 8, LB2*

6-01 Taking Stock of Slovak Politics - *Foothill A, 2*
Sponsored by: Slovak Studies Association
Chair: Susan M. Mikula Christie, Benedictine U
Papers: Josette A Baer, U of Zurich (Switzerland)
"The Politics of Normalization in Slovakia"
Karen Henderson, Comenius U, Bratislava (Slovakia)
"Slovakia in Europe: A Changing Relationship"
James Krapfl, McGill U (Canada)
"For a Decent Slovakia: Explaining Central Europe's Most Robust Anti-Populist Movement"
Disc.: Carol Skalnik Leff, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

6-02 Microhistories of the Holocaust in Nazi-Occupied Poland - *Foothill B, 2*
Chair: Tomasz Frydel, U of Toronto (Canada)
Papers: Thomas Chopard, CNRS (National Centre for Scientific Research, France)
Franciszek Zakrzewski, Independent Scholar
"Surviving the Holocaust in Lubartów: Combining Micro-Historic and Quantitative Approaches"
Agnieszka Wierzcholska, Freie U (Germany)
"Jewish Agency in Survival and Relationships with the non-Jewish Local Population, the Case of Tarnów"
Natalia Aleksiun, Touro College
"Microhistory of Emotions: The Afterlife of War-Time Relationships in Lwów"
Yechiel Weizman, Leibniz Institute for Jewish History and Culture – Simon Dubnow (Germany)
"Clearing the Rubble. The Poles and the Jewish Traces in One Small Polish Town after the War"
Disc.: Claire Zalc, CNRS-EHESS (France)

6-03 The Global Far North: Eurasia's Arctic Literatures and Cultures - *Foothill C, 2*
Chair: Tatiana Saburova, Indiana U Bloomington
Papers: Rebecca Jane Stanton, Columbia U
"The Poetics of Cold, from Solzhenitsyn to Rytkheu"
Jenanne Ferguson, U of Nevada-Reno
"Intersections of Belief and Creativity: Revitalization and Circulation of Sakha Algys Poems"
Tuulikki Kurki, U of Eastern Finland (Finland)
"Emerging Border Related Trauma Narratives and Identities in Literature: Finnish language literature in Russian Karelia"
Disc.: Naomi Caffee, Reed College

6-08 Security Issues in Czechoslovakia / Czech Republic over a Century - *Foothill H, 2*
Chair: Robert Kent Evanson, U of Missouri-Kansas City
Papers: James Walter Peterson, Valdosta State U
William J. Peterson, Pomona College
"Belief, Czech and Slovak Involvement in World War I, and Czechoslovak State Creation: Counterpoints to Rationality in Politics and Music"
Pavel Hlavacek, U of West Bohemia (Czech Republic)
"'Appeasement' and 'Munich' in the Czech Collective Memory"
Robert Kent Evanson, U of Missouri-Kansas City
"The Nuclear Power Controversy in Czech-Austrian Relations"
Disc.: Daniel E. Miller, U of West Florida

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6-10 **The New Cold War and the Magnitsky Act** - *(Roundtable)* - *Golden Gate C1, B2*
Chair: Choi Chatterjee, California State U, Los Angeles
Part.: Mitchell A. Orenstein, U of Pennsylvania
Barbara Brigitte Walker, U of Nevada, Reno
Denise J. Youngblood, U of Vermont
Victoria I. Zhuravleva, Russian State U for the Humanities (Russia)

6-11 **"Ideology of Chekism" from the Cold War Soviet Bloc to Putin´s Russia** - *Golden Gate C2, B2*
Chair: Amir Weiner, Stanford U
Papers: Tomas Sniegon, U of Lund (Sweden)
"Ideology of Chekism and Ideology of Communism in Recollections of Vladimir Semichastny, the Head of the KGB 1961-1967"
Jens Gieseke, Centre for Contemporary History (Germany)
"East German Chekism in Late Communism"
Nikita Petrov, Memorial
"Ideology of Chekism and Its Transformation during the 'Perestroika' 1985-1991"
Disc.: Amir Weiner, Stanford U

6-12 **Yugoslav Self-Management in a Municipality: Political, Economic and Social Insights** - *Golden Gate C3, B2*
Chair: Robin Elizabeth Smith, Leiden U (Netherlands)
Papers: Ana Kladnik, Dresden U of Technology (Germany)
"Local Self-Governance in (Post-)Socialist Slovenia"
Igor Duda, Juraj Dobrila U of Pula (Croatia)
"Local Communities and Yugoslav Self-Management: Everyday Practices in Croatia in the 1980s"
Saša Vejzagic, European U Institute (Italy)
"Central Management in Time of Atomization: Transformation of Company Organization in Socialist Yugoslavia during the 1970s"
Disc.: Patrick H. Patterson, UC San Diego

6-13 **Assembling the Esoteric: Russian Non-Conformist Spirituality At Home and Abroad** - *Juniper, B2*
Chair: Mark Hopkins, Bard College at Simon's Rock
Papers: Mark Hopkins, Bard College at Simon's Rock
"Unity Junction: Zinaida Gippius and the Nondual World"
Geoffrey Smith, U of Texas at Austin
"Boris Mouravieff, Clement of Alexandria, and the Centre d'Études Chrétiennes Ésotériques"
Marina Alexandrova, U of Texas at Austin
"Mme Blavatsky and the Russian Reading Public"
Disc.: Birgit Menzel, U of Mainz (Germany)

6-14 **Attitudes toward Sexuality: Continuity and Change in Habsburg Central Europe:1914-1938** - *Laurel, B2*
Chair: Jill Massino, UNC at Charlotte
Papers: Ota Konrad, Charles U in Prague (Czech Republic)
"Sexual Identity on Trial: Violence, Homosexuality, and Zoophilia in South Tyrol, 1914-1922"
Nancy M. Wingfield, Northern Illinois U
"The Panic over Venereal Disease during the First World War and Continuity in Attitudes toward Prostitution in post-Habsburg Central Europe"
Rudolf Kucera, Masaryk Institute and Archive, ASCR (Czech Republic)
"War, Violence, and Sexual Expertise in Habsburg Central Europe, 1914-1938"
Disc.: Melissa Katherine Bokovoy, U of New Mexico
Emily Rebecca Gioielli, Missouri Western State U

6-19 **Exploring the Nation in Visual and Performing Arts in Late Imperial Russia** - *Pacific A, 4*

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Chair: Charles Byrd, U of Georgia
Papers: Victoria Kononova, Lawrence U
"Performing 'Narod' and Empire in Russian Ballets of the 1860s and 1870s"
K. Andrea Rusnock, Indiana U, South Bend
"Visualizing the Nation in Late Imperial Era Needlework"
Irina Avkhimovich, U of North Georgia
"Historical Costume Balls of the Last Romanovs: Pre-Petrine Fashions and the Performance of the National Past"
Donna Oliver, Beloit College
"Typecasting the Nation: Picture Postcards and the Othering of Imperial Russia"
Disc.: Anna Winestein, Ballets Russes Arts Initiative

6-20 Soviet Science in Conversation: Scientific Exchanges between the Soviet Union and the West During the Cold War - *Pacific B, 4*
Chair: Eleonory Gilburd, U of Chicago
Papers: Roman Khandozhko, U of Tübingen (Germany)
"Accelerating Particles across the Block: The Soviet Nuclear Research Center in Dubna and the International Cooperation in High-Energy Physics during the Cold War"
Jonathan Oldfield, U of Birmingham (UK)
"Geoengineering and the Development of Soviet Climate Science"
Anna Amramina, U of Minnesota
"'Twenty Years Behind?': American-Soviet Collaboration in the Geosciences in the 1970s-1980s"
Andy Bruno, Northern Illinois U
"Converging Ideas above the Iron Curtain: International Exchanges in the Science of Tunguska During the Cold War"
Disc.: Eleonory Gilburd, U of Chicago

6-21 Teaching Nationalism in an Age of Nationalism: Making Sense of History in the Current Political Climate - *(Roundtable)* - *Pacific C, 4*
Chair: Alastair Kocho-Williams, Clarkson U
Part.: Colleen M Moore, James Madison U
Alex Tipei Tipei, McGill U (Canada)
Michal J Wilczewski, U of Illinois at Chicago
Kathleen Wroblewski, Missouri State U

6-22 Translation and Belief II: Practice, Discourse, Ideology in Translation - *Pacific D, 4*
Chair: Cassio de Oliveira, Portland State U
Papers: Ekaterina Samorodnitskaya, RANEPA (Russia)
"'The Woman Question' in Russia: Paradoxes of Implementation"
Elena Ostrovskaya, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"'A High Art,' Tari Devi and a Matter of Belief"
Elena Zemskova, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"Belief and Trauma: The Figure of the Translator in Semyon Lipkin's Novel 'The Decade'"
Irina Pohlan, U of Mainz (Germany)
"Atheism and Religion in Translation: Imported Discourses in the Soviet Popular Magazine 'Nauka i religiia'"
Disc.: Zakhar Ishov, Uppsala U (Sweden)

6-23 The Post-Soviet Politics of Utopia - *(Roundtable)* - *Pacific E, 4*
Chair: Anastasia Mitrofanova, Financial U (Russia)
Part.: Edith W. Clowes, U of Virginia
Go Koshino, Hokkaido U (Japan)
Andrei Rogatchevski, UiT the Arctic U of Norway (Norway)
Mikhail D Suslov, U of Copenhagen (Denmark)

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Sanna Turoma, U of Helsinki (Finland)

6-24 **Leaflets, Postage, Letters, and Plays: Transatlantic Communication and Cultural Production in the Cold War** - *Pacific F, 4*

Chair: Katerina Capkova, Institute of Contemporary History ASCR (Czech Republic)

Papers: Karl William Brown, U of Wisconsin-Whitewater
"From Munich (and Milwaukee) With Love: Radio Free Europe's Balloon Leaflet Campaign Abroad and at Home, 1951-1956"
Jacob Ari Labendz, Youngstown State U
"Postage and Propaganda: Negotiating Symbols, International Law, and Diplomatic Norms in Czechoslovakia, 1954-1966 (1989)"
Michael Vincent Paulauskas, Middle Tennessee State U
"Dear Mr. Brezhnev: Letters from Americans to the Soviet Government in the 1970s and 80s"
Sara Feldman, Harvard U
"Nathan Becker and 'Solomon the Wise': Appreciations and Lamentations for Soviet Yiddish Culture Abroad"

Disc.: Katerina Capkova, Institute of Contemporary History ASCR (Czech Republic)

6-25 **Russophone Literatures II: Russophone Identities Betwixt and Between** - *Pacific G, 4*

Chair: Heinrich Kirschbaum, U of Freiburg (Germany)

Papers: Manuel Ghilarducci, Humboldt U Berlin (Germany)
"Dissociative Identity Literature: Viktar Marcinovič's Swinging Between Russian and Belarusian"
Nina Friess, Centre for East European and International Studies (Germany)
"Between Tractor Drivers and the Struggle for Identity. Russophone Literature in Kazakhstan"
Marco Puleri, U of Bologna (Italy)
"Russian, Russophone, Ukrainian: Counter Narratives of 'Displaced Transition' in Post-Soviet Culture"

Disc.: Tamar Koplatadze, U of Oxford (UK)

6-26 **Publishing the Comintern** - *(Roundtable)* - *Pacific H, 4*

Chair: Michael M. Kunichika, Amherst College

Part.: Katerina Clark, Yale U
Jonathan Flatley, Wayne State U
Adrienn Kacsor, Northwestern U
Christina Kiaer, Northwestern U
Rebekah Smith, New York U

6-27 **Tolstoy, Aristocrat** - *Pacific I, 4*

Chair: Eric Naiman, UC Berkeley

Papers: Anne Lounsbery, New York U
"Taste in Tolstoy"
David M.B.L. Herman, U of Virginia
"Tolstoy, Aristocrat"
Vadim Shneyder, UCLA
"Tolstoy, Anticapitalist: Aristocracy and the Critique of Property in 'Strider'"

Disc.: Bella Grigoryan, Bryn Mawr College

6-28 **Queer Migrations: Networks, Circuits, and Border Crossings in Theory and Practice** - *(Roundtable)* - *Pacific J, 4*

Chair: Feruza Aripova, Northeastern U

Part.: Samuel Roman Buelow, Los Alamos Historical Society
Philip Gleissner, Ohio State U
Cassandra Hartblay, U of Toronto Scarborough (Canada)
Alexandra Novitskaya, Stony Brook U

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Roman Utkin, Wesleyan U

6-29 **Experiencing Education under Khrushchev and Brezhnev** - *Salon 1, LB2*
Chair: Malcolm Lyndon Gareth Spencer, U of York (UK)
Papers: Iuliia Skubytska, U of Pennsylvania
"What Does It Mean to Be a Good Pioneer? Recollecting Late Soviet Political Education in Russia and Ukraine"
Riikkamari Johanna Muhonen, Central European U (Hungary)
"Attempting to Turn Them into 'Good Friends of the Soviet Union:' Responses of Students from the Developing World to the Soviet Educational Project, 1960s-1970s"
Rebecca A Johnston, U of Texas at Austin
"The House of Culture or the House of Corn? Rural Education in the Soviet 1950s"
Disc.: Karl D. Qualls, Dickinson College

6-30 **Russia and the Vulnerabilities of Empire** - *Salon 2, LB2*
Chair: Ana Siljak, Queen's U (Canada)
Papers: Dominic Lieven, Cambridge U (UK)
"The Russian Emperor as Commander-in-Chief"
David Hendrik Schimmelpenninck van der Oye, Brock U (Canada)
"Prince Gorchakov's Frontier"
John W. Steinberg, Austin Peay State U
"The Challenge(s) of Peacemaking in the East, 1918-1924"
Disc.: David McDonald, U of Wisconsin-Madison

6-31 **Book Discussion: "Yellow Star, Red Star: Holocaust Remembrance after Communism" by Jelena Subotic** - *(Roundtable)* - *Salon 3, LB2*
Chair: Mila Dragojevic, Sewanee: The U of the South
Part.: Dovile Budryte, Georgia Gwinnett College
Emil Kerenji, US Holocaust Memorial Museum
Jelena Subotic, Georgia State U

6-32 **Civic Engagement, Identity, and Innovative Activism in Contemporary Russia** - *Salon 4, LB2*
Chair: John Burgess, Pittsburgh Theological Seminary
Papers: Guzel Yusupova, Durham U
"Between Fear and Solidarity: Social Media and Ethnic Minority Mobilization in Russia"
Katie L. Stewart, Knox College
"Cultural Production as Activism: National Theaters, Philharmonics, and Cultural Organizations in Russia's Regional Capitals"
Meagan Todd, Indiana U
"Islamic Entrepreneurship and New Muslim Spaces in Moscow, Russia"
Anna A. Dekalchuk, NRU Higher School of Economics in St. Petersburg (Russia)
Ivan S. Grigoriev, NRU Higher school of Economics (Russia)
"A New Age Cohort: How Generational Belonging Influences Transition from Civic to Political Activism in Local Communities (the Case of Sosnoviy Bor)"
Disc.: Olena Nikolayenko, Fordham U
Katherine Graney, Skidmore College

6-34 **Cinema and the Environment in Eastern Europe** - *Salon 6, LB2*
Chair: Lukas Brasiskis, New York U
Papers: Olga Blackledge, U of Pittsburgh
"Staging Nature: The Natural Environment in Soviet Animation"
Masha Shpolberg, Yale U
"Nature, Nationalism, and Nostalgia: Polish Environmental Cinema 1968-1981"
Oksana Chefranova, Yale U

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"From the Empire of Rain to the Cloud of Contemplation: Environment in Cinema of Béla Tarr and Aleksandr Sokurov"
Lukas Brasiskis, New York U
"From Water to Wind: Elemental Critique in Recent Eastern European Video Art"
Disc.: Robert Bird, U of Chicago

6-35 **Biography and Historiography: Richard Pipes, Martin Malia, Sheila Fitzpatrick** - *Salon 7, LB2*
Chair: Julie Hessler, U of Oregon
Papers: Jonathan W. Daly, U of Illinois at Chicago
"The Unknown Richard Pipes: On the Craft and Philosophy of History"
Gary Michael Hamburg, Claremont McKenna College
"Martin Malia as Historian of the Russian Revolution"
Mark Edele, U of Melbourne (Australia)
"Unrevisionist Revisionism: On Sheila Fitzpatrick"
Disc.: Ronald Grigor Suny, U of Michigan

6-37 **The Possibilities and Impossibilities of Polish Jewishness: Cultural Politics and Literary Reimaginings in the Interwar and Postwar Periods** - *Salon 10, LB2*
Chair: Madeline G. Levine, UNC at Chapel Hill
Papers: Kenneth B. Moss, Johns Hopkins U
"From the Negotiation of Polishness to the Critique of Identity: Thinking -- and Thinking Past -- Culture and Identity in 1930s Polish Jewish Diasporism and Zionism"
Karen Underhill, U of Illinois at Chicago
"From Imagined Homeland to Spectral Demand: Taking Mickiewicz into Diaspora in Postwar Yiddish Literature"
Beth C. Holmgren, Duke U
"Asserting Jewish Presence: Bernard Singer's Interwar Journalism and Postwar Literary Interventions"
Disc.: Antony Polonsky, Brandeis U

6-38 **Sergei Eisenstein's Philosophy of Movement: Visual Form, Dance, and Spectators' Embodiment** - *Salon 11, LB2*
Chair: Dustin Michael Condren, Stanford U
Papers: Joan Neuberger, U of Texas at Austin
"Movement and Metamorphosis in Eisenstein's Theory and Film Practice"
Daria Khitrova, Harvard U
"Eisenstein and His Dance Books"
Ana Hedberg Olenina, Arizona State U
"The Spectator's Sensate Body: Eisenstein's Plans for Empirical Tests of Film Impact"
Disc.: Evgenii Bershtein, Reed College

6-39 **Expanding the Nineteenth-Century Russian Prose Canon** - *Salon 12, LB2*
Chair: Valeria Sobol, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
Papers: Gabriella Safran, Stanford U
"Aleksei Pisemskii's People of the 40s, Cultural Appropriation, and Paper"
Greta Nicole Matzner-Gore, U of Southern California
"The Science of Early Russian Realism"
Anna A. Berman, McGill U (Canada)
"Evgenia Tur and the Non-Canonical Marriage Plot"
Disc.: Anna Schur, Keene State College

6-40 **Nostalgia, Nationhood, and Vogue: The Aesthetics of the 1990s in Post-Soviet Russia** - *Salon 13, LB2*
Chair: Yarden Avital, Rutgers, The State U of New Jersey
Papers: Tatiana Efremova, New York U

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"Fashioning the Layered Look: Nostalgia, Nation, and the Post-Soviet Body in Gosha Rubchinsky's Clothing Collections"
Fabrizio Fenghi, Brown U
"The Ambivalent Charm of Bespredel: The Dream of the 1990s is Alive among Russian Nationalists"
Daniil Leiderman, Texas A&M U
"Playing Capitalism: The Ludic Epistemologies of Early 1990s Economic Boardgames"
Disc.: Serguei Alex. Oushakine, Princeton U

6-41 **Rescue Culture: Cultural Agency and Cultural Practices in the Balkans** - *Salon 14, LB2*
Chair: Jedrzej Paszkiewicz, Adam Mickiewicz U (Poland)
Papers: Ewa Wróblewska-Trochimiuk, Polish Academy of Sciences (Poland)
"'Girls Just Want To Have FUNdamental Rights'. Political Resistance, Women and Belief in the Possibility of Change in Serbia and Croatia after the year 2000"
Katarzyna Taczynska, U of Warsaw (Poland)
"Kunst Macht Frei? Female Artivism in Contemporary Balkan Literature"
Aleksandra Twardowska, Nicolaus Copernicus U (Poland)
"A Los Ermanos Sefardim! Sephardic Ideological and Cultural Manifestations in Bosnia"
Sabina Giergiel, U of Opole (Poland)
"Agency of/in the Works of Daša Drndić"
Disc.: Jolanta Sujecka, U of Warsaw (Poland)
Wojciech Sajkowski, U of Poznan (Poland)

6-42 **Nationalism and the Politics of Race, Religion, and Migration in Eastern Europe** - *Salon 15, LB2*
Chair: Maike Lehmann, U of Cologne (Germany)
Papers: Aleksandra Swiecka, U of Toronto (Canada) / U of Warsaw (Poland)
"The Experience of Exile through the Eyes of Child in Polish Contemporary Literature for Children"
Nikolay Sarkisyan, U in Oslo (Norway)
"Ethnic Tolerance Policy in Today's Russia: Elaboration, Implementation, Outcome"
Liisa Tuhkanen, U College London (UK)
"Home Is Where the Church Is? The Role of Religion in the Acculturation Process of Russian-Speaking Immigrants in Finland"
Disc.: John Cornell, Inst. of Solidarity and Bravery (Pilecki Institute) (Poland)

6-43 **On the Threshold of Unreason: Excess and Belief in Early Modern Russia** - *Sierra A, 5*
Chair: Ashley Morse, Harvard U
Papers: Justin Willson, Princeton U
"Wishfulness and the Mother of God's Icon in Late Medieval Russia"
Daria Eldridge, Stanford U
"Heresy Reconsidered: The Non-Excision of Old Belief from the Leprous Body of the Russian Orthodox Church"
Ashley Morse, Harvard U
"Before the Word: Introductions and Excess in Simeon Polotsky's Rhymed Psalter"
Disc.: Julia Verkholantsev, U of Pennsylvania

6-44 **Great Industrial Projects and the Soviet Ukrainian National Idea** - *(Roundtable) - Sierra B, 5*
Chair: Markian Dobczansky, Columbia U
Part.: Christina Elizabeth Crawford, Emory U
Markian Dobczansky, Columbia U
Nicholas Kyle Kupensky, Bowdoin College
Matthew Pauly, Michigan State U
Megan K. Duncan Smith, Harvard U

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6-45 **The Poetics of Propaganda: Russians Judge the West** - *Sierra C, 5*
Chair: Paul J Behringer, American U/Harvard U
Papers: Ivan I. Kurilla, European U at St. Petersburg (Russia)
"Ivan Shestakov on the Antebellum United States of America"
Ilya Vinitsky, Princeton U
"Ins and Outs: The Pamphlet Selves of Alexis Eustaphieve"
Susan Smith-Peter, CUNY College of Staten Island
"How to Critique a Democracy: Alexis Eustaphieve and Antebellum America"
Disc.: Marjorie L. Hilton, Murray State U

6-46 **Teaching Language and Culture in Context** - *Sierra D, 5*
Chair: Maria V Bourlatskaya, U of Pennsylvania
Papers: Olena Chernishenko, American U
"Geography and History in a Beginner Language Class: Can Authentic Materials Be Used?"
Olga Ogurtsova, Beloit College
"Understanding Russia: Culture in Everyday Context"
Maria V Bourlatskaya, U of Pennsylvania
"Film in Language and Culture Learning"
Disc.: Mark M. Trotter, Indiana U, Russian and East European Institute

6-47 **Reconceptualizing the Gulag** - *Sierra E, 5*
Chair: Jeffrey S. Hardy, Brigham Young U
Papers: Wilson Tharpa Bell, Thompson Rivers U (Canada)
"The Gulag in (and out of) Context: Comparing Forced Labor Systems, 1900-45"
Juliette Cadiot, School for Advanced Studies in the Social Sciences (France)
"Voices of 'Thieves' and the Moral Economy of Socialism"
Alan Joseph Barenberg, Texas Tech U
"Rethinking the Gulag"
Disc.: Cynthia Vickery Hooper, College of the Holy Cross

6-48 Book Discussion: "Without the Banya We Would Perish" by Ethan Pollock- *(Roundtable)* - *Sierra F, 5*
Chair: Stephen Bittner, Sonoma State U
Part.: Stephen Bittner, Sonoma State U
Stephen Lovell, King's College London (UK)
Alexis Peri, Boston U
Ethan M. Pollock, Brown U

6-49 **Ukrainian Underground Poetry / Ukrainian Poetry and the Underground: Aesthetics, Politics, and Society** - *Sierra G, 5*
Chair: Michael M. Naydan, Pennsylvania State U
Papers: Alessandro Achilli, Monash U (Australia)
"Mykhailo Hryhoriv and the Question of Minimalism in Ukrainian Poetry"
Sandra Joy Russell, U of Massachusetts Amherst
"Women of the Ukrainian Underground: The Poetry of Iryna Zhylenko and Female Subjectivity in the Late Soviet Period"
Oksana Lutsyshyna, U of Texas
"Hryhoriy Chubai: To Meet the World with One's Face Uncovered"
Disc.: Valentyna Kharkhun, Mykola Hohol State U of Nizhyn (Ukraine)

6-50 **Translation and Interpretation of Archives in Various Media: Practices and Challenges** - *(Roundtable)* - *Sierra H, 5*
Chair: Yekaterina Shraga, Columbia U
Part.: Olha Aleksic, Harvard U
Jane Gorjevsky, Columbia U

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Ostap Kin, Rutgers, The State U of New Jersey
Dmitry Pushmin, President B. Yeltsin Center Foundation (Russia)

6-51 Administration Practices between Persistence and Change: Towards a Transitory and Entangled Perspective on the History of Habsburg Administration and Its Legacy - *Sierra I, 5*

Chair: Rok Stergar, U of Ljubljana (Slovenia)

Papers: Therese Garstenauer, U of Vienna (Austria)
"The Dismembration of the Habsburg Monarchy and its Effects on Government Employees"
Michael Portmann, Austrian Academy of Sciences (Austria)
"The Habsburg Occupation Regime in Bosnia and Herzegovina (1878-1908): An Ottoman Perspective"
Iva Lucic, Stockholm U (Sweden)
"Administering Forests: State-led Management and Administration of Forest Use in Bosnia and Herzegovina during the Inter-Imperial Transition from Ottoman to Austrian-Hungarian Rule (1878-1918)"

Disc.: Jana Osterkamp, Collegium Carolinum (Germany)
Cristina Florea, SUNY Albany

6-52 Prague Walks: Urban Practice and Urban Art in the Twentieth Century - *Sierra J, 5*

Chair: Jindrich Toman, U of Michigan

Papers: Chad Bryant, UNC at Chapel Hill
"Prague Forays: Egon Erwin Kisch's Urban Encounters, 1910-1911"
Karla Huebner, Wright State U
"Surrealists on Foot: Nezval and Štyrský as Prague Flâneurs"
Sune Bechmann Pedersen, Lund U (Sweden)
"Directing Gazes at the Golden City: Western Tourism in Postwar Prague"

Disc.: Veronika Tuckerova, Harvard U

6-53 Medicating Society: Public Health, Medicine, and the State in the Russian Empire, Soviet Union, and Yugoslavia - *Sierra K, 5*

Chair: Alison K. Smith, U of Toronto (Canada)

Papers: Mat Savelli, McMaster U (Canada)
"Self-Management within Self-Management: Psychoactivity in Tito's Yugoslavia"
Natalya Aleksandrovna Mitsyuk, RAS (Russia)
"Right for Abortion and Contraception: Women's Movement for the Reproductive Rights in Russia (19th-20th Centuries)"
Ala Creciun, U of Maryland, College Park
"Print Workers' Mutual Aid Societies: Pension, Healthcare, Loans in Late Imperial Russia"
Pavel Vasilyev, Van Leer Jerusalem Institute (Israel)
"Urine for the New Soviet Man: Revisiting the Miracle Drug Gravidan"

Disc.: Alison K. Smith, U of Toronto (Canada)

6-54 Health and Demography in Eurasia: Current Issues and Trends - *(Roundtable) - SOMA, 2*

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Chair: Daniel Goldberg, US Department of Defense

Part.: Cynthia J. Buckley, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
Brittany Leigh Holom, New York U
Leslie J Root, UC Berkeley
Kathryn Elizabeth Stoner, Stanford U
Judyth Lynn Twigg, Virginia Commonwealth U

6-55 Intellectual and Aesthetic Sources of Eastern European Performance Art - *(Roundtable) - Walnut, B2*

Chair: Seraina Renz, U of Zurich (Switzerland)

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Part.: Tomas Glanc, U of Zurich (Switzerland)
Sabine Haensgen, U of Zurich (Switzerland)
Constance Krüger, Humboldt U Berlin (Germany)
Ilja Kukuj, Ludwig-Maximilians-U Munich (Germany)

6-56 **Banking and Institutions** - *Willow, B2*
Chair: Oleksandr Talavera, U of Birmingham (UK)
Papers: Zuzana Fungacova, Bank of Finland (Finland)
"Politics and Banking in an Electoral Autocracy"
Oleksandr Talavera, U of Birmingham (UK)
"Shock Contagion, Asset Quality and Lending Behavior"
Koen Schoors, Ghent U (Belgium)
"Deposit Insurance, Market Discipline and Bank Risk"
Disc.: Daniel Ahn, Georgetown U

Session 7 – Sunday – 2:30-4:15 pm

Cambridge U Press (CUP) - ASEEES meeting - *(Meeting) - Foothill I, 2*

7-01 **The 2019 Electoral Season in Poland: Elections to the European Parliament and National Legislature** - *(Roundtable) - Foothill A, 2*
Chair: Krzysztof Jasiewicz, Washington and Lee U
Part.: Anna Grzymala-Busse, Stanford U
Jan Kubik, Rutgers, The State U of New Jersey / U College London (UK)
David Ost, Hobart & William Smith Colleges
Andrzej W. Tymowski, American Council of Learned Societies

7-02 **"Coming Home:" Veterans, Violence and Politics in the Polish Eastern Borderland 1918-1925** - *Foothill B, 2*
Chair: Larysa Bilous, U of Alberta (Canada)
Papers: Aleksandra Pomiecko, U of Toronto (Canada)
"'Professional' Banditry in the Northeastern Regions of the Second Polish Republic, 1920-1925"
Oksana Dudko, U of Toronto (Canada)
"'Revolving Mobilizations,' Malleable Identities, and Political Change: The Case of Myroslav Irchan (1914–1921)"
Oksana Vynnyk, U of Alberta (Canada)
"Failed 'Demobilization': Ukrainian Veterans and Radical Right Movement"
Disc.: Piotr J. Wrobel, U of Toronto (Canada)

7-03 **New Perspectives on Memorializing the Gulag: Memoirs, Documents, Testimonies** - *(Roundtable) - Foothill C, 2*
Chair: Kathryn Anne Duda, Mercyhurst U
Part.: Alan Joseph Barenberg, Texas Tech U
Olga Muller Cooke, Texas A&M U
Veronica Shapovalov, San Diego State U
Dariusz Tolczyk, U of Virginia

7-08 **East Looks West: Chinese, Japanese, and Korean Research Agendas on Slavic-Eurasia** - *(Roundtable) - Foothill H, 2*
Chair: Stefan P. Hedlund, Uppsala U (Sweden)
Part.: Kimitaka Matsuzato, U of Tokyo (Japan)
Mie Nakachi, Hokusei Gakuen U and Slavic-Eurasian Research Center (Japan)
Joonseo Song, Hankuk U of Foreign Studies (S Korea)

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David Wolff, Hokkaido U (Japan)
Cheng Yang, Shanghai International Studies U (China)

7-10 **Art as a Networking Tool during the Cold War: Facts and Perceptions** - *Golden Gate C1, B2*
Chair: Roman Koropeckyj, UCLA
Papers: Tetyana Dzyadevych, U of Illinois at Chicago
"Art as Comfort Zone in Uncomfortable Times: Jacob's Ladder by Lyudmila Ulitskaya"
Margarita Delcheva, UCSB
"Transforming Bureaucracy: The Rhizomatic Mail Art Network and its Artistic Practices in Cold War Eastern Europe"
Agnieszka Karolina Jezyk, U of Illinois at Chicago
"'Two Hearts, Four Eyes' from Paweł Pawlikowski Cold War and the Remix Culture"
Disc.: Dariusz Andrzej Skórczewski, John Paul II Catholic U of Lublin (Poland)

7-11 **How Russia Uses Its Paramilitaries and Volunteers in Conflictive Zones** - *Golden Gate C2, B2*
Chair: Dmitry Primus Gorenburg, Harvard U
Papers: Sergey Sukhankin, Jamestown Foundation
"Russian 'Volunteers' from the Balkans to Ukraine: Mercenaries, Private Military Contractors, or Internationalists?"
Emmanuel Dreyfus, George Washington U
"Russian Private Military Companies: A New Tool for the Resurgence of Russia's Military?"
Sufian N. Zhemukhov, George Washington U
"Armed Conflicts as a Side Effect of Russia's Military Reform"
Disc.: Dmitry Primus Gorenburg, Harvard U

7-12 **Civic Engagement and the Press after Communism** - *Golden Gate C3, B2*
Chair: Stanislav Budnitskiy, U of Pennsylvania
Papers: Irina V. Soboleva, Columbia U
"No Politics, Please! When Efficacy Suppresses Civic and Political Engagement"
Brittany Leigh Holom, New York U
"Official Rhetoric, Social Media, and Citizen Engagement: Communicating Healthcare Reforms in Post-Soviet States"
Nataliya Rostova, Republic.ru (Russia)
"Why Press Freedom Failed in Russia in the 90s"
Kyle Estes, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
Peter Chereson, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
"Paradoxes of Collective Endurance: Comparing Russophone Ethnic Parties in Estonia and Latvia"
Disc.: Vello Pettai, U of Tartu (Estonia)

7-13 **Creating Sacred Spaces: Lidov's Hierotopy** - *(Roundtable) - Juniper, B2*
Chair: Katya Jordan, Brigham Young U
Part.: Amy Singleton Adams, College of the Holy Cross
Michael Mikhailovitch Ossorgin VIII, Fordham U
Kathleen Scollins, U of Vermont

7-14 **Queer Identity Constructions in Poland in the 1970s and Early 1980s** - *Laurel, B2*
Chair: Agnieszka Koscianska, U of Warsaw (Poland)
Papers: Jedrzej Burszta, U of Warsaw (Poland)
"Three Circles of Gay Life in 1970s Poland"
Karolina Morawska, U of Warsaw (Poland)
"'No Authorities are Interested in Us, No-One Interferes in Our Affairs?' Homosexual Men in the Polish People's Republic as Portrayed by the Citizens' Militia"
Błażej Grzegorz Warkocki, Adam Mickiewicz U (Poland)

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"Believing in Polish Queer Literature: Between Positive and Negative Affects"
Tomasz Basiuk, U of Warsaw (Poland)
"Cultural Transfers and Queer Self-Identity in Oral History Interviews and Epistolography"
Disc.: Anita Kurimay, Bryn Mawr College

7-19 **Mixed Identities: Russian Creative Intelligentsia from the Nineteenth Century to the Present Day** - *Pacific A, 4*
Chair: Joe Colleyshaw, Brown U
Papers: Nadezhda Voronina, Ludwig Maximilian U of Munich (Germany)
"The Russian Emigré Scene in Munich at the Turn of the Nineteenth Century"
Sofia Verba, Brown U
"Innovating the Past: Art by the Group "Mukhomory""
Alexander Dumanis, Brown U
"If You Throw a Poem at a Window: Intellectual Identity In the Poetics of Roman Osminkin"
Disc.: Elena Kalimova, Repin Institute of Arts (Russia)

7-20 **Transnational Lives in the Cold War** - *Pacific B, 4*
Chair: Joshua A. Sanborn, Lafayette College
Papers: Dina Fainberg, U of London (UK)
"Tamara's New Shoes: American Journalists, Russian Wives, and Gender Politics in the Cold War, 1945-1953"
Erik R. Scott, U of Kansas
"A 'Leap to Freedom' or an Attempted Suicide? Oksana Kasenkina's Flight from the Soviet Consulate"
Kristy Ironside, McGill U (Canada)
"Paul Chaleil: Missionary, Gulag Prisoner, and Anti-Communist"
Disc.: Denis Kozlov, Dalhousie U (Canada)

7-21 **On the CUSP: The Study of Contemporary Ukraine in Canada-U.S.-Ukraine Dialogue** - *(Roundtable) - Pacific C, 4*
Chair: Volodymyr Kravchenko, U of Alberta (Canada)
Part.: Marta Dyczok, U of Western Ontario (Canada)
Oleksandr Pankieiev, U of Alberta (Canada)
Oleksii Polegkyi, U of Alberta (Canada)
Jessica Marie Zychowicz, U of Alberta (Canada)

7-22 **YU-phoria: How Literature Believes in Yugoslavia** - *Pacific D, 4*
Chair: Kaitlyn Tucker Sorenson, U of Chicago
Papers: Antje Postema, UC Berkeley
"Grounded Attachments: Re-Inhabiting Yugoslav Spaces in Post-Yugoslav Fiction and Film"
Cristina Beretta, U of Klagenfurt (Austria)
"Post-Yugoslav War Literature and the Paradox of Division in the Name of Unity"
Miranda Jakisa, U of Vienna (Austria)
"YU-forija in South Slavic Literature"
Disc.: Vladislav Beronja, U of Texas at Austin

7-23 **Religion, Revolution and the Civil War: Russian Orthodoxy in the Early Soviet Context** - *Pacific E, 4*
Chair: J. Eugene Clay, Arizona State U
Papers: Scott M. Kenworthy, Miami U of Ohio
"Patriarch Tikhon and the Higher Administration of the Russian Orthodox Church during the Civil War"
Francesca Silano, Miami U
"Narrating the Russian Revolution: Russian Orthodox Leaders, Bolsheviks, Jews, and the Civil

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War"
Andrey Levitskiy, U of Oxford (UK)
"The Renovationist Movement in Russian Orthodoxy on the Revolution of 1917, Socialism, and 'The Counter-Revolutionary Church'"
Disc.: Page Herrlinger, Bowdoin College

7-24 **(Re)thinking the Labor History in Central and East Europe since 1945** - *Pacific F, 4*
Chair: Jakub Slouf, Institute for the Study of Totalitarian Regimes (Czech Republic)
Papers: Jakub Slouf, Institute for the Study of Totalitarian Regimes (Czech Republic)
"The Culture of Protest of Industrial Proletariat in Czechoslovakia, 1945-1969"
Ondrej Vojtechovsky, Institute for the Study of Totalitarian Regimes (Czech Republic)
"'Czechoslovakia Is Starting to Be for Us the Country of Labour Emigration': The Yugoslav Workers in the Socialist Czechoslovakia in the 1970s and 1980s"
Brian LaPierre, U of Southern Mississippi
"'He Went for a Volga, but Returned with Olga': Bulgarian Guest Workers in the USSR, 1968-1991"
Nadia Smiecinska, UC Davis Department of Sociology
"Workers' Will Lost: The Legitimization of the Free Market as the Only Avenue to Democratic Transition in Poland"
Disc.: Rory Archer, U of Konstanz (Germany)

7-25 **Scales of Reading: Theory of the Novel and the Digital Challenge** - *(Roundtable)* - *Pacific G, 4*
Chair: Marijeta Bozovic, Yale U
Part.: Bella Grigoryan, Bryn Mawr College
Chloe Kitzinger, Rutgers, The State U of New Jersey
Ilya Kliger, New York U
Daniil Skorinkin, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
Alexey Vdovin, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)

7-26 **Eating (Like) Animals: Politics and the Pleasure of Meat in the Soviet Union** - *Pacific H, 4*
Chair: Tyler Adkins, Princeton U
Papers: Svetlana Tcareva, Yale U
"Staying Human in Slaughterhouses: The Vulnerability of (Soviet) Flesh"
Milla (Lioudmila) Fedorova, Georgetown U
"Food as a Vehicle in Mikhail Bulgakov and Igor Efimov: From Animals to Man and Back Again"
Olga Smolyak, U of Oxford (UK)
"Pel'meny as a Literary Device and a Biographical Fact"
Disc.: Elena Fratto, Princeton U

7-27 **Philosophy and Form throughout Dostoevsky's Creative Corpus** - *Pacific I, 4*
Chair: Lindsay Marie Ceballos, Lafayette College
Papers: Kit Pribble, UC Berkeley
"Reason and Aesthetic Knowledge in Dostoevsky's 'Belye nochi'"
Semyon Leonenko, UC Berkeley
"'Form Won't Run Away': Patterns of Paronomasia in 'Crime and Punishment'"
Braxton Boyer, U of Toronto (Canada)
"'He That Loveth Not Knoweth Not God': Love as an Answer to Ivan Karamazov's Negation of God"
Disc.: Julian W Connolly, U of Virginia

7-28 **Everyday Gender Inequality in Russia: Domestic Violence, Business, and the Courts** - *Pacific J, 4*
Chair: Meri Kulmala, U of Helsinki (Finland)
Papers: Donna Bahry, Pennsylvania State U
Carol Ruth Nechemias, Pennsylvania State U, Harrisburg

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"Russia's Small and Medium Sized Business Sector: Prospects for Gender Equality?"
Janet Elise Johnson, CUNY Brooklyn College
"More and Less than De-criminalization: The Complex Politics of Domestic Violence in Today's Russia"
Lisa McIntosh Sundstrom, U of British Columbia (Canada)
Valerie Sperling, Clark U
"Russian Gender Discrimination Cases at Home and Abroad"
Disc.: Alfred Burney Evans, California State U, Fresno

7-29 **Policing, Crime, and Corruption in the Late Soviet Union** - *Salon 1, LB2*
Chair: Barbara Martin, Independent Scholar (Switzerland)
Papers: Rhiannon Dowling, Columbia U
"A Fishing Expedition in Sochi: The Popular Origins of a Late Soviet Anti-corruption Campaign"
Riccardo Mario Cucciolla, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"Corruption, Anti-corruption, and Glasnost: The Gdlyan-Ivanov Affair 1987-1991"
Robert Hornsby, U of Leeds (UK)
"Youth Protest and Policing in the Baltics after Stalin"
Edward Cohn, Grinnell College
"The KGB as Vice Squad: Profilaktika and the Struggle with Antisocial Behavior in Baltic Port Cities"
Disc.: Anton A Fedyashin, American U
James W. Heinzen, Rowan U

7-30 **Ukrainophilism in Late Imperial Kiev / Kyiv** - *Salon 2, LB2*
Chair: Louise McReynolds, UNC at Chapel Hill
Papers: Fabian Baumann, U of Basel (Switzerland)
"Niche Nationalism: Kyiv's Ukrainophile Milieu under the Ems Ukaz"
Heather J. Coleman, U of Alberta (Canada)
"Ukrainophilism and the Parish Clergy of Kyiv/Kiev Diocese"
Trevor Erlacher, U of Pittsburgh
"Ukrains'ka Khata and the Political Implications of Anti-Ukrainophilism"
Disc.: Serhiy Bilenky, U of Toronto (Canada)

7-31 **The Myth of Likhie Devianostye and the Politics of Memory in Contemporary Russia** - *Salon 3, LB2*
Chair: Markku Kangaspuro, U of Helsinki (Finland)
Papers: Olga Malinova, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"Framing the Memory of the Recent Past: Evolving Narratives about the Constitutional Crisis of 1993 (from 2003 to 2018)"
Tatiana Voronina, Laboratorium: Russian Review of Social Research (Russia)
"Comfortable Past in an Uncomfortable Time: Historical Memory about the Siege of Leningrad in the 1990s"
Zuzanna Bogumil, Maria Grzegorzewska U (Poland)
"Contested Commemorations Materialized: Sacred Memory Regime and Politics of Memory of Soviet Repressions since 90's to 2017"
Disc.: Dina Khapaeva, Georgia Institute of Technology

7-32 **Reform and Change in the Post-Maidan Ukraine** - *Salon 4, LB2*
Chair: Paul J. D'Anieri, UC Riverside
Papers: Lidiya Zubytska, Woodrow Wilson Center, Kennan Institute
"From Kyiv to Periphery: The Decentralization of Powers in the Post-Euromaidan Ukraine"
Megan Hauser, U of North Georgia
"Electoral Reforms at the National and Local Levels in Post-Euromaidan Ukraine"
Lena Surzhko-Harned, Pennsylvania State U
"European Values in Ukraine: Myth and Reality"

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Nataliia Kasianenko, California State U, Fresno
"Governance and Legitimacy. The Case of the Donetsk People's Republic"
Disc.: Olena Lennon, U of New Haven
Paul J. D'Anieri, UC Riverside

7-33 **Architecture and Society in Late Socialism** - *Salon 5, LB2*
Chair: Marie-Alice L'Heureux, U of Kansas
Papers: Alicja Gzowska, U of Warsaw (Poland)
Kacper Ignacy Kępiński, National Institute of Architecture and Urban Planning
"ZUS – The Dissonant Image of Polish Transition"
Ana Miljacki, MIT
"On the Aesthetic Project of Late Socialism: Appropriation and Transformation of Postmodern tropes in the Post-1968 Work of SIAL, Liberec"
Vladimir Kulic, Iowa State U
"Yugoslavia 1980: Architecture and the Lateness of Socialism"
Kuba Snopek, Kharkiv School of Architecture (Ukraine)
"Architecture of the VII Day"
Disc.: Lidia Klein, UNC at Charlotte

7-34 **Religion, Politics, Society, Cinema: Considering Wojciech Smarzowski's "Clergy" in Context .** - *Salon 6, LB2*
Sponsored by: East European Politics and Societies and Cultures
Chair: Joanna Rydzewska, Swansea U (UK)
Papers: Marcin Adamczak, Polish National Film School (Poland) / Adam Mickiewicz U (Poland)
"Clergy: The Cultural Dimension of Its Box Office Success"
Arkadiusz Lewicki, U of Wrocław (Poland)
"Polish Print Media about Wojciech Smarzowski's "Kler" ("Clergy")"
Piotr Zwierzchowski, Kazimierz Wielki U (Poland)
"Catholic Clergy in Polish Cinema after 1989"
Izabela Kalinowska-Blackwood, SUNY Stony Brook
"The Smarzowski Challenge: Clergy in the Context the Filmmaker's Other Work"
Disc.: Elzbieta U. Ostrowska, U of Alberta (Canada)

7-35 **1989: A 2019 Retrospect on Its Causes and Legacies** - *(Roundtable) - Salon 7, LB2*
Chair: Fredo Arias-King, Casla Institute (Czech Republic)
Part.: Mark Nathan Kramer, Harvard U
Robert W. Orttung, George Washington U
Svetlana Vitalievna Savranskaya, National Security Archive

7-36 **Book Discussion:"Russia: From Neoliberalism to Crony Capitalism: What Happened?"** by Anders Aslund - *(Roundtable) - Salon 8, LB2*
Chair: Peter Rutland, Wesleyan U
Part.: Hilary Appel, Claremont McKenna College
Anders Aslund, Atlantic Council
Steven Fish, UC Berkeley
Mitchell A. Orenstein, U of Pennsylvania

7-37 **Contemporary Narratives on Jews in Ukraine** - *Salon 10, LB2*
Chair: Marta Havryshko, National Academy of Sciences (Ukraine)
Papers: Daria Mattingly, U of Cambridge (UK)
"Jews in the Holodomor: Perpetrators, Bystanders, Victims"
David Roger Marples, U of Alberta (Canada)
"Current Narratives on Babiy Yar (Babyn Yar)"
Iurii Radchenko, ISMV "Kharkiv Collegium" (Ukraine)

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"Involvement of OUN (m) Activists in the Holocaust"
Andrii Usach, Ukrainian Catholic U (Ukraine)
"Local Perpetrators of the Holocaust in Nazi-Occupied Ukraine: Roles, Motivations, Perspectives of Research"
Disc.: Jeffrey Kopstein, UC Irvine

7-38 **Cinematic Appropriations of the Great Patriotic War: The Politics and Aesthetics of Wartime Childhood, Remakes, and Film Adaptations of War Narratives** - *Salon 11, LB2*
Chair: Greg Carleton, Tufts U
Papers: Zdenko Mandusic, Saint Louis U
"Believing the Soldiers on the Screen: The Film Adaptations of Viktor Nekrasov's Prose and the Experience of War in Soviet Literature and Film"
Anastasia G Kostetskaya, U of Hawai'i at Manoa
"The Soviet Baby: The GDR's Cinematic Myth of Origins"
Adrienne M. Harris, Baylor U
"The Dawns are Quiet Here Again: Renat Davlet'iarov's Post Soviet Revision of the Prewar Past"
Disc.: Greg Carleton, Tufts U
Jeremy Hicks, Queen Mary, U of London (UK)

7-39 **Nineteenth-Century Russian Radicals Revisited** - *Salon 12, LB2*
Chair: Jennifer Ryan Tishler, U of Wisconsin–Madison
Papers: Charles Byrd, U of Georgia
"The Myth of Napoleon in Saltykov-Shchedrin's 'History of a Town' and 'The Pompadours'"
Andrew M. Drozd, U of Alabama
"Reading in Chernyshevsky's 'What Is to Be Done?'"
Alexander Droznin, Harvard U
"The Enlightened Radical: Dmitry Pisarev's Aesthetic Theory as a Successor to 18th-Century French and German Thought"
Anastasia Tsylina, Brown U
"'The Question of the Expansion of Western Civilization': Aleksandr Pypin on Pan-Slavism and Slavic Nationalism"
Disc.: Victoria Y. Thorstensson, Nazarbayev U (Kazakhstan)

7-40 **Researching Russian Conservatism** - *(Roundtable)* - *Salon 13, LB2*
Chair: David Thomas Salkowski, Princeton U
Part.: Rebecca Anne Mitchell, Middlebury College
Oliver Ready, Oxford U (UK)
Paul Robinson, U of Ottawa (Canada)
Christopher Alan Stroop, Postsecular Conflicts Research Project

7-41 **The Vision of Belief in Serbian Culture** - *Salon 14, LB2*
Chair: Ida Sinkevic, Lafayette College
Papers: Ljubica D Popovich, Vanderbilt U
"'Instrumenta Martyrii' Used on Believers in Fresco Menologion in Dečani"
Vasilije Vranic, Catholic U of America
"New Believers of Old Beliefs: The Controversy"
Svetlana Tomic, Alfa BK U (Serbia)
"Women Intellectuals in the Serbian 19th Century Culture and Their Beliefs: the Importance of Discontinuity"
Disc.: Zivojin Jakovljevic, St. Sava Cathedral, New York City

7-42 **Sincerity as a Mode of Communication: from the Soviet Days to Contemporary Russia** - *Salon 15, LB2*
Chair: Ekaterina Alexeevna Chelpanova, U of Kansas

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Papers: Ekaterina Alexeevna Chelpanova, U of Kansas
"Guided Sincerity: Alexander Tvardovsky's Views on the Narratives of Trauma"
Jasmina Savic, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
"Who Is the 'Real' Limonov?–Bio/Pornography in the Context of New Sincerity"
Irina L Anisimova, Florida State U
"Authenticity on Display: The Case of Pussy Riot and Petr Pavlenskii"
Maria Karen Whittle, UC Berkeley
"Friendship of the Canons: Ethnographic Realism in Late Soviet Regional Literature"
Disc.: Benjamin Massey Sutcliffe, Miami U of Ohio

7-43 Petrine Russia and Beyond: The State of the Field - *(Roundtable) - Sierra A, 5*
Sponsored by: Eighteenth-Century Russian Studies Association
Chair: Olga Tsapina, The Huntington Library
Part.: George E. Munro, Virginia Commonwealth U
Olga Tsapina, The Huntington Library
Christine Diane Worobec, Northern Illinois U
Ernest Alexander Zitser, Duke U

7-44 A Nation Adrift: The 1944-1945 Wartime Diaries of Miksa Fenyő - *(Roundtable) - Sierra B, 5*
Chair: Shana Penn, Jagiellonian U (Poland)
Part.: John Kayl Cox, North Dakota State U
Piret Peiker, Tallinn U (Estonia)
Marius Iulian Petraru, California State U, Sacramento

7-45 Forms of Loyalty, Expressions of Faith: Russian Monarchs and Their Subjects in Life and Death - *Sierra C, 5*
Chair: Victoria S. Frede, UC Berkeley
Papers: Ekaterina M. Boltunova, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"(Un)crowned King of Poland: Alexander I's Symbolic Funeral in Warsaw in 1826"
Paul William Werth, U of Nevada, Las Vegas
"Destruction, Reconstruction, Belief: The 1837 Fire at the Winter Palace and Its Aftermaths (A Paper in Verse)"
Mikhail Dolbilov, U of Maryland, College Park
"The Mission of the Emperor's Alter Ego: The Imperial Family and Count Alexander Adlerberg"
Disc.: Richard S. Wortman, Columbia U

7-46 Belief – Geopolitics – Borderland. Central European Borderlands of Russia - *Sierra D, 5*
Chair: Joel J. Janicki, Soochow U (Taiwan)
Papers: Anna Janicka, U of Bialystok (Poland)
"Belief against Nationality? Orthodoxy in the Polish-Belarussian Borderland. Journalistic Discourses"
Robert Szymula, U of Bialystok (Poland)
"Means of Influencing Voters' Beliefs in the Election Programmes of Russian Political Parties"
Daniel Karczewski, U of Bialystok (Poland)
"Manifestations of Antisemitism in the Conservative Polish Press"
Disc.: Joel J. Janicki, Soochow U (Taiwan)

7-47 War Stories Re-Framed: Ego-Documents and New Narratives about the Second World War and Wartime Displacement - *Sierra E, 5*
Chair: Oleg Budnitskii, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
Papers: Erina Megowan, College of the Holy Cross
"Establishing One's Role in the War: Diaries from the 'Front' and Evacuation"
Sarah Cramsey, Tulane U
"The Other Diaspora: Polish Jewish Mothers and Their Children in Wartime Central Asia"

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Harry Merritt, Brown U
"'Best Daughters of the Nation': Gender and Nationality in Latvian National Formations of the Red Army"
Natalie Belsky, U of Minnesota Duluth
"Writing Oneself into the War: Evacuees Diaries during the Great Patriotic War"
Disc.: Brandon Schechter, New York U

7-48 **Between Center and Periphery: New Perspectives in Russian and Soviet History** - *(Roundtable) - Sierra F, 5*
Chair: Anna Marie Whittington, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
Part.: Andy Bruno, Northern Illinois U
Siobhan Hearne, Durham U
Erin Hutchinson, Harvard U
Orysia Maria Kulick, U of Toronto (Canada)
Anna Marie Whittington, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)

7-49 **Russian Metaphysical Poetry at the End of the 20th Century** - *Sierra G, 5*
Chair: Jacob Edmond, U of Otago (New Zealand)
Papers: Rainer Grübel, U of Oldenburg (Germany)
"The Poetic Works of Olga Sedakova and Vera Pavlova – the Art of Religion or the Religion of Art?"
Angelika Bettina Schmitt, U Trier (Germany)
"Metaphysical Perception and the Formation of Lyric Structures in the Poetry of Elena Shvarts and Olga Sedakova"
Katina Baharova, U Trier (Germany)
"Depiction of Angels in the Works of Elena Shvarts and Olga Sedakova"
Henrieke Stahl, U Trier (Germany)
"Death in the Poetry of Shvarts and Sedakova"
Disc.: Kirill Korchagin, U Trier / Vinogradov Russian Language Institute (Germany)

7-50 **The Hoover Library and Archives at 100: A Glance to the Past** - *Sierra H, 5*
Chair: Edward Kasinec, Columbia U / Hoover Institution
Papers: Bertrand Mark Patenaude, Hoover Institution
"By Way of Context"
Elena Schafer Danielson, Hoover Institution
"International Studies at Stanford before Hoover"
Anatol Shmelev, Hoover Institution
"Interwar Collector-Sleuths and Their Stories"
Simon Ertz, Hoover Institution Library & Archives
"War. Revolution. Peace? Collection Growth and Emphases in the First Decades"
Disc.: Lukáš Babka, National Library of the Czech Republic, Slavonic Library (Czech Republic)
Ekaterina Rogatchevskaia, British Library (UK)

7-51 **The Eastern Question and Visions of Empire** - *Sierra I, 5*
Chair: Theofanis G. Stavrou, U of Minnesota
Papers: Lucien Frary, Rider U
"The Embassy of Baron G. A. Stroganov to the Sublime Porte (1817-21) and the Beginning of the Eastern Crisis: The Quest for Serbian Autonomy"
Timothy McDonald, U of Minnesota
"Too Many Cooks in the Holy Kitchen?: Establishing a Russian Presence in Jerusalem after the Crimean War"
Victor Taki, The King's U (Canada)
"The Eastern Question and the Idea of a Franco-Russian Alliance in the Works of Michel Anagnosti (Late 1830s - Early 1840s)"

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John Athanasios Mazis, Hamline U
"Fake News and Dirty Tricks: Greek Interference in the Early Ottoman Elections"
Disc.: Gregory Lynn Bruess, U of Northern Iowa

7-52 **Czechoslovakia Post WWII: The Key Years of 1948, 1968 and 1989** - *Sierra J, 5*
Chair: Katalin Kadar-Lynn, Eötvös Loránd U (Hungary)
Papers: Petr Orság, Palacký U Olomouc (Czech Republic)
"The Leninist Adventure is Over. What is Beginning Now? The Fall of Communism in Central Europe as seen by Czechoslovak Exile Periodicals"
Zdenek Vaclav David, Woodrow Wilson Center
"Beneš and Stalin within the Context of Czech Political Tradition"
Francis D. Raska, Charles U in Prague (Czech Republic)
"Zdeněk Hejzlar: A Key Post-1968 Czechoslovak Exile in Sweden"
Disc.: Katalin Kadar-Lynn, Eötvös Loránd U (Hungary)

7-53 **Constructions of Belief: Hierotopy in Muscovy and its Antecedents** - *Sierra K, 5*
Chair: Ovidiu Olar, Austrian Academy of Sciences (Austria)
Papers: David Goldfrank, Georgetown U
"Rus Prelude to Muscovite Hierotopy"
Kevin Michael Kain, U of Wisconsin-Green Bay
"Ivan IV's Byzantine-New Jerusalem Scenario"
Daniel B. Rowland, U of Kentucky
"Muscovy as a Hierotopic State"
Disc.: Georg B. Michels, UC Riverside

7-54 **Social and Civic Life in the Teeth of Corruption in the Post-USSR** - *SOMA, 2*
Chair: Marina Zaloznaya, U of Iowa
Papers: Olena Lyubchenko, York U (Canada)
"Social Policy through Credit: The Case of Maternity Capital Benefit in Russia"
Daria Asaturian, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"Russian Manufacturing Enterprises during the Economic Crisis: The Effect of Accumulated Organizational Social Capital on Sales Dynamics"
Ararat Osipian, Institute of International Education
"Let Me Write a Dissertation for You: Faculty Misconduct, Corruption, and Doctoral Degree Fraud in Ukraine"
Alison Price-Rom, Drew U
"A Delicate Dance: Armenia's 'Velvet Revolution' and Its Impact on Relations with Russia"
Disc.: Marina Zaloznaya, U of Iowa

7-55 **Repchik: Russian Rap and Post-Soviet Culture** - *(Roundtable)* - *Walnut, B2*
Chair: Alena Gray Aniskiewicz, U of Michigan
Part.: Jason Cieply Cieply, Williams College
Rusana Cieply, UC Berkeley
Pavel Khazanov, Rutgers, The State U of New Jersey
Rita Safariants, St. Olaf College

7-56 **Economy of Putin's Russia: 15 Years of Deprivatization** - *(Roundtable)* - *Willow, B2*
Chair: Pavel Ivlev, KRES Poliskola
Part.: Kalman Istvan Mizsei, Independent Scholar (Hungary)
Holly Nielsen, Baring Vostok Capital Partners (Russia)
Maria Snegovaya, Columbia U

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Session 8 – Sunday – 4:30-6:15 pm

Film Screening 3 - *(Film)* - *Salon 8, LB2*

8-01 **Whither Kosovo** - *Foothill A, 2*
Chair: Steven E Meyer, Daniel Morgan Graduate School of National Security
Papers: Obrad Kesic, Republika Srpska Office for Cooperation, Trade & Investment (Bosnia-Herzegovina)
"The Kosovo Effect: Will An Agreement Between Belgrade and Pristina Destabilize the Balkans?"
Elez Biberaj, Voice of America
"Kosovo: Consolidating Statehood"
David B. Kanin, Johns Hopkins U
"Determining the Future of Kosovo"
Steven E Meyer, Daniel Morgan Graduate School of National Security
"Kosovo: A Peaceful Way Forward"
Disc.: A Ross Johnson, Woodrow Wilson Center

8-02 Book Discussion: **"Courage and Fear" by Ola Hnatiuk** - *(Roundtable)* - *Foothill B, 2*
Chair: Robert Ian Frost, U of Aberdeen (UK)
Part.: Aleksandra Hnatiuk, Centre for East European Studies (Poland)
William Jay Risch, Georgia College
Marci Lynn Shore, Yale U

8-03 **Literature between Russia and Asia I: From Russian Turkestan to Post-Soviet Central Asia** - *Foothill C, 2*
Chair: Anne Elizabeth Dwyer, Pomona College
Papers: Katya Elizabeth Hokanson, U of Oregon
"Complicating the View from Russian Turkestan: Elena Apreleva/Ardov"
Emily Laskin, UC Berkeley
"Liberty and License in Nikolai Il'in's Turkestan Novel"
Samuel Hodgkin, Colgate U
"From Nationalities Studies to a Poetics of Soviet Multinational Representation"
Leah Feldman, U of Chicago
"Staging Sex and Gender in Post-Soviet Tashkent"
Disc.: Claire Nadine Roosien, U of Chicago

8-08 **Late-Soviet and Post-Soviet Electoral Politics** - *Foothill H, 2*
Chair: Rudra Sil, U of Pennsylvania
Papers: Dima Kortukov, Indiana U Bloomington
"1990 Parliamentary Elections and USSR Dissolution: the Cases of Belarus, Ukraine, Russia and Georgia"
Julian Gordon Waller, George Washington U
"A Whig History of Electoral Authoritarianism? Post-Soviet Parliaments in Comparative Perspective"
Andrey Shcherbak, NRU Higher School of Economics St. Petersburg (Russia)
Tatiana Tkacheva, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"The Mechanisms of Ethnic Voting in Post-Soviet Russia: A Mixed-Methods Analysis of Causality"
Guzel Garifullina, UNC at Chapel Hill / NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"Political Leaders and Risky Decisions: The Effects of Selection Institutions on Russian Mayors' Policy Choices"
Disc.: Katie L. Stewart, Knox College

8-10 **The Role of the Siloviki in Russian Politics: Perspectives until 2024** - *Golden Gate C1, B2*

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Chair: Noah Buckley, Columbia U / NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
Papers: Anton Aisin, NRU -- Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"Replacing Regional Siloviki as a Tool to Create Credible Commitments between Governors and Business? Evidence from Russian Regions"
Harley D. Balzer, Georgetown U
"Are the Siloviki More Corrupt Than Other Russian Elites?"
Michael Rochlitz, U of Bremen (Germany)
Nikolay Petrov, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"Control over the Security Services in Periods of Political Uncertainty: A Comparative Study of China and Russia"
Disc.: Alexander Libman, Ludwig-Maximilians-U Munich (Germany)

8-11 USA-Russia Relations in Space: The Dynamics of Collaboration - *Golden Gate C2, B2*
Chair: Henry Lambright, Syracuse U
Papers: Henry Lambright, Syracuse U
"International Space Station as a Vehicle for Discussing U.S.-Russian Relations Building"
Catherine Gerard, Program for the Advancement of Research on Conflict and Collaboration (PARCC)
"Collaboration: The View from Public Administration"
Sean O'Keefe, Syracuse U
"US-Russian relations in NASA"
Disc.: Natalia Gulius, Tomsk State U (Russia) / Syracuse U

8-12 Economic Diplomacy in Post-Soviet countries - *Golden Gate C3, B2*
Chair: Tatiana M. Isachenko, MGIMO U (Moscow)
Papers: Tatiana M. Isachenko, MGIMO U (Moscow)
"Preferential Trade Agreements as an Economic Diplomacy Tool"
Maria Shilina, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"Interstate Economic Cooperation and Diplomacy on the Post-Soviet Space: Problems and Prospects"
Gevorg Avetikyan, European U at St. Petersburg (Russia)
"Prospects and Challenges of an Effective Iran – EEU Free Trade Zone"
Zhuang Shiqi, Moscow State U (Russia)
"Russia's Agricultural Reform and Agricultural Product Trade in 1990s"
Disc.: Mengqi An, Johns Hopkins U

8-13 Heritage in Migration: People, Collections, Repositories - *Juniper, B2*
Chair: Roman Yurchenko, Library of Congress
Papers: Angela Cannon, Library of Congress
"Mikhail Vinokouroff's Contribution to the Preservation of Russian-American Cultural Heritage"
Ekaterina Rogatchevskaia, British Library (UK)
"Collecting, Preservation, Discovery and Interpretation of Émigré and Diaspora Collections at the British Library: Theoretical and Practical Background of Ongoing Research and Discovery Projects"
Janet Zmroczek, The British Library (UK)
"The Polish Diaspora in the UK 1830-1863: Transnational Communities and the Preservation/Creation of Cultural Heritage"
Disc.: Anatol Shmelev, Hoover Institution

8-14 Ramification of Thrownness: Vagrancy, Homelessness, and Alienation in Russian Literature - *Laurel, B2*
Chair: Tetyana Dzyadevych, U of Illinois at Chicago
Papers: Brendan Nieubuurt, Columbia U
"The Poetics of Alterity and Addiction in Erofeev's Moskva-Petushki"
Dmitrii Kuznetsov, U of Southern California

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"'Riadom Skvoz' Steklo Okon': Imagery of Alienation in the Poetry of Boris Poplavskii"
Volha Seliazniova, U of Southern California
"Quo Vadis: Construction of Vagrancy in Platonov's Chevengur"
Disc.: Frederick H White, Utah Valley U

8-19 **Official Art Beyond Belief: Reexamining the Practice of Socialist Realism in the Visual Arts: 1933-1991** - *Pacific A, 4*
Chair: Susan E. Reid, Loughborough U (UK)
Papers: Cécile Pichon-Bonin, CNRS
"Believe in Images, Believe in Reality: Socialist Realism for Children in the 1930s"
Angelina Lucento, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"Collectivist Socialist Realism: The October Association and the Radicalization of Soviet Monumental Painting in the 1930s"
Adrienn Kacsor, Northwestern U
"Unmasking the Enemy: The Socialist Realist Vision against Social Fascism"
Juliette Milbach, EHESS (France)
"How Laughing on Abstraction will Enhance the Socialist Realism (1956-1968)"
Disc.: Kathleen Moir Tahk, Northwestern U

8-20 **Nuclear Culture in the Cold War and its Aftermath: Radiation, Risk, and Belief** - *Pacific B, 4*
Chair: Andrew Jenks, California State U, Long Beach
Papers: Caitlin E. Murdock, California State U, Long Beach
"'Lab Rats for Science:' Political Prisoners, Czechoslovak Uranium, and West German Understandings of Radiation Risk, 1955-1970"
Melanie Arndt, Leibniz Institute for East and Southeast European Studies (Germany)
"Radiant Jesus. Religion and Spirituality after Chernobyl"
Magdalena Edyta Stawkowski, U of South Carolina
"Doctor's Orders, Fifty Grams of Vodka: Normalizing Ill Health and Residual Radioactivity on the Soviet-Era Nuclear Test Site in Kazakhstan"
Disc.: Paula Michaels, Monash U (Australia)

8-21 **Gaming Russian and Soviet History: Reacting to the Past in the Classroom** - *(Roundtable)* - *Pacific C, 4*
Chair: Rebecca Jane Stanton, Columbia U
Part.: Barbara C. Allen, La Salle U
Sally Anne Boniece, Frostburg State U
David Ian Burrow, U of South Dakota
John Carter McKnight, Harrisburg U
Amy Forster Rothbart, Hartwick College

8-22 **State, Party, and Society during the Russian Civil War** - *Pacific D, 4*
Chair: Frank Wcislo, Vanderbilt U
Papers: Dakota Irvin, UNC at Chapel Hill
"Origins of the Party-State Apparatus"
Peter Fraunholtz, Northeastern U
"The Food Supply Dictatorship in Practice: The Case of Penza Province"
Michael Seidman, UNC at Wilmington
"Food Coercion in Major Twentieth-Century Civil Wars: a Comparative Perspective"
Disc.: Frank Wcislo, Vanderbilt U

8-23 **The Russian Press Across the Revolutionary Era** - *Pacific E, 4*
Chair: Matthew Klopfenstein, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
Papers: Felix Day Cowan, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
"How Large was the Late Imperial Russian Public Sphere? An Investigation into the Audience of

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the Penny Press"
Franziska Schedewie, U of Jena (Germany)
"Future Expectations in the Press upon the February Revolution"
Aleksandr Reznik, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"Making the Cult of Leaders in the Russian Civil War Propaganda Press"
Disc.: Dennis Dierks, U of Jena (Germany)

8-24 Disability in Socialist and Post-Socialist Countries - *Pacific F, 4*
Chair: Filip Herza, Institute of Ethnology CAS (Czech Republic)
Papers: Kateřina Kolárová, Charles U in Prague (Czech Rep.)
"'Those Who Will Never Catch Up:" Post-Socialism and Paradoxes of Rehabilitative Citizenship"
Claire L Shaw, U of Warwick (UK)
"'Just Like It Is at Home!' Being Deaf across the Socialist Bloc"
Natalia Pamula, U at Buffalo
"'Feels Like a Vacation:' Disability, Motherhood, and Rights in Socialist and Post-Socialist Poland"
Disc.: Filip Herza, Institute of Ethnology CAS (Czech Republic)

8-25 Rethinking Roman Jakobson: Shifts in the Studies of Humanities - *Pacific G, 4*
Chair: Andrei Ustinov, The Old School
Papers: Jindrich Toman, U of Michigan
"Roman Jakobson as a Public Intellectual: The War Years"
Ekaterina Velmezova, Russian Academy of Sciences (Russia), U of Lausanne (Switzerland)
"Roman Jakobson and His Role in the Development of the Tartu-Moscow School"
Vasily Sergeyevich Lvov, CUNY Graduate Center / Moscow State U (Russia)
"Roman Jakobson and the Problem of Literary and Linguistic Evolution"
Andrei Ustinov, The Old School
"Shifts in Literary Theory: Roman Jakobson and Boris Tomashevsky from the 1920s to 1950s"
Disc.: Galin Tihanov, Queen Mary, U of London (UK)
Igor Pilshchikov, UCLA

8-26 Deformation and Decline: Decadent Belief Systems in Russian Modernity - *Pacific H, 4*
Chair: Olga Matich, UC Berkeley
Papers: Jonathan Craig Stone, Franklin & Marshall College
"A Decadent Metaphysics: Fin-de-siècle Anxiety and the Cultural Contexts of Early Modernism"
Jenifer Presto, U of Oregon
"Slow Poison: Gippius, Taormina, and Europe's Tarantella"
Colleen McQuillen, U of Illinois at Chicago
"Botanical Decadence: The Wondrous Imagery of Deformation in Elena Guro"
Disc.: Evgenii Bershtein, Reed College

8-27 The North American Dostoevsky Society: The Idiot Approaching Modernity - *Pacific I, 4*
Sponsored by: North American Dostoevsky Society
Chair: Susan McReynolds, Northwestern U
Papers: Brian Arthur Armstrong, Augusta U
"Can Idiots Become Human?"
Brian R. Johnson, Macalester College
"Modernity and Medicine in The Idiot"
Katya Jordan, Brigham Young U
"'It's All One Big Fantasy': Memory, Identity, and Modernity in The Idiot"
Disc.: Kate Rowan Holland, U of Toronto (Canada)

8-28 State of the Field for Transgender Slavists - *(Roundtable)* - *Pacific J, 4*
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Chair: Cecil Leigh Wilson, U of Wisconsin-Madison
Part.: Kayleigh Fischietto, Indiana U Bloomington
Raisa Shapiro, U of Illinois
Cecil Leigh Wilson, U of Wisconsin-Madison
Ruth Wurl, Stanford U

8-29 Re/Presenting Beliefs. Dissidents and the Media - *Salon 1, LB2*
Chair: Rossen Djagalov, New York U
Papers: Maxim Matusevich, Seton Hall U
"'Freedom Is a Constant Struggle': Angela Davis in Soviet Popular Culture and Imagination"
Meredith L Roman, SUNY Brockport
"The 'Trial of the Four' and the Panther 21: Human Rights, the U.S. and Soviet Press, and the Ideology of National Security"
Maike Lehmann, U of Cologne (Germany)
"Reluctant Prophets, Frustrated Intellectuals: Exiled Soviet Dissidents and the Western Public during the late Cold War"
Disc.: Dina Fainberg, U of London (UK)

8-30 Tracing Mobile Populations at the Russian Imperial Periphery: 1885-1921 - *Salon 2, LB2*
Chair: Jan Musekamp, U of Pittsburgh
Papers: Siobhan Hearne, Durham U
"Prostitution as Migratory Labour in the Late Russian Empire"
Jonathan Rowson, U of Nottingham (UK)
"'We are Waiting for a Response': The Petitions of Perm' Province's Siberia-bound Settlers, 1885-1914"
Yuexin Rachel Lin, U of Exeter (UK)
"From 'Kazakhs' to 'Cossacks:' 'Russian' Refugees and Warlord Politics in Xinjiang, 1916-1921"
Disc.: Lewis Henry Siegelbaum, Michigan State U

8-31 History, Memory, and Identity in Eastern European and Eurasian Politics - *Salon 3, LB2*
Chair: Eric Lohr, American U
Papers: Richard Alan Arnold, Muskingum U
"History as Ideology: Comparing Origin Myths of Russian and Ukrainian Cossacks"
Andrii Nekoliak, U of Tartu (Estonia)
"'Memory Laws' and Historical Memory Regulation: the Patterns of Legislative Engagement with the Past in Ukraine, Poland, and Estonia 1991-2018"
Victor Apryshchenko, Southern Federal U (Russia)
Sergey Popenko, Southern Federal U (Russia)
"Patriotism as Populism: Memory and Identity in (Non)contemporary Russia"
Ondrej Slacalek, Charles U (Czech Republic)
"Christianism without Christians? The Re-Legitimation of the Czech Catholic Church through Civilizational Discourse"
Disc.: Todd Halsey Nelson, Cleveland State U

8-32 Urban Activism and Political Development in the Post-Soviet States - *Salon 4, LB2*
Chair: Mark R. Beissinger, Princeton U
Papers: Jan Matti Dollbaum, U of Bremen (Germany)
Elena Sirotkina, Higher School of Economics (Russia)
Andrei Semenov, Yale U
"Who Supports Opposition Campaigns in Electoral Authoritarianism? Evidence from Alexei Navalny's Presidential Campaign 2017/18"
Katerina Ivanovna Tertytchnaya, U College London (UK)
"'This Rally Is Not Sanctioned': Pre-emptive Repression and Protests in Autocracies"
Timothy Model, Indiana U Bloomington

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"Types of Corruption Exposure, Corruption Perceptions, and Political Participation"
Stas Gorelik, George Washington U
"Unexpected and Non-Colored? The Roles of Trigger Events in Ukraine's Euromaidan, Armenia's Velvet Revolution, and Moldova's 2015-16 Anti-Corruption Protests"
Disc.: Mark R. Beissinger, Princeton U
Graeme Robertson, UNC at Chapel Hill

8-33 **New Horizons in the Urban History of State Socialism** - *(Roundtable) - Salon 5, LB2*
Chair: Brigitte Le Normand, U of British Columbia Okanagan (Canada)
Part.: Nikolay Erofeev, U of Oxford (UK)
Steven E. Harris, U of Mary Washington
Petr Roubal, Institute of Contemporary History CAS (Czech Republic)
Nari Shelekpayev, Sciences Po Paris (France)
Kimberly Elman Zarecor, Iowa State U

8-34 **Ukraine's Media in a 'Post-Truth' Era** - *Salon 6, LB2*
Chair: Marta Dyczok, U of Western Ontario (Canada)
Papers: Marta Dyczok, U of Western Ontario (Canada)
"Journalistic Standards in Conditions of War in Ukraine (2014-2018)"
Natalya Ryabinska, Collegium Civitas (Poland)
"Politics as a Joke: The Case of Volodymyr Zelensky's Comedy Show in Ukraine"
Roman Horbyk, Umeå U (Sweden)
"From Viral Lore to Trojan Media: Narrative Structures in 'Fake News' Around Russo-Ukrainian War"
Disc.: Peter Gross, U of Tennessee

8-35 **Was it Possible to Live in Internal Emigration in the Post-Stalin U.S.S.R.?"** - *Salon 7, LB2*
Chair: Sergey Glebov, Smith College / Amherst College / Ab Imperio
Papers: Laurie Manchester, Arizona State U
"Internal Emigration: One of the Strategies Some Repatriates from China Adopted in the Soviet Union"
Emily Bruderle Baran, Middle Tennessee State U
"To Serve God or Mammon: Internal Emigration as an Alternative to Emigration Abroad in the Late Cold War"
Juliane Fuerst, Center for Contemporary History (Germany)
"'We Did Not Know Where We were Going, but We Knew What We were Escaping From': Soviet Hippies as Inner Emigrants and Outer Immigrants"
Disc.: Sheila Fitzpatrick, U of Sydney (Australia)

8-37 **Between Nationalism and Internationalism: East-European Jewish Identities in the Post-World War II era.** - *Salon 10, LB2*
Chair: Alex Moshkin, U of Toronto (Canada)
Papers: Yarden Avital, Rutgers, The State U of New Jersey
"Changing Meanings, Shifting Identities: The Jewish Anti-Fascist Committee in the Post-War Years"
Sarah Jean Gavison, U of Colorado, Boulder
"Stalin's Zionism? East-European Jews in Early Cold War Soviet Policy"
Katerina Capkova, Institute of Contemporary History ASCR (Czech Republic)
"Beyond Slánský Trial: Jews in Communist Czechoslovakia"
Disc.: David Shneer, U of Colorado at Boulder

8-38 **Ambiguous Images. New Perspectives on the Cinema of the Soviet Thaw** - *(Roundtable) - Salon 11, LB2*
Chair: Alex Averbuch, U of Toronto (Canada)

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Part.: Sabine Haensgen, U of Zurich (Switzerland)
Alexander Markin, U of Zurich (Switzerland)
Matthias Schwartz, Leibniz Center for Literary and Cultural Research Berlin (Germany)
Barbara Wurm, Humboldt U (Germany)

8-39 Nationalizing Russian Literature: How Literary Institutions Shaped the Canon in the 19th Century. - *Salon 12, LB2*
Chair: William Mills Todd III, Harvard U
Papers: Andrey Fedotov, Lomonosov Moscow State U (Russia)
"Staging Theatre History: The Origin Myth and the Struggle for Autonomy in Russian Imperial Theatre"
Kirill Zubkov, St Petersburg State U (Russia)
"Constructing Russian Nation in the Age of the Great Reforms: Alexander Ostrovsky and the Canon of Russian Drama"
Raffaella Vassena, U of Milan (Italy)
"Classics for All? Book Publishing Industry and the Popularization of Dostoevsky in Late Imperial Russia"
Alexey Vdovin, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"How Russian Novel Came to School: Curriculum and Literary Canon in Late Imperial Russia"
Disc.: Jeffrey Peter Brooks, Johns Hopkins U

8-40 Mediating Desire and Memory in Postsocialist Central and Eastern Europe - *Salon 13, LB2*
Chair: Vincent Morrison Bohlinger, Rhode Island College
Papers: Vitaly Kazakov, U of Manchester (UK)
"Russian Sports Media Events and Memory Ecology: From 'Electronic Monuments' to 'Shapeshifting Digital Memory Colossi'"
Saara Maria Ratilainen, U of Helsinki (Finland)
"Post-Legacy Television in Russia"
Natalija Mazeikiene, Vytautas Magnus U (Lithuania)
"Constructing Post-Nuclear and Post-Industrial Identities in the Nuclear Tourism: Getting Insights from the Post-Apocalyptic Imagery of Chernobyl"
Matthias Meindl, U of Zurich (Switzerland)
"The Representation and the Performing of the Sexual Revolution in Post-/Yugoslav film. 1960s to Present"
Disc.: Mikolaj Banaszkiewicz, Jagiellonian U (Poland)

8-41 Literary Gerontology: How Older Characters in Contemporary Russian Literature Confront and Articulate Personal and Public Spaces, Boundaries, and Thresholds - *Salon 14, LB2*
Chair: Anna Muza, UC Berkeley
Papers: Jane Gary Harris, U of Pittsburgh
"Confronting and Contemplating Space, Boundaries and Thresholds through the Eyes of Liudmila Petrushevskaia's Older Characters in a Short Story, Novella and Drama"
Maija Könönen, U of Helsinki / U of Eastern Finland (Finland)
"Poetics of Space as Articulation of Old Age Senility in Russian Contemporary Short Prose"
Jehanne M Gheith, Duke U
"Still Alice, Still Elena: Novels, Clinical Work, Dementia"
Disc.: Elizabeth Ann Skomp, Sewanee: The U of the South

8-42 Fakes Without Borders: Forgery and Authenticity from the 18th to the 20th Century - *Salon 15, LB2*
Chair: Igor Khristoforov, Princeton U
Papers: Igor Fedyukin, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"Baron de Saint Hillaire: An French Impostor at the Court of Peter the Great"
Ekaterina Pravilova, Princeton U

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"Money, Forgery, and the Authenticity of Power in 19th Century Russia"
Catriona Helen Moncrieff Kelly, U of Oxford (UK)
"A Man for All Seasons: The Many Lives of Konon Molodyi"
Disc.: Ilya Vinitsky, Princeton U

8-43 **Believing Philosophy: The Russian School of Integral Knowledge** - *Sierra A, 5*
Chair: Trevor Wilson, U of Pittsburgh
Papers: Teresa Obolevitch, Pontifical U of John Paull II in Krakow (Poland)
"The Significance of Faith in the Concept of Integral Knowledge of Vladimir Soloviev"
Robert F. Slesinski, Independent Scholar
"S. L. Frank's Conception of Knowledge as a Belonging to Being"
Lawrence T Nichols, West Virginia U
"Sorokin's Integral Science: Grounding the Rational in Super-Consciousness"
Disc.: Randall Allen Poole, College of St. Scholastica

8-44 **Belarus: A Divided Nation?** - *Sierra B, 5*
Chair: Andrei Vladimir Korobkov, Middle Tennessee State U
Papers: Oleg Manaev, U of Tennessee / Independent Institute of Socio-Economic and Political Studies (Belarus)
"Media and Evolution of Public Opinion on Russia in Belarus from a Comparative Perspective"
Per Anders Rudling, Lund U (Sweden)
"Belarusian Long-Distance Nationalism in the Early Cold War: Mykola Abramchik, the BNR, and the CIA"
Elena Gapova, Western Michigan U / European Humanities U (Lithuania)
"Lives (Not) Well Spent: Autobiographies from the Opposite Sides of the Front Line"
Grigory Ioffe, Radford U
"Historical Memory in Belarus: Irreconcilable Narratives?"
Disc.: Samuel Gilmore Charap, RAND Corporation

8-45 **Forming Personal Impressions: Foreigners Meet the Russians and Soviets** - *Sierra C, 5*
Chair: Adrienne M. Harris, Baylor U
Papers: Svetlana Evgenievna Paulson, Southern Arkansas U
"Face to Face With the Tsars' Capital: Americans in the Streets of Imperial St. Petersburg"
Liana Kirillova, Southern Illinois U Carbondale
"Friendship Projects: The Development of the Student Construction Movement in Socialist Europe, the 1960s-1980s"
Anna Popkova, Western Michigan U
"Americans in Putin's Russia: Navigating Daily Life and Narrating Russia-U.S. Relations"
Disc.: Matt Lee Miller, U of Northwestern-St. Paul

8-46 **Contemporary Slovene Dialectology, Phonology, and Sociolinguistics** - *Sierra D, 5*
Chair: Katarzyna Dziwirek, U of Washington
Papers: Gasper Begus, U of Washington
"Žiri Valley and Its Tonal System"
Peter Jurgec, U of Toronto (Canada)
"Consonant Harmony in Zadrečka Valley Slovenian"
Grant H. Lundberg, Brigham Young U
"Slovenian Identity and Language: Kaj je pravi Slovenec?"
Disc.: Wayles Browne, Cornell U

8-47 **The Experience and Memory of World War II** - *Sierra E, 5*
Chair: Antony Kalashnikov, U of Oxford (UK)
Papers: MayaLisa Holzman, Oregon State U-Cascades
"The Memory of Occupation during and after the Great Patriotic War"
Yan Mann, Arizona State U

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"The Khrushchev Thaw: Criticizing the Official History of the Great Patriotic War"
Jonathan Brunstedt, Texas A&M U
"Kulikovo, 1980: Russian War Memory in the Age of Late Socialism"
Disc.: Steven G Jug, Baylor U

8-48 What's New, Kids? The State of the Field in the History of Childhood - *(Roundtable) - Sierra F, 5*
Sponsored by: Childhood in Eastern Europe and Russia (ChEEER)
Chair: Karl D. Qualls, Dickinson College
Part.: Julie K. deGraffenried, Baylor U
Matthew Pauly, Michigan State U
Karl D. Qualls, Dickinson College
Laura Todd, U of Nottingham (UK)

8-49 The Poetry of Ugly Beauty - *Sierra G, 5*
Chair: Ilja Kukuj, Ludwig-Maximilians-U Munich (Germany)
Papers: Polina Barskova, Hampshire College
"Damage Writing in the Work of the Siege Poets (1942)"
Ainsley Morse, Pomona College
"Vtoroi Mandelstam: Roald Mandelstam as the Incarnation of Leningrad Unofficial Poetry"
Harriet Lisa Murav, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
"Leyb Kvitko's Pogrom Creatures"
Disc.: Ilja Kukuj, Ludwig-Maximilians-U Munich (Germany)

8-50 Slavic & East European Library Collaboration Writ Large: The Research Collections and Preservation Consortium (ReCAP) Experience - *(Roundtable) - Sierra H, 5*
Chair: Margarita Nafpaktitis, Stanford U
Part.: Robert Harding Davis, Columbia U / Cornell U
Bogdan Horbal, New York Public Library
Thomas Francis Keenan, Princeton U
Lidia E. Uziel, Harvard U

8-51 The Politics of Cooperation and Competition in Central Europe's Deeply Divided Societies - *Sierra I, 5*
Chair: Robert Kent Evanson, U of Missouri-Kansas City
Papers: Philip J. Howe, Adrian College
"Competing Principals in an Under-institutionalized Party System: How District-Level Identities and Parliamentary Institutions Influenced Legislative Behavior in the Imperial Austrian Abgeordnetenhaus, 1896-1914"
Daniel E. Miller, U of West Florida
"Appointments to Czechoslovakia's Provincial Assemblies in 1928: An Exercise in Consociational Proportionality"
Thomas Anselm Lorman, U College London (UK)
"The Politics of Cooperation and Competition in Interwar Hungary"
Disc.: Carol Skalnik Leff, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

8-52 Cultural and Political Reinventions in 20th Century Hungary: Micro-Historical Approaches - *Sierra J, 5*
Sponsored by: Hungarian Studies Association
Chair: Bela Bodo, U of Bonn (Germany)
Papers: Kristina Poznan, La Salle U
"Apponyi and Károlyi: Hungarian Politicians' Self-Fashioning Abroad in the Prelude to WWI"
Leslie M Waters, Randolph-Macon College
"Territorial Revisionism and Political Reinvention: The Transformation of Andor Jaross"
Adam Farkas, Eötvös Lorand U (Hungary)

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"Gyula Háy and the Left-Wing Intelligentsia in Hungary after 1945"
Disc.: Mark M. Trotter, Indiana U

8-53 Multiethnicity as a Challenge for Tsarist Government in Late Imperial Period - *Sierra K, 5*
Chair: Ilya V. Gerasimov, Ab Imperio
Papers: Yoko Aoshima, Kobe U (Japan)
"Applying Experience in the Borderlands to the Empire: In the Case of Aleksandr Shvartz"
Bradley Davis Woodworth, U of New Haven
"The Mayors of Tallinn, 1877-1917: Estate and Nationality in Local and Imperial Politics"
Kimitaka Matsuzato, U of Tokyo (Japan)
"Politically Right, Socially Left – Populism of the Clergy of the Russian Orthodox Church in Right-bank Ukraine, 1905–1914"
Darius Staliunas, Lithuanian Institute of History (Lithuania)
"'Polish by Blood but Not by Descent': On Changing the Concept of Nationality in the Late Imperial Period"
Disc.: Ilya V. Gerasimov, Ab Imperio

8-54 Tobacco in Transition: Smoking in Eastern Europe and Russia from the 1960s to the Present - *SOMA, 2*
Chair: Joshua J. First, U of Mississippi
Papers: Tricia Starks, U of Arkansas
"The Marlboro Man on the Red Frontier: American Forays into the Soviet Market in the 1960s and 1970s"
Mateusz Zygmunt Zatonski, London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine (UK)
"When the West Came East: The Duality of US Influences on Tobacco Control in Post-Communist Poland"
Kathryn Elizabeth Stoner, Stanford U
"How Did Russia Butt Out? A Case Study of Putin's Tobacco Reform"
Disc.: Judyth Lynn Twigg, Virginia Commonwealth U

8-55 Music, God(s), and Godlessness in Russia: Past and Present - *Walnut, B2*
Sponsored by: ASEEES Russian, East European and Eurasian Music Study Group
Chair: Polina Dimcheva Dimova, Vanderbilt U
Papers: Olga Panteleeva, Utrecht U (Netherlands)
"Music, Spirituality, and Morality Politics in Putin's Russia"
Oksana Nesterenko, Stony Brook U
"Religious Revival in Soviet Music during Brezhnev Era"
Ani Abrahamyan, Indiana U Bloomington
"The Creative and the Transgressive in Pasternak's Istoriia Odnoi Kontroktavy"
Disc.: Kevin Michael Bartig, Michigan State U

8-56 Is the Russian Economy Growing? (1) - *Willow, B2*
Chair: Misha V. Belkindas, ODW Consulting
Papers: Alexey Leonidovich Vedev, Russian Academy of National Economy and Public Administration (Russia)
"Russia's Potential GDP – Sustainable Growth or Statistical Discrepancy"
Masaaki Kuboniwa, Hitotsubashi U (Japan)
"Russia's Global Value Chains with Vertical Specialization"
Yugo Konno, Mizuho Research Institute (Japan)
"Russia's Domestic Value-added in Exports in the Manufacturing Sector"
Disc.: Richard E. Ericson, East Carolina U
Iikka Korhonen, Bank of Finland (Finland)

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Sunday Evening Events and Meetings

6:15 – 6:45 PM

ASEEES Annual Meeting of the Members - *(Meeting) - Salon 7, LB2*

6:45 – 8:15 PM

Hungarian Studies Association - *(Meeting) - Pacific E, 4*
Carpatho-Rusyn Research Center - *(Meeting) - Laurel, B2*
Childhood in Eastern Europe and Russia (ChEEER) - *(Meeting) - Salon 5, LB2*
Czechoslovak Studies Association - *(Meeting) - Salon 3, LB2*
Early Slavic Studies Association - *(Meeting) - Pacific C, 4*
Slovak Studies Association - *(Meeting) - Walnut, B2*
Society for Albanian Studies - *(Meeting) - Foothill A, 2*
Contemporary Russian Queer Literature Reading - *Willow, B2*

6:45 – 8:30 PM

Memorial for Sasha Novozhenova - *(Reception) - Pacific A, 4*

7:00 – 8:30 PM

ASEEES President's Reception (by invitation only) - *SOMA, 2*

Contemporary Ukrainian Poetry Reading - *Foothills B, 2*

8:00 -10:00 PM

Indiana U Alumni Reception - *(Reception) - Pacific B, 4*

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Session 9 – Monday – 8:00-9:45 am

Committee on Libraries and Information Resources Subcommittee on Collection Development - *(Meeting)* - *Pacific F, 4*

9-01 **Belief and Populism: A Troubled Relationship** - *Foothill A, 2*
Chair: Klaus Segbers, Freie U Berlin (Germany)
Papers: Cosima Glahn, Freie U Berlin (Germany)
"Casting a Glance at the Problems of Working with the Term 'Populism'"
Daniel Hegedüs, German Marshall Fund of the United States (Germany)
"The Construct of the 'Christian Occident' in the Hungarian and Austrian Populist Discourse"
Sebastian Hoppe, Freie U Berlin (Germany)
"As Above, So Below? Populism as Legitimization Strategy in Putinite Russia"
Disc.: Klaus Segbers, Freie U Berlin (Germany)
Friedrich Asschenfeldt, Princeton University

9-02 **Poland Compared** - *(Roundtable)* - *Foothill B, 2*
Chair: Agnieszka Pasieka, U of Vienna (Austria)
Part.: James Edward Bjork, King's College London (UK)
Kathryn Ciancia, U of Wisconsin-Madison
Anna Muller, U of Michigan, Dearborn
Brian Porter-Szucs, U of Michigan
Genevieve Zubrzycki, U of Michigan

9-03 **Literature between Russia and Asia II: Asia in the Russian Classics, Russian Classics in Asia** - *Foothill C, 2*
Chair: Edward Tyerman, UC Berkeley
Papers: Edyta Bojanowska, Yale U
"Orientalism in War and Peace"
Ingrid Kleespies, U of Florida
"'A New Country'? Bashkiria and the Mythopoetics of the Russian Eastern Frontier in Sergei Aksakov's A Family Chronicle"
Susanna Lim, U of Oregon
"Singing Katiusha: Tolstoy's Resurrection in 1910s Korea"
Disc.: Edward Tyerman, UC Berkeley

9-08 **External Actors and Contemporary Balkan Tensions: A Framework for New/Old Conflicts?** - *(Roundtable)* - *Foothill H, 2*
Chair: Francine Friedman, Ball State U
Part.: Stefano Bianchini, U of Bologna (Italy)
David B. Kanin, Johns Hopkins U
Julie Mostov, New York U
Robert Craig Nation, Dickinson College

9-10 **"Exploring Folk Belief" in honor of Robert Rothstein** - *Golden Gate C1, B2*
Chair: Jill Mackenzie Martiniuk, U of South Florida
Papers: Elena E Boudovskaia, Georgetown U
"The Fatal Accident Story as a Genre in a Rusyn Village in Western Ukraine"
Jill Ann Neuendorf, Georgetown U
"'The Day of the Holy Spirit': Symbols, Traditions and Rituals."
Erin M. Collopy, Texas Tech U
"The Walking Dead of East Slavic Folklore"
Disc.: April Renee Bass, U of North Texas

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9-11 **Russia Beyond Realism? Reassessing Key Concepts of International Relations** - *Golden Gate C2, B2*
Chair: Paul Richardson, U of Birmingham (UK)
Papers: Iain Andrew Ferguson, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
Andrej Krickovic, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"Poles Apart? The Russian Translation of Neo-Realism"
Anne Clunan, Naval Postgraduate School
"Explaining Russia's Use of Force? Realism Meets Constructivism"
Andrei Melville, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"A Russian Paradox? Power and / or Influence in World Politics"
Disc.: Paul Richardson, U of Birmingham (UK)

9-12 **Credo: The Promise and Problems of Conducting Oral History Across the Former Yugoslav Borders** - *Golden Gate C3, B2*
Chair: Victor Peskin, Arizona State U
Papers: Keith S. Brown, Arizona State U
"Cracks in the Sealing: How Two Women Broke Open the Partisan Myth in Macedonia"
Marta Verginella, U of Ljubljana (Slovenia)
Urska Strle, U of Ljubljana (Slovenia)
"Divided Memories: Public Use of Oral History in Slovenia after 1991"
Anna Di Lellio, The New School
"Historical Dialogue in Post-Conflict Kosovo: Oral History and Graphic illustration as Memory and Context"
Joanie Andruss, Appalachian State U
"Foxfire in Montenegro: Oral history as Legacy and Pedagogy"
Disc.: Pamela Lynn Ballinger, U of Michigan

9-13 **Modernism and Material Culture** - *Juniper, B2*
Chair: Matthew Kendall, UC Berkeley
Papers: James Rann, U of Glasgow (UK)
"Dress Sense: Clothing and Meaning in Russian Futurist Poetry"
Dominick Lawton, UC Berkeley
"The Modernist 'Revolt of Things'"
Isobel Palmer, U of Birmingham (UK)
"Boris Pasternak and the Form of Things"
Disc.: Connor Brian Doak, U of Bristol (UK)

9-14 **After Russian Literature? New Trajectories in Vladimir Sorokin's Art in the 2010s** - *Laurel, B2*
Chair: Irina L Anisimova, Florida State U
Papers: Nariman Skakov, Stanford U
"Vladimir Sorokin's Graphic Art"
Dirk Uffelmann, U of Passau (Germany)
"Global Sorokin: 'Manaraga' and Reactionary Anti-Globalism"
Stehn Aztlan Mortensen, U of Bergen (Norway)
"The Art of Framing in Sorokin's 'Belyi Kvadrat'"
Disc.: Daniil Leiderman, Texas A&M U

9-19 **Exhibitions as Spaces of Artistic Contact during the Cold War** - *Pacific A, 4*
Chair: Kristóf Nagy, Central European U (Hungary)
Papers: Katalin Cseh-Varga, George Enescu National U of Arts (Romania) / U of Vienna (Austria)
"The Exhibition as an Ephemeral Site of Contact. The Collision of Conceptual Art, Performance and Sports."
Cristian Emil Nae, George Enescu National U of Arts (Romania)
"Exhibitions and Cultural Diplomacy: On the Reception of American Art in Romania during 1968-1974"
Diana Margarit, Alexandru Ioan Cuza U (Romania)

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"Cultural Exchanges, Alternative Narratives, Artistic Frames. The Non-Aligned Movement"
Disc.: Yelena Kalinsky, Michigan State U / H-Net

9-20 **Cultural Exchange in the Global Cold War** - *Pacific B, 4*
Chair: Ethan M. Pollock, Brown U
Papers: Yulia Gradskova, Stockholm U (Sweden)
"Women's International Democratic Federation, the Cold War and Women from Asia and Africa (1955-1965)"
Matyas Mervay, New York U
"The Representation of the PRC by Hungarians in the early 1950s"
Kayci Olson Harris, U of Wisconsin-Madison
"'Our Giselle is Muscular!': Femininity, Soft Power, and Cultural Diplomacy in Franco-Soviet Dance Exchanges, 1954-1972"
Severyan Dyakonov, The Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies (Switzerland)
"The Cold War in India: Soviet Teachers of the Russian Language in Indian Universities in the 1960s."
Disc.: Ethan M. Pollock, Brown U

9-21 **Valuing Difference: Diversity, Inclusion, and the Future Direction of Slavic Studies** - *Pacific C, 4*
Papers: Choi Chatterjee, California State U, Los Angeles
"Rethinking Slavic Studies for Students of the 21st Century"
Thomas J. Garza, U of Texas at Austin
"Inclusivity and Representation in Teaching Slavic Languages and Culture"
Martha M. F. Kelly, U of Missouri
"Inclusive Pedagogies in Russian Culture Courses: The Case of Non-Majors at a Large State University"
Ani Kokobobo, U of Kansas
"Making the Russian Culture Classroom More Inclusive"
Devin Culley McFadden, U of Kansas
"Queering the Russian Novel"
Roman Utkin, Wesleyan U
"Creating a Code of Conduct for ASEEES: Process and Design"
Cecil Leigh Wilson, U of Wisconsin-Madison
"A Transgender Perspective on Slavic Studies"

9-22 **Witold Gombrowicz & Reality** - *Pacific D, 4*
Chair: Joanna Trzeciak, Kent State U
Papers: Benjamin Paloff, U of Michigan
"The Real Life of Gombro"
Tamara Trojanowska, U of Toronto (Canada)
"Gombrowicz and the Reality of Evil"
Katherina Boicheva Kokinova, Independent Scholar
"Cosmos: The Excess of Reality"
Disc.: Daniel Webster Pratt, McGill U (Canada)

9-23 **The Politics of Knowledge Production** - *Pacific E, 4*
Chair: Nigel A. Raab, Loyola Marymount U
Papers: Leo Granberg, U of Helsinki (Finland)
"Pitirim Sorokin between East and West - Russian Traces in Rural Sociology"
Natalia Khanenko-Friesen, U of Saskatchewan (Canada)
"The Last Generation of Soviet Farmers Speaks Out: Agency, Collective Farming and Decollectivization in Ukraine"
Alena Aissing, UCLA
"Current Trends in Open Educational Resources and Their Implementation in Teaching Topics in Slavic Studies"

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David E. Fishman, The Jewish Theological Seminary
"Intellectuals in Hell: The Role of the Intelligentsia in the Vilna Ghetto"
Disc.: Nigel A. Raab, Loyola Marymount U

9-25 **Rethinking Literary Paradigms in the Soviet Union** - *Pacific G, 4*
Chair: Nina Murray, Independent Scholar
Papers: Olga Khometa, U of Toronto (Canada)
"Between Modernism and Socialist Realism: The Formal Inventiveness of Ilya Selvinskii's 'The Syvash Battle' (1933) and Pavlo Tychyna's The Party Leads (1934)"
Sharisa Aidukaitis, U of Virginia
"Poems of Home and Nation: Place in the Poetry of Anna Akhmatova and Lina Kostenko"
Luiza Moshkin, U of Toronto (Canada)
"Between Underground and Mainstream: The Case of Vysotskii and Voznesenskii."
Disc.: Oleksandra Wallo, U of Kansas

9-26 **Through Words and Beyond Them: Silence, Scent and Synesthesia in Russian Modernism** - *Pacific H, 4*
Chair: Ana Hedberg Olenina, Arizona State U
Papers: Alex Braslavsky, U of Oxford (UK)
"Reading Silence in the Quatrain: How Structure Gives Way to Memorialization in Anna Akhmatova's 'Requiem'"
Lidia Tripiccione, Princeton U
"Godina Gneva: Beyond the Political Interpretation"
Eva Troje, Princeton U
"From Decadence to Consumerism: Dust, Odor and Perfume in Petty Demon"
Veniamin Vadimovich Gushchin, U of Oxford (UK)
"Reevaluating Innokenty Annensky between Symbolism and Acmeism"
Disc.: Ana Hedberg Olenina, Arizona State U

9-27 **Tolstoy in Retrospect: Beliefs and Practices** - *Pacific I, 4*
Chair: Laurel Schmuck, Dalhousie U
Papers: Ania Aizman, U of Michigan
"Tolstoy and Mutual Aid: How Famine Relief Relates to Literary Aesthetics"
Maya Vinokour, New York U
"Pre-Revolutionary Influences in Stalinist Labor Culture"
William Scott Nickell, U of Chicago
"She Too: Reading the Private Life of the Author"
Disc.: Anna A. Berman, McGill U (Canada)

9-28 **New Approaches to Feminism in Slavic Studies** - *(Roundtable)* - *Pacific J, 4*
Chair: Saara Maria Ratilainen, U of Helsinki (Finland)
Part.: Ekaterina Kalinina, Södertörn U (Sweden)
Galina Miazhevich, Cardiff U (UK)
Inna Perheentupa, U of Turku (Finland)
Saara Maria Ratilainen, U of Helsinki (Finland)
Elena Anatolyevna Rodina, Northwestern U

9-29 **Terms of Transformation: Approaches to Soviet Economy Policy after Stalin** - *Salon 1, LB2*
Chair: Martin J. Blackwell, U of North Georgia
Papers: Nicholas Cameron Levy, Stanford U
"The City: Urban Space as Site and Subject of Economic Planning"
James Allen Nealy, Duke U
"The Factory: Labor Relations, Profits, and Incentives in Developed Socialist Industry"
Roman Gilmintinov, Duke U
"The Mine: Labor and the 'Gifts of Nature' in Resource-Dependent Production"

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Disc.: Kristy Ironside, McGill U (Canada)

9-30 Belief on the Periphery: Differentiation of Orthodoxy across the Russian Empire, 1830-1917 - *Salon 2, LB2*

Sponsored by: Association for the Study of Eastern Christian History and Culture

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

Papers: Alison Ruth Kolosova, U of Tartu (Estonia)
"The Sacred Tree: Transformation and Continuity in the Beliefs and Rites of the Turkic Chuvash of the Mid-Volga, 1840-1917"

J. Eugene Clay, Arizona State U
"The Evolution of Spiritual Christianity in the Caucasus, 1830-1917"

Barbara J. Skinner, Indiana State U
"Subtle Differences: The Converted Versus 'Ancient' Orthodox in the Belarusian Provinces, 1830-1855"

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

9-31 Public Memory of Communism and the Cold War - *(Roundtable)* - *Salon 3, LB2*

Chair: A Ross Johnson, Woodrow Wilson Center

Part.: Nadia G. Boyadjieva, Balkan Studies Institute BAS (Bulgaria)
A Ross Johnson, Woodrow Wilson Center
Noemi Marin, Florida Atlantic U
Norman M. Naimark, Stanford U
Vít Smetana, Institute for Contemporary History CAS (Czech Republic)

9-32 Human Rights in Russia: A Matter of Belief? - *Salon 4, LB2*

Chair: Lauri Malksoo, U of Tartu (Estonia)

Papers: Alexander Sungurov, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"Is There Orthodox Concept of Human Rights in Today's Russia?"

Dmitry Dubrovskiy, Center of Independent Social Research (Russia)
"Human Rights and Traditional Values in Russia – Reincarnation of Socialist Concept of Human Rights?"

Maria Smirnova, Manchester International Law Centre (UK)
"Russia's New National Idea and Its Connections with Human Rights"

Disc.: Lauri Malksoo, U of Tartu (Estonia)

9-33 Socialist Residential Landscapes at Mid-century - *Salon 5, LB2*

Sponsored by: Society of Historians of East European and Russian Art & Architecture

Chair: Diana Kurkovsky West, Northwestern U

Papers: Christina Elizabeth Crawford, Emory U
"Dialectical Housing Landscapes of Socialism: Practice and Theory of Unified Space"

Iulia Statica, Cornell U
"Beyond the Socialist Green: Ideologies of Domesticity and the Urban Courtyards of Bucharest"

Maria C Taylor, U of Michigan
"Cities Awash in Greenery: Fusing Courtyard and Countryside under Khrushchev"

Disc.: Kimberly Elman Zarecor, Iowa State U

9-34 Pragmatics of Provocation: Andrei Zviagintsev's Narrative Games and Discursive Strategies - *Salon 6, LB2*

Chair: Denis Saltykov, U of Pittsburgh

Papers: Maria Hristova, Lewis & Clark College
"Cinematic Depictions of Corruption in Andrei Zviagintsev's Leviathan"

Denis Saltykov, U of Pittsburgh
"Director Versus Interpretation: Symbolic Capital in Russian Auteur Cinema"

Ellina Sattarova, U of Pittsburgh
"Andrei Zviagintsev's Narrative Games: Leviathan and Loveless as 'Puzzle' Films"

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Disc.: Stephen Michael Norris, Miami U of Ohio

9-35 **Alexander Piatigorsky's Intellectual Legacy** - *(Roundtable) - Salon 7, LB2*
Chair: Mikhail Yu. Nemtsev, Georgetown U
Part.: Anton Grebennikov, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
Olga Meerson, Georgetown U
Max Miroshnichenko, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
Mikhail Yu. Nemtsev, Georgetown U

9-36 **Archival Reference and Contemporary Research Access in Russia and Ukraine: Beyond Belief 50 Years Ago** - *(Roundtable) - Salon 8, LB2*
Chair: Patricia Kennedy Grimsted, Harvard U / IISH (Netherlands)
Part.: Dima Frangulov, East View Information Services
Mark Nathan Kramer, Harvard U
Peter Ruggenthaler, Ludwig Boltzmann Institute for Research of War Consequences (Austria)

9-37 **New Directions in Challenging Entrenched Beliefs and Stereotypes in Interethnic Relations: Ukrainian-Jewish Encounter Case Study** - *(Roundtable) - Salon 10, LB2*
Chair: Berel Rodal, Ukrainian Jewish Encounter Initiative (Canada)
Part.: Gennady Estraikh, New York U
Yaroslav Hrytsak, Ukrainian Catholic U (Ukraine)
Serhii Plokhii, Harvard U
Alti Berthe Rodal, Ukrainian Jewish Encounter Initiative (Canada)
Myroslav Shkandrij, U of Manitoba (Canada)

9-38 **Revolution on the Margins: Re/Examining the Works of Soviet and Post-Soviet Women Documentarians** - *Salon 11, LB2*
Chair: Masha Shpolberg, Yale U
Papers: Anastasia Kostina, Yale U
"Art or Craft? Esfir Shub's The Fall of the Romanov Dynasty and Its Contemporary Reception"
Lilya Kaganovsky, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
"Women's Cinema as Haptic Cinema: Esfir Shub's Today, Lilya Brik's Glass Eye, and the Last Films of the Soviet Avant-garde"
Natalia Klimova, Princeton U
"Photographic Optics and Its Nameless Object: Marina Razbezhkina's Documentary Opticheskaya os' (2013)"
Disc.: Nancy Condee, U of Pittsburgh

9-39 **Cognitive Approaches to Russian Literature I** - *Salon 12, LB2*
Chair: Amina Gabrielova, Purdue U
Papers: Brett Cooke, Texas A&M U
"Seeking Subjectivity in Russian Hagiography and Oral Narrative"
David Powelstock, Brandeis U
"Lyric as a Cognitive Dimension of Discourse"
Joseph Nakpil, U of Southern California
"The Scent of Tobacco Flowers: Sense-Remembrance and Creativity in Ivan Bunin's 'The Life of Arseniev'"
Disc.: Tom Dolack, Wheaton College

9-40 **Speaking Identity: Language and Minority Identity Formation in Literature, National Arts and Law** - *Salon 13, LB2*
Chair: Karlis Verdins, Washington U in St. Louis
Papers: Indra Dineh Ekmanis, Foreign Policy Research Institute Fellow & Mellon/ACLS Fellow
"The Significant Insignificance of Language: Russian-speaking Youth and Latvia's National Identity"
Maija Burima, Daugavpils U (Latvia)

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"Russianness / Russian Cultural Imagination in Contemporary Latvia's Texts in Russian and Latvian"
Angelos Theocharis, U of Edinburgh (UK)
"In Dialogue with Russia: Community Literary Practices of the Russophone Diaspora in the UK"
Barbara Kopac, U of Ljubljana (Slovenia)
"Minority Language Policy Framework in Sweden and Slovenia"
Disc.: Karlis Verdins, Washington U in St. Louis

9-41 **Gender, Age and Power: Politics of Ethnography on the Jewish-Slavic Frontier** - *Salon 14, LB2*
Chair: Eliyana R. Adler, Pennsylvania State U
Papers: Karolina Szymaniak, U of Wrocław (Poland)
"Unmasking False Legends. Ethnography and Intercultural Capital in the Polish-Jewish Contact Zone"
Sarah Ellen Zarrow, Western Washington U
"Gender and Geography: An Analysis of Engagé Jewish Women Ethnographers in Poland"
Marek Tuszewicki, Jagiellonian U in Kraków (Poland)
"Neighbors, Intermediaries, Strangers: Old People within Jewish-Slavic Cross-Cultural Contact"
Disc.: Eliyana R. Adler, Pennsylvania State U

9-42 **Contested Histories, Divided Loyalties, Uncertain Futures: Gender, Religion, and Identity in Soviet and Contemporary Ukraine** - *(Roundtable) - Salon 15, LB2*
Chair: Joshua A. Sanborn, Lafayette College
Part.: Emily S. Channell-Justice, Miami U of Ohio
Diana Dukhanova, College of the Holy Cross

Kateryna Ruban, New York U
Jessica Marie Zychowicz, U of Alberta (Canada)

9-43 **Challenges and Strategies in Seventeenth-Century Muscovite Foreign Policy** - *Sierra A, 5*
Chair: Anna Graber, U of Minnesota
Papers: Alexandre Benoit, U of Toronto (Canada)
"Between Two Worlds: Novgorod and the Failed Candidacy of Karl Filip of Sweden to the Throne of Moscow"
Earl Joshua Hodil, Yale U
"Quarrel over Kola: Russo-Danish Conflict at the Turn of the Seventeenth Century"
Ievgeniia Sakal, Yale U
"Books for the Court: Diplomatic Gifts during the Regency of Sophia Alekseyevna"
Disc.: Erika L. Monahan, U of New Mexico / Dartmouth College

9-44 **Managing the Dynamics of Ethnical Diversity in Early Soviet Ukraine** - *Sierra B, 5*
Chair: Stephan Rindlisbacher, U of Bern (Switzerland)
Papers: Stephan Rindlisbacher, U of Bern (Switzerland)
"The Making of the Soviet Ukrainian Territory, 1919-1928"
Olena Palko, U of London (UK)
"Creating Borders, Constructing Identities: The Debates around the Creation of the Polish Autonomous District in Soviet Ukraine in the Early 1920s"
Amber N. Nickell, Purdue U
"'After the Wolf, Comes the Bear': Ethnic Germans and Jews in Southern Ukraine, 1922-1931"
Alexandr Voronovici, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"The Bessarabian 'Piedmont': Soviet Borderland Policies and the Establishment of the Moldovan ASSR"
Disc.: Francine R. Hirsch, U of Wisconsin-Madison

9-45 **Late Imperial Choral Music and the Redefinition of Russian Identity** - *Sierra C, 5*
Chair: Olga Panteleeva, Utrecht U (Netherlands)

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Papers: David Thomas Salkowski, Princeton U
"Codifying the Aesthetics of Worship: Russian Sacred Music and its Censors, 1897-1917"
Rebecca Anne Mitchell, Middlebury College
"Old Believer Chant as the Negotiation of Modernity"
Julia Carolin Mannherz, U of Oxford (UK)
"Choral Singing in Perm Province, 1896-1917"
Disc.: Catherine Evtuhov, Columbia U

9-46 **Belief in One Nation, One Language** - *Sierra D, 5*
Chair: Aleksandra Djuric Milovanovic, Institute for Balkan Studies, SASA (Serbia)
Papers: Wayles Browne, Cornell U
"Belief in Nationhood is Not a Necessary Condition for the Standardization of Languages"
Marija Mandic, Institute for Balkan Studies, SASA (Serbia)
"Minority Language Ideology in Habsburg Lands: The Case of Serbian Ethno-confessional Schools"
Krisztina Rácz, U of Oslo (Norway)
"Teaching the Language, Learning the Nation: State Language Acquisition in Late Socialist Yugoslavia"
Disc.: Tomasz S. Wicherkiewicz, Adam Mickiewicz U (Poland)

9-47 **Raphael Lemkin: Dimensions of His Life and His Concept of Genocide** - *Sierra E, 5*
Chair: Wilson Tharpa Bell, Thompson Rivers U (Canada)
Papers: David M. Crowe, Chapman U / Elon U
"Raphael Lemkin: The Lost Years, Imperial Russia, 1900-1917"
Ernest Alexander Zitser, Duke U
"Raphael Lemkin at Duke University"
Anton Weiss-Wendt, Norwegian Holocaust Center (Norway)
"Raphael Lemkin and the Politics of the Genocide Convention"
Disc.: Asya Darbinyan, Clark U

9-48 **Geographies and Infrastructures of Power: Center-Periphery Networks in the Russian Empire and Soviet Union** - *Sierra F, 5*
Chair: Joseph Kellner, UC Berkeley
Papers: Olena Petrenko, Ruhr U (Germany)
"Between Center and Periphery: The Sugar Barons and New Economic Development in Russian Empire in the Second Half of the 19th Century"
Katherine Zubovich, Ryerson U (Canada)
"'The Whole Country is Building Moscow': Exploring Late-Stalin-Era Networks of Marble, Steel, and Labor"
Sofia Andereevna Gavrilova, U of Oxford (UK)
"How to Study Periphery? The Soviet Idea of Kraevedenie"
Orysia Maria Kulick, U of Toronto (Canada)
"Non-Peripheral Soviet Peripheries: Networks of Power and Production in Ukraine"
Disc.: Deirdre Ruscitti Harshman, Christopher Newport U (Russia)

9-49 **Russian Poets as Seers and Innovators** - *Sierra G, 5*
Chair: Alexandra Smith, U of Edinburgh (UK)
Papers: Catherine Ann Ciepiela, Amherst College
"Seeing Things: Rilke and Tsvetaeva's long poems"
Evgeny Pavlov, U of Canterbury (New Zealand)
"Seeing Time in Arkady Dragomoshchenko's Novels"
Molly Thomasy Blasing, U of Kentucky
"Faith in Photos?: Visual Verification in M. Stepanova's Pamiati pamiati"
Disc.: Olga Peters Hasty, Princeton U

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9-50 **Preserving and Curating: Webarchiving of Central and East European Resources** - *(Roundtable) - Sierra H, 5*
Chair: George Andrew Spencer, U of Wisconsin–Madison
Part.: Thomas Francis Keenan, Princeton U
Liladhar R. Pendse, UC Berkeley
Anna Rakityanskaya, Harvard U
Alla Roylance, New York U
Gudrun Tatjana Wirtz, Bavarian State Library (Germany)

9-51 **Cities of Sin, Sex, and Spectacle: Budapest, Vienna, and Warsaw in the Early 20th Century** - *Sierra I, 5*
Chair: Nathaniel D. Wood, U of Kansas
Papers: Anita Kurimay, Bryn Mawr College
"From the 'Paris of Eastern Europe' to the 'Sinful City': Imagining Sex in Fin-de-Siècle Budapest"
Katya Motyl, Temple U
"The Erotics of Film in Fin de Siecle Vienna"
Michal J Wilczewski, U of Illinois at Chicago
"Sex in the Time of Sanacja: Sexual Liberation in Interwar Warsaw"
Disc.: Kamil Marcin Karczewski, European U Institute (Italy)

9-52 **Beyond Belief: The Contours of Real Existing Post-Socialism in East Central Europe** - *(Roundtable) - Sierra J, 5*
Chair: Ulf Brunnbauer, Leibniz Institute for East and Southeast European Studies (Germany)
Part.: Balazs Apor, Trinity College Dublin (Ireland)
Muriel Blaive, Institute for the Study of Totalitarian Regimes (Czech Republic)
Malgorzata Fidelis, U of Illinois at Chicago
John Paul Newman, National U of Ireland Maynooth (Ireland)

9-53 **Gift Giving in Muscovy** - *Sierra K, 5*
Chair: Michael S. Flier, Harvard U
Papers: Russell Edward Martin, Westminster College
"Brides, Gifts, and Social Solidarity in the Weddings of Muscovy's Rulers"
Sergei Bogatyrev, U College London (UK)
"Gift or Credit? The Circulation of Movables among the East Slavic Royalty, 14th–16th Centuries."
Maria Salomon Arel, Marianopolis College (Canada)
"The Gift in Diplomatic Practice in Muscovy: Beyond Moscow and the Throne Room"
Disc.: Daniel B. Rowland, U of Kentucky

9-54 **Expertise on Belief: Competing for Expert Knowledge on Religion in Post-Soviet Russia** - *SOMA, 2*
Chair: Marjorie Mandelstam Balzer, Georgetown U
Papers: Danis Garaev, Institute of Oriental Studies of the Russian Academy of Sciences (Moscow)
"The Production of Expert Knowledge on Islam in post-Soviet Russia: The Boundaries between Secular and Religious Expertise"
Kaarina Aitamurto, U of Helsinki (Finland)
"Religious Expertise and Contemporary Slavic Paganism in Russia"
Kristina Kovalskaya, PSL / GSRL / CETOBAC (France)
"Expertise on Religion or Expertise on Secularity? Orthodoxy, Atheism and Human Rights dealing with Secular Expertise on Religion in Russia"
Disc.: Lili Di Puppo, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
Gulnaz Sibgatullina, Leiden U (Netherlands)

9-55 **Listening to the Cold War** - *Walnut, B2*
Chair: Madigan Fichter, Holy Family U
Papers: Madigan Fichter, Holy Family U

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"'You Want Folklore, Well, We'll Give You Folklore': Rock 'n' Roll and 'National Ideology' in Socialist Romania"
Christopher E Silsby, Baruch College, CUNY
"Porgy and Bess: American Musical or Russian Opera?"
Lisa Booth, U of Florida
"Ady Rosner and the Case Against Jazz in Post-WWII Russia"
Joanna Curtis, New York U
"Land of Music No More?: West Germany's Cultural Crisis and Outward Gaze in the 1960s"
Disc.: Victor Petrov, U of Tennessee-Knoxville

9-56 **Is the Russian Economy Growing? (2)** - *Willow, B2*
Chair: James A. Leitzel, U of Chicago
Papers: Akira Uegaki, Seinan Gakuin U (Japan)
"Role and Significance of Russia and China in International Financial Market: Comparative Analysis of Stock Data"
Yulia Vymyatnina, European U at St. Petersburg (Russia)
"Economic Policy Uncertainty and (Ir)rationality Index: Case of Russia"
Shinichiro Tabata, Hokkaido U (Japan)
"Flow of Financial and Investment Resources among Regions in Russia"
Disc.: Michael V. Alexeev, Indiana U Bloomington
Barry William Ickes, Pennsylvania State U

Session 10 – Monday – 10:00-11:45 am

ASEEES Investment Subcommittee Meeting - *(Meeting)* - *Foothill I, 2*
Committee on Libraries and Information Resources Slavic and East European Microfilm Project - *(Meeting)* - *Pacific E, 4*
Film Screening 4 - *(Film)* - *Salon 8, LB2*

10-01 **Ethnic Cleavages and Conflicts in the Post-Soviet Eurasia: International, National and Sub-National Dimensions** - *Foothill A, 2*
Chair: Julian Gordon Waller, George Washington U
Papers: Alexey Bessudnov, U of Exeter (UK)
Andrey Shcherbak, NRU Higher School of Economics St. Petersburg (Russia)
"Ethnic Inequality in Hiring Across Russian Regions: A Correspondence Study"
Anastassia V. Obydenkova, Harvard U / NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"Proletarian Internationalism in Action? Communist Legacies and Attitudes towards Migrants in Russia"
Laura Eras, Ludwig-Maximilians-U Munich (Germany)
"The Effects of the War on the Social Distance between Linguistic and Ethnic Groups in Ukraine"
Farid Guliyev, Justus Liebig U Gießen (Germany)
Vera Axyonova, Freie U Berlin / U of Giessen (Germany)
"IO Conflict Management Strategies in Eastern Europe. Comparing the EU's and the OSCE's Responses to the Conflicts in Ukraine and Nagorno-Karabakh"
Disc.: Oxana Shevel, Tufts U

10-02 **Refugees and the Formation of Belief in Post World War I Eastern Europe** - *Foothill B, 2*
Chair: John Paul Newman, National U of Ireland Maynooth (Ireland)
Papers: Kamil Ruszała, Jagiellonian U (Poland)
"Far Away Home: Galician Refugees in Austria-Hungary during the First World War"
Keely Stauter-Halsted, U of Illinois at Chicago
"Borders and Bordering in the Polish Second Republic: The Role of Refugees in the Shaping of Modern Citizenship"
Eliza Johnson Ablovatski, Kenyon College

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"A Westward Moving East European Jew: World War I Refugee Experiences in Holocaust Survivor Life Narratives"

Disc.: Rebekah Klein-Pejsova, Purdue U

10-03 Empires of Literature: Russian and Non-Russian Voices from the Imperial Periphery - *Foothill C, 2*

Chair: Harsha Ram, UC Berkeley

Papers: Alexander Jacobson, Princeton U

"A Biblical Village under the First Five-Year Plan: Contrasting Pastorals within Boris Pilnyak's Tadzhikistan – sed'maia Sovetskaia"

Lyudmila Safronova, KazNPU named after Abai (Kazakhstan)

"'Creation of the World' Anew after the Collapse of the USSR (Based on the Kazakh Erotic Novel by B. Zhylkebayev)"

Anna Carolyn Oldfield, Coastal Carolina U

"'Don't Get in my Face Like Ashiq Peri': The Dueling Poetics of Azerbaijan's Most Famous Woman Bard"

Alexey Shvyrkov, U of Arizona

"Outliving the Collapse: Trauma and Memory in Contemporary Russophone Kazakhstani Literature."

Disc.: Nina Friess, Centre for East European and International Studies (Germany)

10-08 Beyond the Iron Curtain: Continued Belief in Communist Principles/Traditions. - *Foothill H, 2*

Chair: Karen Henderson, Comenius U, Bratislava (Slovakia)

Papers: Allyson Sinead Edwards, Swansea U / Eurasian, East and Central European Studies Women Academics Forum (UK)

"Reconstructing Russia's Militarised Past through the Mythologization of the Great Patriotic War in the Post-Soviet era."

Ivana Polic, UC San Diego

"'Democratizing' the Education: Changes in Elementary School Education in Independent Croatia."

Anna Glew, U of Manchester (UK)

"Commemorative Activity of Ordinary People in Post-Soviet Central Ukraine after the Euromaidan."

Disc.: Karen Henderson, Comenius U, Bratislava (Slovakia)

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

10-10 Academic Freedom vs. Pragmatism: Intellectual Exchange with Authoritarian Countries - *(Roundtable) - Golden Gate C1, B2*

Sponsored by: ASEEES Committee on Academic Freedom and Advocacy

Chair: Julie Anne Cassiday, Williams College

Part.: Nikolay Koposov, Emory U

Alexander Verkhovskiy, SOVA Center for Information & Analysis (Russia)

Ilya Zaslavskiy, Free Russia Foundation

10-11 Remapping National Identities at the Edges of Europe: Diplomacy, Foreign Policy, and Securitization - *Golden Gate C2, B2*

Chair: Robert Craig Nation, Dickinson College

Papers: Olena Lennon, U of New Haven

"Lobbying for Ukraine: Perceptions of Ukrainian Advocacy Groups on New Challenges and Opportunities in Influencing American Foreign Policy"

Michele Crumley, East Tennessee State U

"(Re) Establishing Regional Hegemony: Russia and Power Reconfigurations"

Vladimir Đorđević, Mendel U in Brno (Czech Republic)

Filip Gábor, Independent Scholar

"EU as an Actor of Human Security in Kosovo"

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Teodor Lucian Moga, Alexandru Ioan Cuza U (Romania)
"Assessing Romania's Potential Role as a Stability and Security Provider in the EU's Eastern Neighbourhood (the Cases of Moldova and Ukraine)"
Disc.: Robert Craig Nation, Dickinson College

10-12 **Documentary Politics: Working through Archives in 20th Century Central and Eastern Europe** - *Golden Gate C3, B2*
Chair: Stefano Bottoni, Hungarian Academy of Sciences (Hungary)
Papers: Sara Silverstein, U of Connecticut
"The Internationalism of National Minorities in Interwar Europe"
Emanuela Grama, Carnegie Mellon U
"Class, Property, and Political Belonging among Romania's Ethnic Germans during the Cold War"
Brigitte Le Normand, U of British Columbia Okanagan (Canada)
"Seeing Labor Migration: What Yugoslav Archives Tell Us about Migrant Workers (and What They Don't)"
Narcis Tulbure, Bucharest U of Economic Studies (Romania)
"Contested Numbers as Political Facts: Socialist Statistics in Romania and Across the Iron Curtain"
Disc.: Gregor Thum, U of Pittsburgh

10-13 **Russian Orthodoxy East and West** - *Juniper, B2*
Chair: Michal Chorosnicki, Jagiellonian U (Poland)
Papers: Elena Nikolaevna Pishcherskaya, Chita Institute of Baikal State U (Russia)
Olga Isaakovna Fleshler, Trans-Baikal State U (Russia)
"The Russian Orthodox Mission to North America via Siberia"
Bohdan Halczak, U of Zielona Góra (Poland)
"Russian Orthodox Penetration of Galicia Before World War I"
Jaroslaw Moklak, Jagiellonian U (Poland)
"Fr. Maxim Sandovich in pre-WW I Galicia"
Stanislaw Nabywaniec, Rzeszow U (Poland)
"The Other Sandoviches, Fr. Piotr and Son Anatol"
Disc.: Stanislaw Stepien, South-Eastern Research Institute (Poland)

10-14 **Orthodoxy and Politics in Slavic Cultural Context** - *Laurel, B2*
Chair: Myroslava Tomorug Znayenko, Rutgers U
Papers: Antonina Vitaliivna Berezovenko, National Technical U of Ukraine "Igor Sikorsky KPI" (Ukraine)
"Orthodoxy as a Tool for Political Mobilization: Ukrainian and Bulgarian Cases"
Nadieszda Kizenko, SUNY Albany
"Confession and Apology in Russian and Ukrainian Political Culture"
Lada Kolomiyets, Taras Shevchenko National U of Kyiv (Ukraine)
"Ukrainian Translations of the Bible and Liturgical Books under Communism: The Strategies and Ethics of Resilience"
Disc.: Valentina Borisova Izmirlieva, Columbia U

10-19 **Digital Art Histories: Opportunities and Challenges** - *(Roundtable)* - *Pacific A, 4*
Chair: Molly Brunson, Yale U
Part.: Christopher James Gilman, Occidental College Center for Digital Liberal Arts
Louise Hardiman, Independent Scholar
Ludmila Piters-Hofmann, Jacobs U Bremen (Germany)
Wendy R. Salmond, Chapman U

10-20 **"Believing in Peace and Freedom: Soviet Citizens and Foreign Friends during the Cold War"** - *(Roundtable)* - *Pacific B, 4*
Chair: Choi Chatterjee, California State U, Los Angeles
Part.: David S. Foglesong, Rutgers, The State U of New Jersey

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Matthias Neumann, U of East Anglia (UK)
Alexis Peri, Boston U
Christine Varga-Harris, Illinois State U

10-21 **Engaging Approaches to Teaching Central-Eastern Europe and Russia I** - *(Roundtable)* - *Pacific C, 4*
Chair: Johanna Mellis, Ursinus College
Part.: Johanna K. Bockman, George Mason U
Katalin Fabian, Lafayette College
Kathryn Julian, Maryville College
Johanna Mellis, Ursinus College

10-22 **New Approaches to Czechoslovak Dissent** - *Pacific D, 4*
Chair: Michaela Appeltova, U of Chicago
Papers: Jan Matonoha, Institute of Czech Literature CAS (Czech Republic)
"Injurious Identities, Wounding Attachments, and Dispositives of Silence: Gender, Czech Dissent Literature and Václav Havel's Essay Anatomy of a Reticence"
Daniel Webster Pratt, McGill U (Canada)
"The Brothers Topol, or Notes from the Prague Underground"
Brian Kruzick Goodman, Arizona State U
"Across the Gray Zone: US Writers and the Czech Jazz Section"
Disc.: Petra James, U Libre de Bruxelles (Belgium)

10-24 **Central European Intellectual History (1981-1991)** - *Pacific F, 4*
Chair: Victoria Elisabeth Harms, Herder Institute Marburg (Germany)
Papers: Dominik Zelinsky, U of Edinburgh (UK)
"'We Will All Be Sound Conservatives': British Intellectuals and Classical Conservatism in Czech Dissent"
Una Blagojevic, Central European U (Hungary)
"From Praxis to Praxis (Inter)national: Humanism and Nationalism of the Yugoslav Intellectuals"
Michal Przeperski, Institute of National Remembrance (Poland)
"Inventing Free Market Leninism? Dillemmas of the Last Communist Generation in Hungary and Poland"
Aleksandra Konarzewska, U of Tübingen (Germany)
"Andrzej Walicki's Critique of 'Solidarity'"
Disc.: Marci Lynn Shore, Yale U
Michal Mrugalski, Humboldt U Berlin (Germany)

10-25 **Points of Contact: How Russians Conceived the World and How the World Conceived Russians** - *Pacific G, 4*
Chair: Anand Dibble, Hampshire College
Papers: Nadja Berkovich, U of Arkansas
"Seroshevsky: Exile and Ethnography"
Botagoz Ussen, Harvard U
"Transnational Encounters: Russia and the Russians in the Fiction of Tanizaki Junichirô"
Masumi Kameda, MIT
"Mass Literature in the Age of Crisis: Soviet Mass Journalism and the American Federal Writers' Project"
Sara Jo Powell, Harvard U
"Russian Fan Receptions of King Arthur and the Matter of Britain"
Disc.: D. Brian Kim, U of Pennsylvania

10-26 **Celebrity, Ritual, and Individuality in Russian and Soviet Literature** - *Pacific H, 4*
Chair: Claire Whitehead, U of St Andrews (UK)
Papers: Olga Savchenko, U of Kansas

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"A Search for the Soul of America. Applying Tools of Cognitive Poetics to Voznesenskiĭ's Poetry Collection Triangular Pear"
Michael Gluck, Columbia U
"Below the Lighthouse: The Mayakovsky Square Poetry Readings as Ritual"
Alexandra Harrington, Durham U (UK)
"Celebrity and Belief: The Death of Sergei Esenin"
Matthew David McWilliams, Yale U
"How Goncharov's 'Alekseev' is Made: Minorness, Type, and Personhood in Oblomov"
Disc.: Alec Brookes, Memorial U of Newfoundland (Canada)

10-27 **Chekhov between Realism and Modernism** - *Pacific I, 4*
Chair: Irina Sirotkina, RAS Institute for the History of Science and Technology (Russia)
Papers: Elizabeth Frances Geballe, Indiana U Bloomington
"Diagnosing Chekhov"
Matthew Mangold, Georgia Institute of Technology
"An Environmental Psychology: Space and the Mind in Chekhov"
Valeriia Mutc, Yale U
"Performing the Untellable in Chekhov"
Disc.: Melissa Lynn Miller, U of Notre Dame

10-28 **New Books on Gender in Russian Literature and Culture** - *(Roundtable) - Pacific J, 4*
Chair: Hilde M. Hoogenboom, Arizona State U
Part.: Angela Brintlinger, Ohio State U
Irina Viktorovna Glushchenko, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
Olga Peters Hasty, Princeton U
Anastasia Lakhtikova, Independent Scholar
Michele Leigh, Southern Illinois U
Lora Wheeler Mjolsness, UC Irvine
Anne Eakin Moss, Johns Hopkins U

10-29 **The Thaw in Culture in the National Republics** - *Salon 1, LB2*
Chair: Eleonory Gilburd, U of Chicago
Papers: John Mulvey Romero, Arizona State U
"Revisiting The Golden Horde in Thaw-Era Tatar Literature"
Erin Hutchinson, Harvard U
"National Writers between Moscow and the Soviet Periphery: Pushing the Boundaries of the Thaw in Armenia and Moldova"
Christopher James Fort, U of Michigan
"A New Friendship? Reworking the 'Friendship of the People's Myth' from the Imperial Periphery in 1970s Central Asia"
Disc.: Douglas T. Northrop, U of Michigan

10-30 **Negotiating Modernity in Central Asia under Russian and Soviet Rule** - *Salon 2, LB2*
Chair: Eric Lohr, American U
Papers: Zhanat Kundakbayeva, al-Farabi Kazakh National U (Kazakhstan)
"The Edited Archaic Outlook of the Stepnoi Krai Russophone Kazakh Elite in the Late Imperial Period"
Yulia Uryadova, Longwood U
"Ferghana Electors: Campaigns and Elections to the State Duma, 1905-1907"
Zukhra Kasimova, U of Illinois at Chicago
"Collecting Modern and Traditional: Igor Savitsky's Museum of Russian Avant-garde Art in Karakalpak Desert"
Dmitry Veselov, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"Migration of Russian Settlers and the Legacy of Inter-Regional Development in Kazakhstan"
Disc.: Eric Lohr, American U

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10-31 Believing the Past to Conceive the Future - Memory Construction in Contemporary Russia - *Salon 3, LB2*

Chair: Daniel Shapiro, Harvard U

Papers: Todd Halsey Nelson, Cleveland State U
"The Marginalized Discourse of Political Repression under Stalin: Historical Revisionism in Putin's Russia"
Joe Colleyshaw, Brown U
"The Romanov's Revisited: the (Re)Imagination of the Romanov's in Moscow's Russia – My History Museum"
Kelly A. Kolar, Middle Tennessee State U
"Memory Making and the Historic Record in Modern Russia"
Katerina Suverina, Garage Museum of Contemporary Art (Russia)
"Queering Traditional Family Values: The History of Normativity and Its Boundaries"

Disc.: Alexander Baturo, Dublin City U (UK)
Tatiana Voronina, Laboratorium: Russian Review of Social Research (Russia)

10-32 Towards a Brighter Future! Social and Legal Adaptation in Russia - *Salon 4, LB2*

Chair: Leo Granberg, U of Helsinki (Finland)

Papers: Mary E. A. Buckley, U of Cambridge (UK)
"Russia's New Migration Concept: Perspectives on the Political, Social and Legal Implications for Citizenship and Identity"
Rustamjon Urinboyev, U of Helsinki (Finland)
"Central Asian Migrants in Russia: Shadow Economy and Legal Adaptation"
Ann-Mari Sätre, Uppsala U (Sweden)
"On Social Marginalization of Women in Contemporary Russia – Some Reflections"
Larisa Kangaspuro, U of Helsinki (Finland)
"Social Inclusion of Female Ex-Prisoners. Russian Experience"

Disc.: Linda J Cook, Brown U

10-33 Book Discussion: "Putin v the People: The Perilous Politics of a Divided Russia" by Authors: Samuel Greene & Graeme Robertson - *(Roundtable) - Salon 5, LB2*

Part.: Valerie Jane Bunce, Cornell U
Regina Smyth, Indiana U Bloomington
Celeste Ann Wallander, U.S. Russia Foundation
Alexei Yurchak, UC Berkeley

10-34 'I Strashno i Smeshno': The Neo-Grotesque in Contemporary Russian Cinema - *Salon 6, LB2*

Sponsored by: Working Group on Cinema and Television

Chair: Birgit Beumers, Aberystwyth U (UK)

Papers: Daria Ezerova, Davidson College
"Vile Bodies: The (Un)likely Return of Chernukha in Recent Russian Cinema"
Volha Isakava, Central Washington U
"Paint it Black: Grotesque and Black Comedy in Contemporary Russian Cinema"
Justin Allen Wilmes, East Carolina U
"'You're Laughing at Yourselves!': Towards a Definition of Neo-Grotesque"
Eugenie Zvonkine, U of Paris 8 (France)
"'L'art de la Grimace': The Faces of Laughter, Terror and Excess in Contemporary Russian Cinema"

Disc.: Birgit Beumers, Aberystwyth U (UK)

10-35 Russian Exceptionalism: Multidisciplinary Perspectives - *Salon 7, LB2*

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

Papers: Yana Hashamova, Ohio State U
"Post-Soviet Sexuality and Gender Dynamics in Russian Culture"
Alexander M. Semyonov, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)

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"Russian Exceptionalism: National or Imperial?"
Peter Rutland, Wesleyan U
"Three Vladimirs and the Return of Russian Exceptionalism"
Disc.: Greg Carleton, Tufts U
Ronald Grigor Suny, U of Michigan

10-37 **(Dis)/Believing the Unbelievable: The Challenges of Witnessing the Holocaust** - *Salon 10, LB2*
Chair: Natalie Belsky, U of Minnesota Duluth
Papers: Rachel F. Brenner, U of Wisconsin-Madison
"Watching the Victim, Watching Oneself: The Impact of the Holocaust on Humanistic Beliefs"
John Cornell, Institute of Solidarity and Bravery (Pilecki Institute) (Poland)
"The Polish Exile Government in London and its Holocaust Narrative"
Eliyana R. Adler, Pennsylvania State U
"Letters from the Other Side: Piecing the Holocaust Together in Soviet Exile"
Polly Zavadivker, U of Delaware
"To Be Fruitful and Multiply: Soviet Jews Reckon with Holocaust"
Disc.: Nancy Sinkoff, Rutgers, The State U of New Jersey

10-38 **Queer Soviet and Post-Soviet Russian Cinema** - *(Roundtable) - Salon 11, LB2*
Chair: Alexander Kondakov, U of Helsinki (Finland)
Part.: Oksana Husieva, U of Kansas
Gerald M. McCausland, Defense Language Institute - Washington
Alexandar Mihailovic, Brown U
Vlad Strukov, U of Leeds (UK)
Anton Svynarenko, U of Illinois at Chicago

10-39 **Cognitive Approaches to Russian Literature II** - *Salon 12, LB2*
Chair: David Powelstock, Brandeis U
Papers: Tom Dolack, Wheaton College
"Rates of Foreign Influence in the Russian Tradition: An Application of Psychology to Literary History"
Milica Ilicic, Columbia U
"Ivan Karamazov's Fuzzy Feelings: The Cognitive Possibilities for a Non-Euclidean Mind"
Jerry Piven, Rutgers, The State U of New Jersey
"The Cognitive Psychology of Belief, Piety, and Fantasy: From Fictive to Actual Inquisitors, Zealots, and Visionaries"
Amina Gabrielova, Purdue U
"The Artistic World of 'Lavr' by Vodolazkin: The Possibilities of a Cognitive Approach."
Disc.: Brett Cooke, Texas A&M U

10-40 **The "Official" and the "Everyday": Variety of Muslim Beliefs, Practices and Discourses in Russia** - *Salon 13, LB2*
Chair: Laura Olson Osterman, U of Colorado at Boulder
Papers: Lili Di Puppo, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"Here or Elsewhere: Sufism and Traditional Islam in Russia's Volga-Ural region"
Dmitriy Oparin, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"New Leadership, Old Ritual. Possession and Exorcism in the Russian Muslim Migration Context"
Bulat Akhmetkarimov, Kazan Federal U (Russia)
"Competing Narratives about 'Traditional Islam' in Russia's Volga-Ural Region"
Renat Shaykhutdinov, Florida Atlantic U
"The Terrorist Attacks in the Volga Region, 2012–13: Hegemonic Narratives and Everyday Understandings of (In)Security"
Disc.: Kristina Kovalskaya, PSL / GSRL / CETOBAC (France)

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10-41 The Politics, Poetics, and Ethics of Memory and Resistance Within a Postsocialist Global Condition - *Salon 14, LB2*

Chair: Natalia V Dame, U of Southern California

Papers: Sima Kokotovic, Concordia U (Canada)
"The Subversive Festival: Postsocialist Cultural Strategy of Resistance"

Petar Odak, Central European U (Hungary)
"Feeling is Believing: The Affective Dimension of Socialist Legacies in the Context of the Experience Economy"

Iuliana Matasova, Taras Shevchenko National U of Kyiv (Ukraine)
"Post-Soviet Women Singer-Songwriters (1990s): The Decolonial Desire / Belief as 'Woman's Work'"

Natalija Majsova, U of Ljubljana (Slovenia)
"'You Either Believe a Film or You Don't': Soviet Film Clubs and Their Afterlives in Contemporary Russia"

Disc.: Kristina Pranjic, Faculty of Media (Slovenia)

10-42 Religious Dimension of Russian-American Imagology: From the Tsarist Empire to Putin's Russia - *Salon 15, LB2*

Chair: Lee A. Farrow, Auburn U at Montgomery

Papers: Victoria I. Zhuravleva, Russian State U for the Humanities (Russia)
"How did Religion Frame American Perception of the Late Tsarist Empire"

Nadezhda Azhghikina, Lomonosov Moscow State U (Russia) / PEN Moscow
"Religious Aspect of the Soviet Dissident Movement in Representations of the US Media"

Aleksandr Borisovich Okun, Samara U (Russia)
"Mastering the American Style: Religious Motives in the Modern Russian Political Rhetoric"

Disc.: William Benton Whisenhunt, College of DuPage

10-43 Early Modern Women and Belief - *Sierra A, 5*

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Chair: Jolanta Wrobel Best, U of Houston Downtown

Papers: Rita Krueger, Temple U
"Mood, Mind, and Body: Gender and the Power of Belief in 18th-century Medicine"

Lynn Lubamersky, Boise State U
"Franciszka Urszula Radziwiłłowa: Belief in Her Own Capability"

Kyeann Sayer, U of Hawai'i at Manoa
"Russia and Europe after Peter: Diplomacy, Confessional Conflict, and The War of the Polish Succession (1734-1739)"

Vaida Kamuntaviciene, Vytautas Magnus U (Lithuania)
"Religious Faith and Female Agency: The Development of Local Monastic Traditions in the Convents of the Grand Duchy of Lithuania in the 17th-18th Century."

Disc.: Jan Hennings, Central European U (Hungary)

10-44 Global Oceanic Encounters in the Twentieth Century (1) - *Sierra B, 5*

Chair: Susan E. Costanzo, Western Washington U

Papers: Kari Aga Myklebost, UiT The Arctic U of Norway (Norway)
"Oceanic Encounters in the Barents Sea, 1880s–1930s: Actors, Networks and Platforms"

Sören Urbansky, German Historical Institute DC
"Pacific Pathways of Knowledge: Chinese Migrants in Vladivostok, San Francisco, and Singapore (1880s–1930s)"

Julia A. Lajus, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"Icy Ocean: Circulation of Knowledge about Ice, Climate, and Marine Resources, 1930s–1970s"

Disc.: David Wolff, Hokkaido U (Japan)

10-45 What Was—and When Was—Russia's 19th Century? - *(Roundtable) - Sierra C, 5*

Chair: Paul William Werth, U of Nevada, Las Vegas

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Part.: Eric W Johnson, U of Washington
Alexander M. Martin, U of Notre Dame
Ekaterina Pravilova, Princeton U
Alison K. Smith, U of Toronto (Canada)

10-46 **Book Discussion: "Transformative Language Education: Theory, Praxis, and Programs" edited by Betty Lou Leaver, Dan E. Davidson and Christine Campbell** - *(Roundtable)* - *Sierra D, 5*
Chair: Andrew R. Corin, Defense Language Institute
Part.: Andrew R. Corin, Defense Language Institute
Dan E. Davidson, American Councils for International Education
Thomas J. Garza, U of Texas at Austin
Betty Lou Leaver, Defense Language Institute
Maria D. Lekic, American Councils for International Education

10-47 **Contacts at the Leading Edge of Occupation: Soviets and non-Soviets Interacting during World War II** - *Sierra E, 5*
Chair: Vojin Majstorovic, U of Toronto (Canada)
Papers: Agnieszka Smelkowska, UC Berkeley
"The Edge of the Nazi State: Kherson District of the Reichskommissariat Ukraine 1941-1944"
Maris Rowe-McCulloch, U of Toronto (Canada)
"Sexual Violence in a Soviet City as a Weapon of War: Recovering Soviet Women's Experiences in German-Occupied Rostov-on-Don, 1941—1943"
Marilyn Campeau, U of Toronto (Canada)
"Witnesses, 'Liberators,' and Tourists: Red Army Artist-Combatants Making Visual Records of their Wartime Travels, 1943-1945"
Disc.: Vojin Majstorovic, U of Toronto (Canada)

10-48 **The Raleigh School: Gender, Medicine, Provinces, Sports, Cinema, and Revolution** - *(Roundtable)* - *Sierra F, 5*
Chair: Paula Michaels, Monash U (Australia)
Part.: Betsy Jones Hemenway, Loyola U Chicago
Jenifer L. Parks, Rocky Mountain College
Kate Transchel, California State U, Chico

10-49 **Upgrading the Subject: Technology and the Self in the Soviet Union** - *Sierra G, 5*
Chair: Zhanna Budenkova, U of Pittsburgh
Papers: Marina Filipovic, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
"Forging the Traktoristka in Soviet Cinema"
Sasha Shapiro, U of Virginia
"Tumor of the Collective: Medical Technology versus Natural Healing in Solzhenitsyn's Cancer Ward"
Florence Helbing, U of Pittsburgh
"The Body Soviet: Alexei Gastev's Stakhanovism and The Quantified Self"
Disc.: Julia Vaingurt, U of Illinois at Chicago

10-50 **Polish Emigres Standing Up for their Beliefs: Polonica Collections in the U.S. Libraries after 1939** - *Sierra H, 5*
Chair: Liladhar R. Pendse, UC Berkeley
Papers: Barbara Brigida Krupa, Stanford U
"Polish Collections at Stanford University Libraries and Hoover Institution Archives"
Regina Frackowiak, Library of Congress
"Periodicals Published by Polish Emigrees as a Reflection of Their Patriotic Beliefs - an Overview of LC Holdings"
Wojciech Siemaszkiewicz, New York Public Library
"Archival Polonica at The New York Public Library: Polish Political Emigration, 1939-1990"

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Disc.: Anna A Mazurkiewicz, U of Gdańsk (Poland)
Pawel Panas, John Paul II Catholic U of Lublin (Poland)

10-51 A Little Pub, a Little Grub, a Little Mug of Beer: Food and Drink in the Habsburg and Post-Habsburg World - *Sierra I, 5*

Chair: Kristina Poznan, La Salle U

Papers: Robert Nemes, Colgate U
"The Many Lives of Hungarian Wine"
Alison Orton, U of Illinois at Chicago
"Citizen Pilsner: Beer as a Marker of Imperial Tensions and Class Identity in Satirical Publications, 1880-1914"
Andrew Behrendt, Missouri U of Science & Technology
"Édes in the Streets, Csipős in the Sheets: Paprika, Spiciness, and Hungarian Identity Abroad, 1890-1940"

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

10-52 Beyond Centre and Periphery. Mapping Transnational Spaces in Interwar Czechoslovakia - *Sierra J, 5*

Chair: Sebastian Paul, Hannah-Arendt-Institute for Totalitarianism Studies (Germany)

Papers: Sebastian Paul, Hannah-Arendt-Institute for Totalitarianism Studies (Germany)
"Between Democratization and Securitization. Perceptions of Subcarpathian Ruthenia by Czech State Officials in Prague and Uzhhorod"
Stanislav Holubec, Czech Academy of Sciences (Czech Republic)
"Loyalties of Slovaks, Hungarians, Jews and Ruthenians"
Filip Herza, Institute of Ethnology CAS (Czech Republic)
"Science and Medicine in the Interwar Subcarpathian Ruthenia"
Pavel Baloun, Faculty of Humanities/CEFRES
"Czechoslovak Civilizing Mission in the 'East of the Republic'"

Disc.: Victoria Shmidt, Karl-Franzens-U of Graz (Austria)

10-53 Environment, Nationalism, and Empire in Tsarist and Soviet Russia - *Sierra K, 5*

Chair: Stefan Bastian Kirmse, Leibniz-Zentrum Moderner Orient (ZMO) (Germany)

Papers: Nicholas Brenton Breyfogle, Ohio State U
"Polish Exiles, Siberian Nature: Benedykt Dybowski and the Genesis of Lake Baikal Science"
Pey-Yi Chu, Pomona College
"Patriotism and Language in the Soviet Science of Frozen Earth"
Elena I Campbell, U of Washington
"The Russian North as a Treasure Trove of Nationality and Natural Resources"

Disc.: Maya Karin Peterson, UC Santa Cruz

10-54 Languages in School Education in the Post-Soviet Space: Policies, Discourses, Practices and Public Opinion - *SOMA, 2*

Chair: Konstantin Zamyatin, Durham U (UK)

Papers: Ekaterina M. Arutyunova, Institute of Sociology of FCTAS RAS (Russia)
"(Post)Conflict Discourses and Public Opinion: State Languages of the Republics of the Russian Federation in School Education"
Konstantin Zamyatin, Durham U (UK)
"A 'Voluntary-Compulsory Choice': The Teaching of Minority Languages in Russia"
Konstantin Sulimov, Perm State U (Russia)
Nadezhda Borisova, Perm State U (Russia)
"Language Preferential Policy in Education Sector in Multiethnic Regions of Russia: Decision Variability, Resource Constraints and Agent Incentives"
Ksenia Maksimovtsova, Justus-Liebig-U of Giessen (Germany)
"Language Policy in Education in Contemporary Estonia, Latvia, and Ukraine"

Disc.: Alexander Osipov, ICELDS

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Monika Wingender, U of Giessen (Germany)

10-55 **Entangled Mythologies: Shostakovich Research Today** - *Walnut, B2*
Chair: Kevin Michael Bartig, Michigan State U
Papers: Marina Frolova-Walker, U of Cambridge (UK)
"Shostakovich's Fifth vs Nikita Karev's Symphony"
Olga Digonskaya, Russian National Museum of Music / Dmitri Shostakovich`s Archive (Russia)
"Shostakovich between 'order' and 'free will'"
Pauline Fairclough, U of Bristol (UK)
"Always Lady Macbeth, Never Katerina: The Politics of an Operatic Revival"
Disc.: Peter Schmelz, Arizona State U

10-56 **Russian Economy and Sanctions** - *Willow, B2*
Chair: Laura Solanko, Bank of Finland (Finland)
Papers: Iikka Korhonen, Bank of Finland (Finland)
"Western Sanctions and Drop in Capital Flows to Russia"
Nigel Gould-Davies, Mahidol U International College (Thailand)
"Russian Elites and Western Sanctions"
Daniel Ahn, Georgetown University
"The Sword and the Shield: The Economics of Targeted Sanctions"
Disc.: Masaaki Kuboniwa, Hitotsubashi U (Japan)

12:00 – 1:30 pm
Presidential Plenary: "Illuminating the Darkness: Practices of Belief and Disbelief" - *(Presidential) - Salon 7, LB2*

Session 11 – Monday – 1:45-3:30 pm

Film Screening 5 - *(Film) - Salon 8, LB2*

11-01 **Continued (Dis-) Belief in Post-Soviet National Identity Formation.** - *Foothill A, 2*
Chair: Josette A Baer, U of Zurich (Switzerland)
Papers: Yelena Abdullayeva, U of Waterloo (Canada)
"Crafting National Identity in Post-Soviet Azerbaijan, 1990s - 2000s."
Jasmin Dall'Agnola, Oxford Brookes U (UK)/ Eurasian, East and Central European Study Women Academic Forum (UK)
"Citizens' Continues (Dis-) Belief in Kazakhstan's State-Led National Identity Narratives?"
Tamar Koplatadze, U of Oxford (UK)
"Identity at the Crossroads: NGOs and Post-Soviet Women's Writing from Kazakhstan, Tajikistan and Azerbaijan."
Vera Michlin-Shapir, Institute for National Security Studies (Israel)
"'Liquid Screens' – National Identification and Political Legitimacy in Russian Talk-shows, 2003-2014."
Disc.: Allyson Sinead Edwards, Swansea U / Eurasian, East and Central European Studies Women Academics Forum (UK)
Josette A Baer, U of Zurich (Switzerland)

11-02 **Technology and Households. The Case of Poland of the 1970s.** - *Foothill B, 2*
Chair: Anna Muller, U of Michigan, Dearborn
Papers: Patryk Wasiak, U of Wrocław (Poland)
"Production of Modern Consumer Goods and the Imaginary of Postindustrial Shift in State Socialist Poland of the 1970s"
Katarzyna Maria Stanczak Wislicz, Institute of Literary Research, PAS (Poland)

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"Modern Home Appliances and Gender System in the Polish Households during the 1970s"
Dobrochna Kalwa, U of Warsaw (Poland)
"Sociological Portraits of Modernity and Backwardness. Housekeeping and Domestic Space in Poland in the 1970s."
Disc.: Ewelina Szpak, Institute of History PAS (Poland)

11-03 Travelling for adventure? On the Rise and Fall of Adventure Fiction in Early Soviet Literature - *Foothill C, 2*
Chair: Luba Golburt, UC Berkeley
Papers: Riccardo Nicolosi, Ludwig-Maximilians-U Munich (Germany)
"Ostap Bender's journeys. On transformations of narrated adventure in Ilya Il'f's and Evgeny Petrov's 'Dvenadcat' stul'ev' and 'Zolotoy telënok'"
Brigitte Obermayr, LMU Munich (Germany)
"'Adventure' vs. 'Geographic Journey': From Vladimir Arsen'ev to Sergei Tret'iakov"
Edward Tyerman, UC Berkeley
"Soviet Adventures in China: Internationalism and 1920s Adventure Fiction"
Disc.: Mark N. Lipovetsky, U of Colorado at Boulder

11-08 20 years after the international intervention in Kosovo: The politics of statehood, nationalism and protests. - *(Roundtable) - Foothill H, 2*
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Chair: Elton Skendaj, Manchester U
Part.: Elez Biberaj, Voice of America
Anna Di Lellio, The New School
Pellumb Kelmendi, Auburn U

11-10 Black Celebrities in the USSR and the Soviet Creed of Anti-Racism - *Golden Gate C1, B2*
Chair: Robert Bird, U of Chicago
Papers: Christina Kiaer, Northwestern U
"Black Skin in Soviet Visual Culture: The African-American Worker-Celebrity"
Robert Bird, U of Chicago
"The Celebrity of Paul Robeson and Sergei Eisenstein's Cinema"
Jonathan Flatley, Wayne State U
"'Our Friend Angela': The Black Communist Star"
Disc.: Valerie Pozner, National Center for Scientific Research (France)

11-11 Russia's Resurgence as a Military Power—Government Strategy and Regional Buildups - *Golden Gate C2, B2*
Chair: Sufian N. Zhemukhov, George Washington U
Papers: Vasily Kashin, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"The Priorities of the GPV-2027 State Rearmament Program – What They Can Tell about the Russian Defense Policy"
Yu Koizumi, Institute for Future Engineering (Japan)
"Russia's Military Buildup in the Black Sea and Mediterranean Regions: A2/AD Capacities as a Key to Understand Russia's Strategic Strength and Vulnerabilities"
Michael Kofman, Woodrow Wilson Center, Kennan Institute
"Russian Force Posture, Modernization, and Assimilation of Ukrainian Forces in Crimea after 2014 from a U.S. perspective"
Disc.: Sergey Sukhankin, Jamestown Foundation

11-12 Allies, Adversaries and in between: Religious Groups and Socialist Yugoslavia's Foreign Policy - *Golden Gate C3, B2*
Chair: Jure Ramsak, Science and Research Centre of Koper (Slovenia)
Papers: Aleksandra Djuric Milovanovic, Institute for Balkan Studies, SASA (Serbia)
"Seeking for the Freedom of Belief: Religious Minorities as Refugees in Yugoslavia"

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Jure Ramsak, Science and Research Centre of Koper (Slovenia)
"(Dis)belief in 'the People of Good Will': The Vatican and Yugoslavia from Paul VI to John Paul II"
Milorad Lazic, George Washington U
"Between Revolution and Dogmatism: Islam as a Factor in Yugoslavia's Policy of Nonalignment"
Disc.: Sielke Beata Kelner, Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies (Switzerland)

11-13 Literary Interieurs. Interior Spaces, Narrative, and Politics in Russian Literature - *Juniper, B2*
Chair: Timothy Dimitry Sergay, SUNY Albany
Papers: Schamma Schahadat, U of Tübingen (Germany)
"Soviet Literary Interieurs: Satire, Desire and Nostalgia"
Gesine Drews-Sylla, Eberhard Karls U Tübingen (Germany)
"Interior Spaces in the Caucasian Mountains"
Anne Elizabeth Dwyer, Pomona College
"The Interior Spaces of Ostranenie"
Disc.: Jennifer Jean Flaherty, UC Berkeley

11-14 Saints, Secularizers, and Stasi: Issues of Belief in Poland and the DDR - *Laurel, B2*
Chair: Gregory C. Ference, Salisbury U
Papers: Robert E Alvis, Saint Meinrad Seminary and School of Theology
"The Entangled Lives and Legacies of Faustina Kowalska and Karol Wojtyła/John Paul II"
Timothy David Curp, Ohio U
"A Laiczing State in Transition/A Confessional Society in the Making: Party-State, Church and Reform(ulation) of Anti-Religious Activism and Religious Life in People's Poland, 1956-1979"
Robert F. Goeckel, SUNY Geneseo
"East German CDU and the Stasi: Collaborators versus Non-Collaborators"
Disc.: James Ramon Felak, U of Washington

11-19 Creative Legacies of Russian Artists in early 20th c. America (ca. 1920s - 1950s) - *Pacific A, 4*
Chair: Margaret Samu, The New School
Papers: John Ellis Bowlt, U of Southern California
"Savelii Sorin in America"
Alla Rosenfeld, Merrill C. Berman Collection of Avant-Garde Art
"John Graham's Impact on Modern Art in America."
Oleg Minin, Bard College
"'Art is My Religion': Nicholas Remisoff Designing for the American Stage and Hollywood."
Disc.: K. Andrea Rusnock, Indiana U, South Bend

11-20 East-South Journeys: Soviet Travel and Cultural Connections to Africa and Asia - *Pacific B, 4*
Chair: Elizabeth Banks, New York U
Papers: Steven E. Harris, U of Mary Washington
"Geographies of the Jet Age and Aeroflot's Routes to the Global South"
Julie Hessler, U of Oregon
"Soviet Impressions of Asia and Africa: Travel, Creativity, and Intellectual Identities"
Rachel Applebaum, Tufts U
"The Cold War's Linguistic Front: Soviet Russian Teachers in Africa and Asia, 1950s–1980s"
Disc.: Kristin Roth-Ey, U College London (UK)

11-21 Collaboration between American and Russian Institutions: Searching for New Approaches to Graduate Training in Russian Culture - *(Roundtable)* - *Pacific C, 4*
Chair: Mikhail Krutikov, U of Michigan
Part.: Nataliya Mazur, European U at St Petersburg (Russia)
Maria Neklyudova, Moscow School of Social and Economic Sciences (Russia)
Adrien Smith, Stanford U

11-22 Translation and Belief III: Beyond Belief: Russian Translation and its Orthodoxies - *Pacific D, 4*

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Chair: Emily Finer, U of St Andrews (UK)
Papers: Cassio de Oliveira, Portland State U
"Narrating and Translating Universal Siblinghood in Tolstoy's Short Story 'Françoise'"
Adrian J. Wanner, Pennsylvania State U
"Challenging Translational Dogma: Tsvetaeva's and Nabokov's French Version of Pushkin's Poetry"
Susanna Witt, Stockholm U (Sweden)
"The 'Soviet School of Translation': Theory and Practice"
Zakhar Ishov, Uppsala U (Sweden)
"Matters of Utmost Importance: Nabokov and Brodsky - Russian Translation Orthodoxies in America"
Disc.: Irena Grudzinska Gross, Princeton U

11-23 Great Powers and Small Nations: Caucasian Claims for Statehood at the Paris Peace Conference, 1919-20 - *(Roundtable) - Pacific E, 4*
Chair: Stephen Francis Jones, Mount Holyoke College
Part.: Zaur Gasimov, Orient Institute Istanbul-Max Weber Foundation (Turkey)
Beka Kobakhidze, Ilia State U (Georgia)
Simon Payaslian, Boston U
Michael Anthony Reynolds, Princeton U
Sarah Elizabeth Slye, U of Cambridge (UK)

11-24 Book Discussion: "New Directions in Research on Cultures of Dissent in Eastern Europe (1945-1989)" - *(Roundtable) - Pacific F, 4*
Chair: Piotr Wcislik, Institute of Literary Research of the Polish Academy of Sciences (Poland)
Part.: Ieva Astahovska, Latvian Centre for Contemporary Art (Latvia)
Muriel Blaive, Institute for the Study of Totalitarian Regimes (Czech Republic)
Katalin Cseh-Varga, George Enescu National U of the Arts (Romania) / U of Vienna (Austria)
Tamás Scheibner, ELTE U of Budapest (Hungary)
Rolf Werenskjold, Volda U College (Norway)

11-25 Russophone Literature III - *Pacific G, 4*
Chair: Amanda Fairchild Murphy, Nazarbayev U (Kazakhstan)
Papers: Victoria Y. Thorstensson, Nazarbayev U (Kazakhstan)
"Inspired by the Eternal Wind: Poetics and Politics in the Astana Text of Kazakhstani Poetry"
Azhar Dyussekenova, Nazarbayev U (Kazakhstan)
"Under One Cover: Uncovering Kazakhstani Queer Poetry"
Mariya Deykute, Nazarbayev U (Kazakhstan)
"Shifting Identities: The Interplay of Russian and Kazakh and Other Linguistic Games as Translation Challenges"
J Kates, Zephyr Press
"Paper-Thin Skin: On the Relationship between a Poet and a Translator"
Disc.: Leeore Schnairsohn, New York U
Amanda Fairchild Murphy, Nazarbayev U (Kazakhstan)

11-26 The Legacy of OBERIU - *(Roundtable) - Pacific H, 4*
Chair: Anthony Anemone, The New School
Part.: Jinyi Chu, Stanford U
Alexander Dmitriev, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
Ildar Galeev, Galeyev-Gallery (Russia)
Matvei Yankelevich, Ugly Duckling Presse

11-27 Tolstoy, Gender, Sexuality, and Identity - *Pacific I, 4*
Chair: David M.B.L. Herman, U of Virginia
Papers: Ani Kokobobo, U of Kansas

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"'I Am Tormented by Sensuality' -- Art and Tolstoy's Dilemma of Sex"
Devin Culley McFadden, U of Kansas
"From Anna's Despair to Dionysus' Wrath: Queering the Adulterous Woman from Tolstoy to Nagrodskaya"
Valeria Sobol, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
"From Unity to Fragmentation: Transition from Childhood to Adolescence in Tolstoy's Trilogy"
Disc.: Karin Agnes Beck, Lehman College

11-28 **Nomadity of Being: Subaltern Perspectives on Gender and Queer Transgressions in Central Asia** - *Pacific J, 4*
Chair: Svetlana A. Peshkova, U of New Hampshire
Papers: Feruza Aripova, Northeastern U
"Tracing the Effects of Soviet Gender and Sexual Politics in Central Asia"
Syinat Sultanalieva, U of Tsukuba (Japan)
"Feminism as a Self-Colonising Practice? Analyzing Feminist Narratives on the Role of Women in Kyrgyzstan"
Zhanar Sekerbayeva, U of Tsukuba (Japan)
"Role of Medical Specialists in Negotiating 'Normalization' of Transgender People in Kazakhstan"
Disc.: Samuel Roman Buelow, Los Alamos Historical Society

11-29 **Heroines and Celebrities: Star-Making and Belief in the Late- and Post-Soviet Eras** - *Salon 1, LB2*
Chair: Erica L. Fraser, Carleton U (Canada)
Papers: Roshanna Patricia Sylvester, U of Colorado Boulder
"Dimple-Chinned Valentina, Singing to the Stars: A 'Cosmonette' Celebrity on Parade in the International Press"
Marjorie L. Hilton, Murray State U
"'Pigtailed Détente': Olga Korbut's International Celebrity and the Soviet System"
Olga Mukhortova, U of Pittsburgh
"Creating Beliefs: Russian Film Journals' Discourse on Stars. Qualitative and Quantitative Approaches"
Disc.: Marko Dumancic, Western Kentucky U

11-30 **Politics and Religion among the Mongolian and Tuvan Peoples of the Russian Empire** - *Salon 2, LB2*
Chair: Andrei Znamenski, U of Memphis
Papers: Melissa Andrea Chakars, Saint Joseph's U
"Buddhism in the Russian Empire: A Comparison of Kalmyk, Buryat, and Tuvan Experiences"
Robert W. Montgomery, Baldwin Wallace U
"Bato-Dalai Ochirov: A Buryat Political and Social Activist of the Early Twentieth Century"
Helen Sharon Hundley, Wichita State U
"Turn of the 20th century Buriat Political Discussions"
Disc.: Marjorie Mandelstam Balzer, Georgetown U

11-31 **"True Believers," Victims, and Resisters: How the Holodomor is Reflected in Historiography and Memory Politics** - *Salon 3, LB2*
Chair: Aaron Joseph Cohen, California State U, Sacramento
Papers: Victoria A. Malko, California State U, Fresno
"The Holodomor as Genocide in Historiography and Memory"
Wiktoria Kudela-Swiatek, Pedagogical U of Krakow (Poland)
"The Lieux de Mémoire of the Holodomor in the Cultural Landscape of Ukraine and the Ukrainian Diaspora"
Valentyna Kharkhun, Mykola Hohol State U of Nizhyn (Ukraine)
"Museumification of the Soviet Past in Ukraine: The Holodomor and Other Victimhood Narratives"
Disc.: Jars Balan, U of Alberta (Canada)

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11-32 **Thinking Piracy on the Runet: Between Culture, Law and Politics** - *Salon 4, LB2*
Chair: Olga Bronnikova, U Grenoble Alpes (France)
Papers: Anna Zaytseva, U Toulouse Jean Jaurès (France)
"From one Form of Piracy to another: On Evolving Attitudes and Practices of Music Makers in Russia"
Bella Ostromooukhova, Sorbonne U (France)
"Samizdat and Soviet Book Black Market's Legacy or New Global Opensource Logics? Pirating Books in Contemporary Russia"
Françoise Daucé, EHESS (France)
"Global and Local Grammars of Piracy: From the Pirate Party to Roskomsvoboda in Russia"
Disc.: Ksenia Ermoshina, CIS CNRS / Citizen Lab (France)
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11-33 **The Promises of Infrastructure I: Imagining Isolation and Integration** - *Salon 5, LB2*
Chair: Russell Scott Valentino, Indiana U Bloomington
Papers: Peter Schweitzer, U of Vienna (Austria)
"The Power of Imagination: The Long History of Not (Yet?) Crossing the Bering Strait by Train"
Kinga Nędza-Sikoniowska, Jagiellonian U (Poland)
"Uprooted Town on Solid Foundations? Mobility, Temporariness, Fluidity in Soviet Urban Thinking on the Example of the Arctic Port Town Igarka"
Michael Benjamin De Groot, U of Pennsylvania
"The 'Showpiece' of CMEA Integration: Reconsidering the Soyuz Pipeline"
Sigrid Schiesser, U of Vienna (Austria)
"Contrasting the Soviet City: Sakha Architecture and the National Project"
Disc.: Kathryn Graber, Indiana U Bloomington

11-34 **"Crackers and White-Hat Hackers: Narrative Contradictions in Russian Hackers"** - *(Roundtable) - Salon 6, LB2*
Chair: Benjamin Peters, U of Tulsa
Part.:
Diana Kurkovsky West, Northwestern U
Vlad Strukov, U of Leeds (UK)
Mariëlle Wijermars, U of Helsinki (Finland)

11-35 **Reflections on Russian History at Retirement** - *(Roundtable) - Salon 7, LB2*
Chair: Sheila Fitzpatrick, U of Sydney (Australia)
Part.: Joseph C. Bradley, U of Tulsa
J. Arch Getty, UCLA
Donald Joseph Raleigh, UNC at Chapel Hill
Christine Ruane, U of Tulsa
Lewis Henry Siegelbaum, Michigan State U

11-37 **Contemporary Russian-Jewish Literature across Borders: New Methodologies** - *(Roundtable) - Salon 10, LB2*
Chair: Anna Shternshis, U of Toronto (Canada)
Part.: Miriam Finkelstein, U of Innsbruck (Austria)
Yelena Furman, UCLA
Alex Moshkin, U of Toronto (Canada)
Maria Rubins, U of London (UK)
Sasha Senderovich, U of Washington

11-38 **The Color of Pomegranates (1969): Fiftieth Anniversary, New Developments and Perspectives** - *(Roundtable) - Salon 11, LB2*
Sponsored by: Working Group on Cinema and Television
Chair: James M Steffen, Emory U

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Part.: Daniel Thomas Bird, The Hamo Bek-Nazarov Project (France)
Olga Kim, U of Pittsburgh
James M Steffen, Emory U

11-39 Back to Marx?: Labor, Exchange, and Power in Russian Literature of the Long Nineteenth Century (Panel One: Tolstoy) - *Salon 12, LB2*
Chair: Olena Lyubchenko, York U (Canada)
Papers: Kirill Ospovat, U of Wisconsin-Madison
"The Eighteenth Brumaire of Leo Tolstoy: Sovereignty and Representation in War and Peace"
Jillian Porter, U of Colorado
"Love and Labor Power: Narrative Energy in Anna Karenina"
Michal Mrugalski, Humboldt U Berlin (Germany)
"The Energies of Marxism According to Tolstoi and Lunacharskii"
Disc.: Vadim Shneyder, UCLA

11-40 Health Care Then and Now. Imaginaries of Care and Visions of Justice in the Former Soviet Realm - *(Roundtable) - Salon 13, LB2*
Sponsored by: Soyuz-The Research Network for Post-Socialist Studies
Chair: Rima Praspaliauskiene, UC Berkeley
Part.: Maryna Bazylevych, Luther College
Maria Galmarini-Kabala, College of William and Mary
Kenneth Martin Pinnow, Allegheny College
Karina Vasilevska-Das, UC Berkeley / UC San Francisco

11-41 Vice President-Designated Panel: Poland: Cultural Mechanisms of (Right-wing) Political Upheaval - *Salon 14, LB2*
Chair: Genevieve Zubrzycki, U of Michigan
Papers: Jan Kubik, Rutgers, The State U of New Jersey / U College London (UK)
"A Culture War Over the Shape of Public Sphere in Poland."
Richard Mole, U College London (UK)
"Homophobia and collective narcissism in contemporary Poland, Richard C.M. Mole and Agnieszka Golec de Zavala"
Kate Korycki, Queen's U (Canada)
"Memory and Right-Populist Appeals"
Disc.: Genevieve Zubrzycki, U of Michigan

11-42 The Fashioned Body in Soviet Culture - *Salon 15, LB2*
Chair: Yuri Leving, Dalhousie U (Canada)
Papers: Natasha Kurchanova, Studio International
"Between an Object and a Thing: Constructing a Fetish in Early Soviet Fashion"
Marina Balina, Illinois Wesleyan U
"(Un)Fashioning the Child's Body in YA Soviet Literature of the 'Thaw': Yuri Nagibin's Short Story 'Echo' (1960)"
Liudmila Alyabyeva, New Literary Observer Publishing House (Russia)
"The Dressmaker's Tale, or Fashioning the Wardrobe in Late Soviet Times"
Disc.: Larissa Rudova, Pomona College

11-43 Kyivan Writers and Their Representations of the City (17th to the 19th century) - *Sierra A, 5*
Chair: Marko Robert Stech, Canadian Institute of Ukrainian Studies (Canada)
Papers: Larysa Bilous, U of Alberta (Canada)
"When Kyivan Rus′ Met Muscovy: Mazepa's Kyiv as an Urban Centre on the Frontier"
Zenon E. Kohut, U of Alberta (Canada)
"In Defence of Kyiv and Ruthenian Orthodoxy: Clerical Writings Seeking Muscovite Intervention and Conceptualizing Tsarist Rule (1660's-1680's)"
Serhiy Bilenky, U of Toronto (Canada)

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"Using the Past: Ukrainians, Russians, and Poles on Kyiv in the 19th Century"
Taras Koznarsky, U of Toronto (Canada)
"Shielding the Russian Jerusalem: Kyiv in Travel and Tourist Writing of the Nineteenth Century"
Disc.: Frank Edward Sysyn, U of Alberta (Canada)

11-44 **Russia's North Pacific: From Visions to Pivots** - *(Roundtable)* - *Sierra B, 5*
Chair: Sandra Dahlke, German Historical Institute (Russia)
Part.: Benjamin Beuerle, German Historical Institute Moscow (Russia)
Yuexin Rachel Lin, U of Exeter (UK)
Andreas Renner, Ludwig-Maximilians-U Munich (Germany)
Willard Sunderland, U of Cincinnati
Elizabeth Anne Wishnick, Montclair State U

11-45 **Making Marketplaces: Practices of Trade in the Russian Empire, 1750-1850** - *Sierra C, 5*
Chair: Eileen Mary Kane, Connecticut College
Papers: Boris Belge, U of Basel (Switzerland)
"Building Infrastructures, Increasing Trade. Port Construction and Expansion in Odessa, 1794–1866"
Kelly O'Neill, Harvard U
"The Catch: Taste, Technology, and the Transformation of the Fish Market"
John Wyatt Randolph, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
"Hiring Horses: Free and Unfree Labor in Early 19th Century Russian Transportation"
Disc.: Erika L. Monahan, U of New Mexico / Dartmouth College

11-46 **Caucasian Linguistics** - *Sierra D, 5*
Chair: Tinatin Bolkvadze, Ivane Javakhishvili Tbilisi State U (Georgia)
Papers: Rusudan Asatiani, Ivane Javakhishvili Tbilisi State U (Georgia)
"Peculiarities of Passive Constructions in Kartvelian Languages"
Tamar Makharoblidze, Ilia State U (Georgia)
"GeoLorm: the Georgian Tactile Alphabet"
Marika Butskhrikidze, University AAB (Kosovo)
"Final Obstruent Devoicing in the Kartvelian Languages"
Disc.: John Colarusso, McMaster U (Canada)

11-47 **Book Discussion: "This Thing of Darkness: Eisenstein's Ivan the Terrible in Stalin's Russia," by Joan Neuberger** - *(Roundtable)* - *Sierra E, 5*
Chair: David Brandenberger, U of Richmond
Part.: Anne Nesbet, UC Berkeley
Joan Neuberger, U of Texas at Austin
Karen Petrone, U of Kentucky
Kevin Mercer Forsyth Platt, U of Pennsylvania
Yuri Tsivian, U of Chicago

11-48 **Quality Cuisine: Beliefs about Healthy Foods in Russia and the Soviet Union** - *Sierra F, 5*
Chair: Nigel A. Raab, Loyola Marymount U
Papers: Maya Karin Peterson, UC Santa Cruz
"The Power of Belief: Food as Medicine in the Kumys Cure from Samara to San Francisco"
Jeff Sahadeo, Carleton U (Canada)
"From Southern Farms to Northern Tables, Soviet-Style"
Maria Fedorova, UC Santa Barbara
"Playing Chicken: American Poultry Exports to Soviet and Post-Soviet Russia, 1990-2000"
Disc.: Diane P. Koenker, U College London (UK)

11-49 **Computational Poetics** - *Sierra G, 5*
Chair: Konstantin Starikov, Boston U
Papers: Petr Plechac, Institute of Czech Literature CAS (Czech Republic)

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Artjom Shelya, U of Tartu (Estonia)
"The case of (Pseudo)Baten'kov: towards the formal proof of literary forgery"
Igor Pilshchikov, UCLA
"CPCL (an Information System on Russian and Comparative Poetics): From Digital Libraries and Parallel Corpora to the Semantic Web"
David J. Birnbaum, U of Pittsburgh
Elise Thorsen, Novetta
"Rules-Based and Machine-Learning Approaches to Identifying Russian Rhyme"
Disc.: Mikhail Gronas, Dartmouth College

11-50 Old Russia in the New World: Belief and Personal Accounts of Experience in Library Collections - *(Roundtable) - Sierra H, 5*
Chair: Heghine Hakobyan, U of Oregon
Part.: Heghine Hakobyan, U of Oregon
Tamara Morris, U of Oregon
Larisa Walsh, U of Chicago

11-51 Bandits, Partisans, and Peasants in East Central Europe 1918-1950: Principled Resistance or Anarchic Opportunism? - *Sierra I, 5*
Chair: Filip Erdeljac, New York U
Papers: Jakub Benes, U of Birmingham (UK)
"The 'Circle of Mountain Birds' and the 'Radić Republican Gendarmerie': The Rise and Fall of 'Green' Banditry in Croatia-Slavonia 1918-1923"
Danilo Sarenac, Institute of Contemporary History (Serbia)
"Social Banditry in the Yugoslav Kingdom 1919-1941: What Causes One to Break off from Society?"
Mira Louise Markham, UNC at Chapel Hill
"Partisan Politics in Eastern Moravia, 1945-1950"
Disc.: Filip Erdeljac, New York U

11-52 Conflicts of Belief - Art, Feminism, Religion in Hungary and the USA in the early 1970s - *Sierra J, 5*
Chair: Andrew Behrendt, Missouri U of Science & Technology
Papers: Esther Thyssen, Rhode Island School of Design
"Conceptualism and Art in the early 1970s in Hungary"
Emily Rebecca Gioielli, Missouri Western State U
"Schlafly Meets Mindszenty: Entangled Histories of Cold War Anticommunism and Antifeminism"
Arpad von Klimo, Hungarian Studies Association
"Changes in the Image of Communist Hungary in the USA – the Mindszenty Visits of 1974"
Disc.: Katalin Fabian, Lafayette College

11-53 Beyond the National Narrative: Transnational Approaches in Assessing "Minority Speakers" in and from Eastern Europe - *Sierra K, 5*
Chair: Gregor Thum, U of Pittsburgh
Papers: Jannis Panagiotidis, U of Osnabrück (Germany)
"Russian Germans on Four Continents: Towards a Global History of the Periphery in the 20th Century"
Anna Flack, U of Osnabrück (Germany)
"Russian Germans in the Bolivian Countryside"
Ana Fumurescu, U of Pittsburgh
"Education on the Margins: Russo-Bulgarian, Turco-Tatar, and German Primary Schooling Initiatives in Romanian-Administered Dobruja, 1878-1914"
Jan Musekamp, U of Pittsburgh
"On the Move between Russia, Germany, Canada, and Brazil: How to Write a History of German-speakers in and from Volhynia"

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Disc.: John C. Swanson, U of Tennessee at Chattanooga

11-54 **Russian Engineers. Why So (Un)Popular?** - *SOMA, 2*
Chair: Melanie A. Feakins, UC Berkeley
Papers: Olga Bychkova, European U at St. Petersburg (Russia)
"Russian Technopreneurs and Their Developments (Or Why do Russian Engineers Fail to Commercialize Their Technological Ideas)"
Nikolay Rudenko, European U at Saint Petersburg (Russia)
Roman Maliushkin, European U at St Petersburg (Russia)
"Russian Engineers as an Invisible Group in the 1990s and Now"
Melanie A. Feakins, UC Berkeley
Liliia Zemnukhova, European U at St. Petersburg (Russia)
"Singapore or South Korea? New Destinations of Russian ITs to Conquer the World"
Disc.: Alexei Yurchak, UC Berkeley

11-55 **Believing Sounds, Believing Socialism** - *Walnut, B2*
Chair: Joy Neumeyer, UC Berkeley
Papers: Matthew Kendall, UC Berkeley
"Locked in Sync: Incarceration in Early Soviet Sound Film"
Matthew Honegger, Princeton U
"Outsourcing Propaganda, or the Problem of Fidelity in Soviet Music Diplomacy"
Gabrielle Cornish, U of Rochester
"Soviet Power in Two Channels: Toward a Socialist Realist Sound Fidelity"
Disc.: Simon A Morrison, Princeton U

11-56 **Subnational Economics and Public Finance in Russia** - *Willow, B2*
Chair: Craig L. Johnson, Indiana U Bloomington
Papers: Michael V. Alexeev, Indiana U Bloomington
Andrey Chernyavskiy, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"The Impact of Institutional Quality on Manufacturing Sectors in Russia: Panel Data Analysis"
Craig L. Johnson, Indiana U Bloomington
Andrey Yushkov, Indiana U Bloomington
"On the Determinants of Subnational Government Debt in the Russian Federation"
Tatiana Mikhailova, RANEPA (Russia)
"The Geography of Firm Productivity in Russia"
Andrey Yakovlev, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
Ekaterina Kologrivaya, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
Victor Sergeevich Pogodaev, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
Thomas Frederick Remington, Harvard U
"Performance Incentives, Economic Growth and New Political Constraints: Behavior Patterns of Regional Officials in Russia and China after 2012"
Disc.: Richard E. Ericson, East Carolina U
James A. Leitzel, U of Chicago

Session 12 – Monday – 3:45-5:30 pm

Committee on Libraries and Information Resources Executive Meeting - *(Meeting)* - *Sierra G, 5*

12-01 **Nabokov Beyond Belief (2)** - *Foothill A, 2*
Chair: Meghan Vicks, U of Colorado at Boulder
Papers: Jose Vergara, Swarthmore College
"Fathers, Sons, and Holy Ghosts: Haunting Legacies in Nabokov and Joyce"
Assel Almuratova, U of Wisconsin-Madison

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"The Memory of the Mirage-city: The Petersburg Text in Nabokov's Poetry"
Adam Lieberman, U of Wisconsin-Madison
"Discovering the Exilic Experience: The Explorer Archetype in Nabokov's Short Fiction"
Matthew Peter McGarry, U of Oklahoma
"Nabokov's The Gift: Literary History as Fulfillment"
Disc.: Meghan Vicks, U of Colorado at Boulder

12-02 **Belief and Discontent: New Perspectives on Culture, Music, and Intellectuals in Postwar Poland** - *Foothill B, 2*
Chair: Alena Gray Aniskiewicz, U of Michigan
Papers: Mackenzie Pierce, Cornell U
"Making the Underground Official: Musical Networks and Rebuilding in early Postwar Poland"
Lisa Cooper Vest, U of Southern California
"Ruling by Intellectual Means: The Shifting Role of the Intelligentsia within the Party and within the Composers' Union in Poland, 1949-1957"
David G. Tompkins, Carleton College
"The Sino-Soviet Split and Polish Culture: The Case of the Polish-Chinese Friendship Society"
Disc.: John F. Connelly, UC Berkeley

12-03 **New Ways to (Think about) Travel** - *(Roundtable) - Foothill C, 2*
Chair: Kirill Zubkov, St Petersburg State U (Russia)
Part.: Benjamin Bamberger, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
Wendy Bracewell, U College London (UK)
Ingrid Kleespies, U of Florida
Derek Offord, U of Bristol (UK)
Lyudmila Parts, McGill U (Canada)

12-08 **Political, Economic, and Social Dimensions of Housing in Post-Socialist Countries** - *Foothill H, 2*
Chair: William Henszey Pyle, Middlebury College
Papers: Sean Norton, UNC at Chapel Hill
"Demolition and Dissatisfaction: The Political Effects of Subnational Authoritarian Housing Policy"
Ted Gerber, U of Wisconsin-Madison
"Civic Activism, Political Participation, and Homeownership in Four Post-Soviet Countries"
Ekaterina Borisova, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"The Popular Logic of Authoritarian Policymaking: Evidence from Housing Renovations in Russia"
Sarah Maria Reiter, ifo Institute (Germany)
"Home Ownership and Credit Access in Central, Eastern, and Southeastern Europe"
Disc.: Natalia Forrat, U of Michigan

12-10 **Belief in Serbian American Art and Culture** - *Golden Gate C1, B2*
Chair: Radmila Gorup, Columbia U
Papers: Aleksandar Petrov, U of Pittsburgh
"Belief in 20th c. Serbian American Poetry"
Maxim Milan Vasiljevic, U of Belgrade (Serbia)
"The Serbian Liturgical Heritage in North America"
Milina Jovanovic, Evergreen Community College
"The Role of the Serbian Orthodox Church in Preservation of the Cultural Heritage and Ethnic Identity of Serbian Immigrants in the U. S."
Predrag Petrovic, U of Belgrade (Serbia)
"Belief and Art: Karl Malden's American Dream"
Disc.: Krinka Vidakovic-Petrov, Independent Scholar

12-11 **The Politics of Wealth, Poverty, and Influence in Russia and Eastern Europe** - *Golden Gate C2, B2*

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Chair: Hilary Appel, Claremont McKenna College
Papers: Maria Snegovaya, Columbia U
"Austerity and the Rise of Populist Right in Hungary and Poland"
Adnan Vatansever, King's College London (UK)
"Changing Ownership in Russia's Oil Sector"
Andrew Scott Barnes, Kent State U
"The Persistence and Variability of Oligarchy: Lessons from the Post-Communist World"
Lenka Kratka, Institute of Contemporary History, ASCR (Czech Republic)
"Thirty Years of Corporate Culture Transformation in the Czech Environment: From Euphoria to a Daily 'Struggle for Survival'"
Disc.: Hilary Appel, Claremont McKenna College
Elizabeth N Plantan, Harvard U

12-12 Believing in Modernity: Coloniality and Eurocentrism in Socialist Yugoslavia - *Golden Gate C3, B2*
Chair: Ana Stojanovic, UCLA
Papers: Marko Icev, UCLA
"Re-fashioning Modernity"
Christina Novakov-Ritchey, UCLA
"Attaining Contemporaneity: Coloniality and the Museum of Contemporary Art Belgrade"
Rory Archer, U of Konstanz (Germany)
"Intra-Yugoslav Albanian Labour Migration and the Limits of Inclusive Socialist Modernity"
Disc.: Bojana Videkanic, U of Waterloo (Canada)

12-13 Socrates in Russia - *(Roundtable) - Juniper, B2*
Chair: Victoria Juharyan, U of Pittsburgh
Part.: Alyssa DeBlasio, Dickinson College
Mikhail N. Epstein, Emory U
Victoria Juharyan, U of Pittsburgh
Susan McReynolds, Northwestern U

12-14 Experimental Cultural Practices in Yugoslavia and after: The Praxis of Transgression - *(Roundtable) - Laurel, B2*
Chair: Pavle Levi, Stanford U
Part.: Aleksandar Boskovic, Columbia U
Dijana Jelaca, Brooklyn College
Meta Mazaj, U of Pennsylvania
Dragana Obradovic, U of Toronto (Canada)
Sanjin Pejkovic, Linnaeus U (Sweden)

12-19 Creating for the State during Socialism: The Role of Artists' Unions - *Pacific A, 4*
Chair: Caterina Preda, U of Bucharest (Romania)
Papers: Caterina Preda, U of Bucharest (Romania)
"The Role of the Romanian Plastic Artists Union (UAP) in Producing Art for the Socialist State"
Raino Isto, U of Maryland, College Park
"'Criticism Will Open Up New Horizons': The Union of Writers and Artists and the Development of Art Critical Discourse in Socialist Albania"
Kristóf Nagy, Central European U (Hungary)
"Institutionalized Hegemonies: The Socialist Origins of the Right-Wing Dominance in the Hungarian Artists' Unions"
Julian Chehirian, American Research Center in Sofia (Bulgaria)
"Modern Defiance and Traditional Aesthetics: Jurying the Applied and Decorative Arts in the People's Republic of Bulgaria (1970-89)"
Disc.: Susan E. Reid, Loughborough U (UK)

12-20 The Making of Law in Interwar Romania: Nation-State Building, Constitutionalism, and Land

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Reform - *Pacific B, 4*
Chair: Alice Freifeld, U of Florida
Papers: Gheorghe Gelu Pacurar, Indiana U Bloomington
"Orthodox Belief and the Making of Law in Interwar Romania"
Francesco Magno, U of Trento (Italy)
"One Nation, One Legislation. Romanian Jurists between Reforms and Nationalist Propaganda"
Bogdan Dumitru, U of Florida
"Land Reform and Nationalism. Romanians, Hungarians, and Jews in Interwar Transylvania"
Disc.: Robert Nemes, Colgate U

12-21 **Saints and Sinners II: A Roundtable in Honor of Eve Levin** - *(Roundtable) - Pacific C, 4*
Chair: Greta Bucher, U.S. Military Academy, West Point
Part.: Gwyn M Bourlakov, U of Kansas
Evgeny Grishin, U of Tyumen (Russia)
Matthew P. Romaniello, Weber State U
Tricia Starks, U of Arkansas

12-22 **Translation and Belief Roundtable II: Literary Translation and Global Conflict** - *(Roundtable) - Pacific D, 4*
Chair: Julian W Connolly, U of Virginia
Part.: Ellen Elias-Bursac, Independent Scholar
Amelia Glaser, UC San Diego
D. Brian Kim, U of Pennsylvania
Yasha Klots, CUNY Hunter College
Abigail Ruth Weil, Harvard U

12-23 **The Fate of the Bolshevik Revolution: Illiberal Liberation, 1917-1939** - *(Roundtable) - Pacific E, 4*
Chair: Ilya Yablokov, U of Leeds (UK)
Part.: Lara Douds, Durham U
J. Arch Getty, UCLA
James R. Harris, U of Leeds
James Ryan, Cardiff U (UK)

12-24 **(De)stabilizing Socialism: Technology and the Media in the Eastern Bloc and Émigré Networks** - *Pacific F, 4*
Chair: Noemi Marin, Florida Atlantic U
Papers: Aleksandra Komornicka, European U Institute (Italy)
"Socialist State Facing Electronic Giants, Production of Thompson and Grundig Tape-Recorders in Poland in the 1970s"
Katherine Frances Cayton, Harvard U
"A 'Third Possibility' Revolution: The Success of Émigré Reporting Networks at Radio Free Europe during Poland's 1956 Thaw"
Alexander Petrusek, Rutgers, The State U of New Jersey
"Growth without Conflict: Cybernetics and East Germany's New Economic System, 1961-1971"
Łukasz Chełmiński, The Graduate Center, CUNY
"'It Made Me Happy That They Took On These Things.' Polish 1968 Émigrés on the Road to Self-Limiting Revolution, 1968-1976"
Disc.: Noemi Marin, Florida Atlantic U

12-25 **Over the Rainbow: Fictional and Fictionalized Places of Literature and Film** - *Pacific G, 4*
Chair: Elizaveta Levina, U of Southern California
Papers: Elizaveta Levina, U of Southern California
"'A Toy Model of a Wonderful World': Shvambraniia and Other Fictional Countries in Literature, Cinema, and Life"
Matthew Ciscel, Central Connecticut State U

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"Fictionalizing Moldova: Discourses of Liminality in Western Stories about Post-Soviet Borderlands"
Janneke Micaela Van de Stadt, Williams College
"Reflection and Refraction: Lewis Carroll's Alice in Russian Literature and Film"
Zhanna Budenkova, U of Pittsburgh
"Imagined Geography of Outer Space in Soviet Science Fiction Films of the Thaw"
Disc.: Raymond De Luca, Harvard U

12-26 **1989** - *(Roundtable)* - *Pacific H, 4*
Chair: Barbara Joy Falk, Royal Military College of Canada (Canada)
Part.: Courtney Doucette, Franklin & Marshall College
James Krapfl, McGill U (Canada)
David Ost, Hobart & William Smith Colleges
Guillaume Sauve, Sciences Po (France)
Matthew Signer, Stanford U

12-27 **Violence, Crime & Suicide: The Ethics of Representation in Tolstoy and Dostoevsky** - *Pacific I, 4*
Chair: Irina Paperno, UC Berkeley
Papers: Amy D. Ronner, St. Thomas U
"Dostoevsky and Thanatotic Contagion"
Erica Stone Drennan, Columbia U
"Fictional Defendants and Real Readers: The Ethics of Literary Trials"
Thomas Dyne, UC Berkeley
"'Что ж, хоть и чужой, все надо жалость иметь': the Ethics of Representing Alterity in Early Tolstoy"
Disc.: Alex Spektor, U of Georgia
Deborah A. Martinsen, Columbia U

12-28 **Men, Masculinities, and the Socialist Family: Between Heteronormative Affirmation and Transgression** - *Pacific J, 4*
Chair: Amy Elise Randall, Santa Clara U
Papers: Agnieszka Koscianska, U of Warsaw (Poland)
"'Life Without my Family, Wife, Children, and Home would not Make any Sense': Homo- and Bisexual Men and Their Families"
Natalia Jarska, Institute of History PAS (Poland)
"Being a (Modern) Husband in State-Socialist Poland"
Michaela Appeltova, U of Chicago
"Female Masculinity and the Normalization of Difference in Socialist Czechoslovakia"
Peter Hallama, U of Bern (Switzerland)
"Homosexual Fatherhood in Late Socialism: Between Sexological 'Therapy' and Individual Appropriations (Czechoslovakia and the GDR)"
Disc.: Alissa R Klots, European U at St. Petersburg (Russia)

12-29 **Journeys of Displacement in (Post)Modern Russian and Polish Literature** - *Salon 1, LB2*
Chair: Volha Seliazniova, U of Southern California
Papers: Jinyi Chu, Stanford U
"Le Maître Ignorant: Innokentii Annenskii in Guimet Museum"
Andrzej Brylak, U of Illinois at Chicago
"Mapping Piotruś. Unconsumed Journeys of Leo Lipski"
Maria Salnikova, U of Southern California
"Brodsky the Traveler: The Liberated Self Against the Quest for Homecoming"
Reed Adam Johnson, Harvard U
"Journey from Leningrad to St. Petersburg: Spatial Representations of Time in Elena Chizhova's 'The Sinologist'"
Disc.: Edyta Bojanowska, Yale U

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12-30 **Narratives of Nation-Building and Empire in the Kazakh Steppe** - *Salon 2, LB2*
Chair: Ian Wylie Campbell, UC Davis
Papers: Danielle Ross, Utah State U
"Where Two Nationalisms Met: The Steppe Livestock Industry and its Impact on the Tatar and Kazakh National Movements, 1880s-1922"
Alima Bissenova, Nazarbayev U (Kazakhstan)
"The Nationalist Vanguard or Cultural Brokers between the Colonial Regime and Their People?"
Jonathon Randall Dreeze, Ohio State U
"Problematic in Form, Irrelevant in Content?: Soviet Propaganda in Kazakhstan, 1929-1930"
Disc.: Ian Wylie Campbell, UC Davis

12-31 **Protecting Heritage, Constructing Memory: Heritage Sites & National Narratives in Eastern and Southeastern Europe** - *Salon 3, LB2*
Chair: Josef Djordjevski, UC San Diego
Papers: Stefanie Marie Woodard, Emory U
"Constructing and Contesting the Polish Past: UNESCO Heritage Sites Designations in Cold War Poland"
Lukasz Gawel, Jagiellonian U (Poland)
"The Dual Life of Heritage: The Management of UNESCO Sites in Contemporary Poland"
Nikolai Vukov, Bulgarian Academy of Sciences (Bulgaria)
"Heritage Construction in Post-Socialist Terms: Monuments, Memory and Heritage Debates in Bulgaria after 1989"
Magdalena Banaszkiewicz, Jagiellonian U (Poland)
"Memory Work and Memory Wars: The Chernobyl Exclusion Zone as UNESCO Heritage Site"
Disc.: Tomasz Blaszczak, Vytautas Magnus U (Lithuania)

12-32 **Repercussions of the Donbas War for Ukraine's Domestic and Foreign Affairs** - *Salon 4, LB2*
Chair: Per Ekman, Uppsala U (Sweden)
Papers: Andreas Umland, Institute for Euro-Atlantic Cooperation (Ukraine)
"Between Frontline and Parliament: Ukrainian Political Parties and Irregular Armed Groups after 2014"
Johann Bartlomiej Zajaczkowski, Zeit Foundation/U Bonn (Germany)
"Black Sun Rising: Political Opportunity Structure Perceptions and Institutionalization of the Azov Movement in Post-Euromaidan Ukraine"
Per Ekman, Uppsala U (Sweden)
"The End of Balancing? 2014 as a Critical Juncture for Ukrainian Foreign Policy"
Disc.: Anton Shekhovtsov, U of Vienna (Austria)

12-33 **The Promises of Infrastructure II: Mediating Late Socialist Modernity** - *Salon 5, LB2*
Chair: Russell Scott Valentino, Indiana U Bloomington
Papers: Tatiana Saburova, Indiana U Bloomington
"'The Great Siberian Way': The Sublime of Infrastructure, Trailblazing, and the Future in Photographs of the Late 1960s–Early 1980s"
Olga Povoroznyuk, U of Vienna (Austria)
"Constructing and Re-Constructing the Baikal-Amur Mainline: Imaginaries and Ideologies of a (Post)-Socialist Megaproject"
Kathryn Graber, Indiana U Bloomington
"Traces of Networked Unions Past: Locating One's Once and Future Self through the Infrastructural Remains of Old Media"
Vasilina Orlova, U of Texas at Austin
"Affects of (Im)Mobility in the Remembrance of the Soviet Sublime: Staying in a Siberian Village"
Disc.: Ben Eklof, Indiana U Bloomington

12-34 **(Dis)belief in a New Art Form. Early Cinema in Eastern Europe** - *Salon 6, LB2*

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Chair: Anna Kovalova, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
Papers: Clea Wanner, U of Basel (Switzerland)
"Do You Believe What You See? Aesthetics of Perception in Early Russian Cinema"
Anna Kovalova, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"Silent and Therefore True: The Concept of Belief in Early Russian Films about Cinema"
Łukasz Biskupski, University of Gdańsk (Poland)
"Unbelievable Industry. Peripheral Mode of Film Production in Poland after World War I"
Disc.: Barbara Wurm, Humboldt U (Germany)

12-35 Populism and Democratic Backsliding in Post-communist Europe - *(Roundtable) - Salon 7, LB2*
Chair: Milada Anna Vachudova, UNC at Chapel Hill
Part.: Steven Fish, UC Berkeley
Anna Grzymala-Busse, Stanford U
Pauline Jones Luong, U of Michigan
Michael McFaul, Stanford U
Grigore Pop-Eleches, Princeton U

12-36 Legacies of Communism? Russia and Eastern Europe since 1989/91: A Reassessment - *(Roundtable) - Salon 8, LB2*
Chair: Jan Claas Behrends, Center for Contemporary History (Germany)
Part.: Michael H. Bernhard, U of Florida
Stefano Bottoni, Hungarian Academy of Sciences (Hungary)
Juliet Johnson, McGill U (Canada)
Michael David Kennedy, Brown U
Karen Petrone, U of Kentucky

12-37 Porous Borders: Jewish Mobility in Fin de Siècle Eastern Europe - *Salon 10, LB2*
Chair: Anastasiia Strakhova, Emory U
Papers: James Nadel, Columbia U
"Jews at the Southern Frontier: Jewish Life in Baku at the Turn of the Century"
Anastasiia Strakhova, Emory U
"Emigration Accelerators: Jewish Smugglers and Antisemitism in the Late Russian Empire"
Aleksandra Jakubczak, Columbia U
"Eastern European Jews and the International Sex Industry at the Turn of the Twentieth Century"
Disc.: Steven Seegel, U of Northern Colorado

12-38 New National Cinema in Russia and Central Asia: Ideology and Identity - *Salon 11, LB2*
Chair: Alexander V. Prokhorov, College of William & Mary
Papers: Robert Franklin Crane, Carnegie Mellon U
"Renegotiating the Meaning of World War II in the New National Cinemas"
Elena Monastireva-Ansdell, Colby College
"Electricity Within: Islam, Pre-Islamic Traditions, and Secular Forms of Belief in Contemporary Kyrgyz Cinema"
Olga Klimova, U of Pittsburgh
"Exploring National Identity and Universal Values in Kazakh Partisan Films by Adilkhan Yerzhanov"
Disc.: Seth Graham, U College London (UK)
Olga Kim, U of Pittsburgh

12-39 Back to Marx? Labor, Exchange, and Power in Russian Literature of the Long Nineteenth Century (Panel Two) - *Salon 12, LB2*
Chair: Ilya Kliger, New York U
Papers: Konstantine Klioutchkine, Pomona College
"Chernyshevsky's Vera Pavlovna as the Power Station for the Modern Cultural Economy."
Jennifer Jean Flaherty, UC Berkeley

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"Life Has No Form: Gleb Uspensky's Power of the Earth (1881) and the Populist Reception of Capital"
Melissa Lynn Miller, U of Notre Dame
"Did Chekhov Accidentally Become a Marxist? On the Question of Marxism in the Stories and Plays"
Colleen Lucey, U of Arizona
"The Economics of Venal Sex in Aleksandr Kuprin's The Pit"
Disc.: Ilya Kliger, New York U

12-40 Russian Strategic Culture: Regional Case Studies - *Salon 13, LB2*
Chair: Graeme Pringle Herd, George C Marshall European Center for Security Studies (Germany)
Papers: Pavel Baev, Peace Research Institute Oslo (Norway)
"The Impact of the Syrian Intervention on the Transformation of Russian Strategic Culture"
Samuel Gilmore Charap, RAND Corporation
"Russian Strategic Culture and Ukraine: Lessons Learned?"
David Lewis, U of Exeter (UK)
"Russian Strategic Culture and 'Greater Eurasia'"
Dmitry (Dima) Adamsky, Interdisciplinary Center (IDC) Herzliya (Israel)
"Moscow's Operation in Syria: Change and Continuity in Russian Strategic Culture?'"
Disc.: Kimberly Jackson, RAND Corporation

12-41 About the Identity of Balkan Slavs - *Salon 14, LB2*
Chair: Aleksandra Twardowska, Nicolaus Copernicus U (Poland)
Papers: Wojciech Sajkowski, U of Poznan (Poland)
"French Image of the Inhabitants of the Illyrian Provinces and the Emergence of the South-Slavic Nationalisms"
Jędrzej Paszkiewicz, Adam Mickiewicz U (Poland)
"The Slavic Socio-Political Elite in Bosnia at the Turn of the 19th Century. The Foundations of the Contemporary Ethnic Divisions"
Jolanta Sujecka, U of Warsaw (Poland)
"Nikola Vaptsarov: Between Bulgarian and Macedonian Identity"
Disc.: Katarzyna Taczynska, U of Warsaw (Poland)
Ewa Wróblewska-Trochimiuk, Polish Academy of Sciences (Poland)

12-42 The Histories and Afterlives of Russian Imperialism from Uzbekistan to the Pacific Northwest - *Salon 15, LB2*
Chair: Sarah Cramsey, Tulane U
Papers: Anastasia Lakhtikova, Independent Scholar
"Nordic Explorers in Radiojournal 'The Famous Captain's Club': The Ideal of Russian Masculinity after World War II"
Natalya Khokholova, North Eastern Federal University, RF
"Deep Waters of Yakut Beliefs and Crimes Against"
Nina Bogdan, U of Arizona
"The Russian Diaspora in San Francisco, 1920-1940: Collective Memories, Identity Formation, and Negotiation of Space"
Mollie Arbuthnot, U of Manchester (UK)
"Iconography of the 'Soviet East': Propaganda Posters and National Identity in Uzbekistan, 1920-1930"
Disc.: Sarah Cramsey, Tulane U

12-43 New Directions in the Study of Religion and Belief in the Reign of Peter I: Orthodoxy, Islam and Catholicism - *(Roundtable)* - *Sierra A, 5*
Chair: Nikolaos A. Chrissidis, Southern Connecticut State U
Part.: Andrey Ivanov, U of Wisconsin
Kevin Michael Kain, U of Wisconsin-Green Bay

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Ovidiu Olar, Austrian Academy of Sciences - Balkan Studies (Austria)
Nikolas Pissis, Freie U Berlin (Germany)

12-44 Global Oceanic Encounters in the Twentieth Century (2) - *Sierra B, 5*
Chair: Stella Ghervas, Newcastle U (UK)
Papers: Stian Bones, UiT The Arctic U of Norway (Norway)
"Cold War and Coexistence in the North-East-Atlantic. Marine Research and Diplomacy 1955–1975"
Magnus Brynildsrud Andersson, UiT The Arctic U of Norway (Norway)
"The Joint Norwegian-Russian Fisheries Commission and Marine Preservation in the Barents Sea, 1975-1990"
Ryan T Jones, U of Oregon
"Hippies, Bolsheviks, and Whales: The Soviet Union encounters Environmentalism in the Pacific"
Alexey Golubev, U of Houston
"Oceanic Encounters and Knowledge Production in the North Atlantic during the Cold War"
Disc.: Julia A. Lajus, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)

12-45 In the Shadow of their Professional Husbands: Hidden Women in Late Imperial Russian Public Life - *Sierra C, 5*
Chair: Adele Lindenmeyr, Villanova U
Papers: Robert L. Przygrodzki, Western Governors U
"Gender and Empire in the Russian Western Borderlands: Russian Officials and the Women in their Families in Russian Poland"
Mariya Melentyeva, U of Alberta (Canada)
"Mariia Luchitskaia, the Wife of a Kiev Liberal"
Aileen Friesen, U of Winnipeg (Canada)
"In Prayer and Service: Following the Trail of a Mennonite Minister's Wife, Susanna Friesen"
Disc.: Curtis Richardson, Western Governors U

12-46 Framing readers' experience – an unsung role of paratexts in book design - *Sierra D, 5*
Chair: Ksenia Papazova, U of Manchester (UK)
Papers: Svitlana V. Malykhina, Boston U
"Paratext in English Anthologies of Short Stories Translated from Russian"
Ksenia Papazova, U of Manchester (UK)
"Time and space on the page: 'Vintage' Paratext in Contemporary Russian Book Design"
Michael Lavery, UCLA
"'Naiti u Pisatelia Khoroshego': The Art of Writing Translation Forewords in the Late Soviet Era"
Alexander Soria, CUNY Graduate Center
"Orbita and the Pathways of 'Two Readers'"
Disc.: Robyn Jensen, UC Berkeley
Raisa Shapiro, U of Illinois

12-47 Seeing is Believing? Witnessing the Holocaust in the Soviet Union - *Sierra E, 5*
Chair: Konstantin Fuks, U of Toronto (Canada)
Papers: Zvi Y. Gitelman, U of Michigan
"In the Eyes of the Beholder: The 'Lessons' of WWII for Soviet Jewish Combatants"
Francine R. Hirsch, U of Wisconsin-Madison
"The Politics of Bearing Witness: Soviet Witnesses at the Nuremberg Trials"
Paula Chan, Georgetown U
"A Reputable Source: French Witnesses in the Soviet Investigation of Nazi Crimes in L'vov"
Disc.: Mark Edele, U of Melbourne (Australia)

12-48 Russian & Soviet Temporalities: Beliefs about Time - *(Roundtable)* - *Sierra F, 5*
Chair: Aleksandra Konarzewska, U of Tübingen (Germany)
Part.: Rebecca Friedman, Florida International U

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Deirdre Ruscitti Harshman, Christopher Newport U (Russia)
Tatiana Klepikova, Independent Scholar
John Wyatt Randolph, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

12-50 **Social Engineering and Survival in Eastern Europe during and after World War Two** - *Sierra H, 5*
Chair: MayaLisa Holzman, Oregon State U-Cascades
Papers: Regina Kazyulina, Northeastern U
"Exploiting Gender Myopias during World War Two: Soviet Women and Intelligence Work on German-Occupied Territory"
Judith Therese Vöcker, U of Leicester (UK)
"Warsaw's Jewry under Foreign Law during the Nazi Occupation of Poland"
Jakub Grzegorz Galeziowski, U of Warsaw (Poland)
"'Poland Wants Them All – Especially Their Children'. Single Mothers and Their Babies in Post-War Polish State."
Pawel Markiewicz, Jagiellonian U (Poland)
"Nazis and their Ukrainian Pupil : An Examination of Collaboration into the Occupier-Occupied Relationship in the General Government"
Disc.: Oksana Vynnyk, U of Alberta (Canada)

12-51 **Populism without Populus: A Narrow Escape of Russian Politics** - *(Roundtable) - Sierra I, 5*
Chair: Pavel Kononenko, St Petersburg State U (Russia)
Part.: Zhanna Chernova, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
Karine Clément, St Petersburg State U (Russia)
Aleksei Gilev, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
Ilya Kalinin, New Literary Observer (Russia)
Denis Skopin, St Petersburg U (Russia)

12-52 **A Century of Refugees - the Case of Slovenes in two World Wars** - *Sierra J, 5*
Chair: Petra Svoljsak, ZRC SAZU (Slovenia)
Papers: Gregor Antoličič, Milko Kos Historical Institute ZRC SAZU
"The Austro-Hungarian Command of the Southwest Front - the Isonzo and the Hinterland"
Bojan Godesa, Institute for Contemporary History (Slovenia)
"Raphael Lemkin and the Slovenes – Compulsory Evictions of Slovenian Population as the Basis of Nazi Genocide Policy"
Miha Preinfalk, Scientific Research Centre SAZU (Slovenia)
"The Nobility in Slovenia as Refugees after the Second World War"
Petra Svoljsak, ZRC SAZU (Slovenia)
"The Artistic Responses to the Refugeedom"
Disc.: Jernej Kosi, U of Ljubljana (Slovenia)

12-53 **Beyond Belief: Slavic Studies and the Public Humanities** - *(Roundtable) - Sierra K, 5*
Chair: Victoria Donovan, U of St Andrews (UK)
Part.: Maria Brock, Södertörn U (Sweden)
Victoria Donovan, U of St Andrews (UK)
Sofia Andereevna Gavrilova, U of Oxford (UK)
James Rann, U of Glasgow (UK)

12-54 **Minorities, Migrants and the State** - *SOMA, 2*
Chair: Barbara Kopac, U of Ljubljana (Slovenia)
Papers: Martins Kaprans, U of Latvia (Latvia)
"Baltic Migrants in Great Britain: Projecting Identity in the Brexit Light"
Nadiia Bureiko, NGO "Quadrivium"/ New Europe College (Romania)
Teodor Lucian Moga, Alexandru Ioan Cuza U (Romania)
"The Identity Maze: What Differentiates Attachments and Loyalties of Romanians in Ukraine and Ukrainians in Romania"

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Ammon Cheskin, U of Glasgow (UK)
"Horizontal Citizenship and Integration in Estonia: Russian Speakers in the Borderland City of Narva"
Inese Supule, U of Latvia (Latvia)
"Experiences of Highly Skilled Latvian Migrants: The Strategies of Adaptation"
Disc.: Indra Dineh Ekmanis, Foreign Policy Research Institute Fellow & Mellon/ACLS Fellow

12-55 **A War of Songs: Popular Music and Recent Russia-Ukraine Relations** - *Walnut, B2*
Chair: Josephine von Zitzewitz, U of Cambridge (UK)
Papers: Arve Hansen, UiT The Arctic U of Norway (Norway)
"Pop Rock, Ethno-Chaos, Battle Drums and a Requiem: The Soundtrack of the Ukrainian Revolution"
Andrei Rogatchevski, UiT the Arctic U of Norway (Norway)
"Mitigating Militancy Musically? Answer Songs in the Russo-Ukrainian Crisis"
Yngvar Steinholt, UiT The Arctic U of Norway (Norway)
"Bring on the Ban: Disrupting the Musical Symbol of Official Russia"
David-Emil Wickström, Popakademie Baden-Württemberg (Germany)
"A Million Voices vs. 1944: Recent Russian-Ukrainian Relations and the Eurovision Song Contest"
Disc.: Josephine von Zitzewitz, U of Cambridge (UK)

12-56 **Russian Manufacturing Sector after 2014-2015 Crisis: New Empirical Evidences from Large-Scale Enterprises Survey** - *Willow, B2*
Chair: Yuri Simachev, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
Papers: Yuri Simachev, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
Mikhail Kuzyk, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"Adaptation of Russian Companies to Digital Transformation: Opportunities and Limitations"
Anna Fedyunina, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
Kseniia Koka, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"Competitive Pressure, Learning and Products Innovations"
Anton Kazun, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
Lev Freinkman, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"The Use of Russian Courts for Property Rights Protection: New Evidences from Manufacturing Firms Survey"
Disc.: Laura Solanko, Bank of Finland (Finland)

Monday Evening Events and Meetings
5:30 – 6:30 pm
Book Awards Reception in Exhibit Hall

6:30 – 8:00 pm
ASEEES Book Awards Ceremony & President's Address - *Salon 8, LB2*

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Session 13 – Tuesday – 8:00-9:45 am

Committee on Libraries and Information Resources Membership Meeting - *(Meeting)* - *Salon 7, LB2*

13-01 **Current Trends in the South Caucasus: Changing Society, Politics, and the State** - *(Roundtable)* - *Foothill A, 2*
Sponsored by: American Research Institute of the South Caucasus (ARISC)
Chair: Stephen Francis Jones, Mount Holyoke College
Part.: Anna Ohanyan, Stonehill College
Syuzanna Petrosyan, U of Southern California
Michael Anthony Reynolds, Princeton U
Wendy B Smith, California State U, San Bernardino

13-02 **Church and Migrations in East-Central Europe in 20th century** - *Foothill B, 2*
Chair: Victoria Phillips, Columbia U
Papers: Rustis Kamuntavicius, Vytautas Magnus U (Lithuania)
"The Phenomenon of Lugano Lake Artists in the Territories of the Grand Duchy of Lithuania"
Tomasz Blaszczak, Vytautas Magnus U (Lithuania)
"Migration of Orthodox Clergy during the Polish-Lithuanian conflict"
Sławomir Lukasiewicz, John Paul II Catholic U of Lublin (Poland)
"Catholic Church and Polish Catholics in Exile After the World War II – From Worship to Political Engagement"
Ilona Strumickiene, Vytautas Magnus U (Lithuania)
"Return Migration and its Influence on Lithuania's Religious Life"
Disc.: Mindaugas Sapoka, Lithuanian Institute of History (Lithuania)

13-03 **Literature between Russia and Asia III: Socialist Literary Internationalism during Decolonization** - *Foothill C, 2*
Chair: Svetlana Boltovska, Herder Inst for Historical Research on East Central Europe (Germany)
Papers: Jessica Leigh Bachman, U of Washington
"Framing Marx, Clipping Lenin, Pasting Gorky: A Material and Cultural History of Soviet Book Consumption in Post-Colonial South Asia"
Cate I. Reilly, Duke U
"'The Tragedy of Translated Men:' Negotiating Print Culture and Aesthetic Self-Determination in the Cold War"
Rossen Djagalov, New York U
"Postcolonials All Over the World, Unite!: Central Asian Writers' Engagement with the Global South"
Lusia Alexeevna Zaitseva, Harvard U
"Faiz Ahmad Faiz and His Soviet Interlocutors, 1958-1979"
Disc.: Brian James Baer, Kent State U

13-08 **China in the "Balkans": Current Affairs, Possibilities and Challenges** - *Foothill H, 2*
Chair: Robert Edward Niebuhr, Arizona State U
Papers: Ivica Bakota, Capital Normal U (China)
"Responsible Partner or Opportunist Free-Rider: China`s Relations with the Countries of the Western Balkans in the Second Decade of the 21st Century"
Zvonimir Stopic, Capital Normal U (China)
"Croatia within the '16+1' Cooperation Framework and 'Belt and Road Initiative': Possibilities and Challenges"
Jianjun Li, Capital Normal U (China)
"Balkan Studies in China: Creating New Perspectives"
Disc.: Tvrtko Jakovina, U of Zagreb (Croatia)
Vjeran Ivan Pavlakovic, U of Rijeka (Croatia)

13-13 **Imagined Geographies Between the Old Regime and the Land of the Soviets** - *(Roundtable)* - *Juniper, B2*
Chair: Mark Bassin, Södertörn U (Sweden)
Part.: Edith W. Clowes, U of Virginia
Ornella Discacciati, U of Bergamo (Italy)
Tatiana Filimonova, College of Wooster

Anne Lounsbery, New York U
Melissa Kirschke Stockdale, U of Oklahoma

13-19 **Unorthodoxy: Art, Religion, and Universalism at the fin de siècle** - *Pacific A, 4*
Chair: Wendy R. Salmond, Chapman U
Papers: Maria Taroutina, Yale-NUS College (Singapore)
"From the Caves of Hindustan to the Avant-Garde: Exoticism, Mysticism and the 'East' in the Works of Mikhail Vrubel and Their Legacy for Twentieth-Century Art"
Louise Hardiman, Independent Scholar (UK)
"Pagan Primitivism: Ancient Symbols in the Arts and Crafts of Elena Polenova and Sergei Maliutin"
Ludmila Piters-Hofmann, Jacobs U Bremen (Germany)
"Uniting the Opposite: Orthodox Script in Russian Folklore Depictions"
Disc.: John Ellis Bowlt, U of Southern California

13-20 **Book Discussion: Tourism and Travel during the Cold War: Negotiating Tourist Experiences across the Iron Curtain (eds. Bechmann Pedersen & Noack)** - *(Roundtable)* - *Pacific B, 4*
Chair: Sune Bechmann Pedersen, Lund U (Sweden)
Part.: Johanna Conterio, Flinders U (Australia)
Shaul Kelner, Vanderbilt U
Juliana Maxim, U of San Diego
Christian U. Noack, U of Amsterdam (Netherlands)

13-21 **Russian Grand Strategy from the Tsars to Putin** - *(Roundtable)* - *Pacific C, 4*
Chair: Onur Isci, Bilkent U (Turkey)
Part.: Anton A Fedyashin, American U
Onur Isci, Bilkent U (Turkey)
Nikita Andreevich Lomagin, European U at St. Petersburg (Russia)
Jeffrey Mankoff, Center for Strategic and International Studies
Maurizio Recordati, American U

13-22 **Nation and Classification: What Hides Behind Science and Belief** - *Pacific D, 4*
Chair: Dragana Obradovic, U of Toronto (Canada)
Papers: Dunja Dusanic, U of Belgrade (Serbia)
"Literary Genre and Volksgeist: The Role of Generic Classification in Yugoslav Literary Historiography"
Vladimir Zoric, U of Nottingham (UK)
"South Slavs between Yugoslavia and Central Europe: The Rise of a Regional Antagonism"
Adrijana Marcetic, U of Belgrade (Serbia)
"Post-Yugoslav Literature(s) in Postnational and Transnational Context"
Disc.: Dragana Obradovic, U of Toronto (Canada)

13-23 **Revolutionary and Religious Martyrdom in Early Twentieth-Century Russia** - *Pacific E, 4*
Chair: Alison Rowley, Concordia U (Canada)
Papers: George Gilbert, U of Southampton (UK)
"Martyrdom in the Russian Social Democratic Movement during the Revolution of 1905"
Ben Phillips, U of Exeter (UK)
"'The Pure Wheat of the Lord': Martyrdom, Prophecy and the Russian Intelligentsia in the Writings of D. S. Merezhkovskii, 1906-1918"
Sally Anne Boniece, Frostburg State U
"The Martyrdom of Illness: Mariia Spiridonova in Siberian Imprisonment, 1906-17"
Disc.: Alison Rowley, Concordia U (Canada)

13-24 **Socialist Encounters: Reforms and Migration between the Second and Third World** - *Pacific F, 4*
Chair: Michal Przeperski, Institute of National Remembrance (Poland)
Papers: Jan Koura, Charles U in Prague (Czech Republic)
"Exporting Socialism: Czechoslovak Experts in Ghana in 1960s"
Thuc Linh Nguyen Vu, European U Institute (Italy)
"Friend or Foe? The Experience of Vietnamese Students in 1970s Warsaw"
Nikolay Erofeev, U of Oxford (UK)
"Second-Third-World Architectural Engagements in Comecon Networks: The Case of Socialist 'Technical Assistance' to Mongolia"
Disc.: Natalia Telepneva, U of Warwick (UK)

13-25 **Medical Discourse in Slavic Literatures: the Ethics of Narrating Illness** - *Pacific G, 4*
Chair: Elena Fratto, Princeton U
Papers: Giulia Dossi, Harvard U
"Feeling Conflicted: Grotesque Affectivity in Russian Psychiatric Case Studies"
Nina Begus, Harvard U
"Pygmalionism as a Diagnosis in South Slavic Literary and Cinematic Works"
Natalia Vygovskaia, Brown U
"The Significance of Manassein's Journal 'Vrach' (1880-1901) in the Development of the Russian Medical Discourse"
Disc.: Frances Lee Bernstein, Drew U

13-26 **Documentary Devices in Soviet Literature of the Thaw Period and Beyond** - *Pacific H, 4*
Chair: Matthias Schwartz, Leibniz Center for Literary and Cultural Research Berlin (Germany)
Papers: Clemens Guenther, Freie U Berlin (Germany)
"One Day that Shapes the World. Constructing Socialist Globality in Izvestia's 1960 Den' Mira Initiative"
Elizaveta Mankovskaya, Princeton U
"For an (Auto)biography of Construction: Building Sites of Tolyatti in the Writings of Evgenii Astakhov (1960s-1970s)"
Anatoly Pinsky, European U at St. Petersburg (Russia)
"The Empirical Imperative: How to Know the Post-Stalin Village"
Benjamin Massey Sutcliffe, Miami U of Ohio
"Iurii Trifonov and the Perils of Dokumental'nost'"
Disc.: Ilya Kukulin, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)

13-27 **Dostoevsky and Philosophy** - *Pacific I, 4*
Chair: Lyudmila Parts, McGill U (Canada)
Papers: Kåre Johan Mjør, Uppsala U (Sweden)
"The Making of a Philosopher: Dostoevsky through the Lens of Rozanov, Bulgakov and Shestov"
Vladimir Ivantsov, Williams College
"Overcoming Existentialism: The Reception of Dostoevsky by the Members of the Leningrad Religious-Philosophical Seminar"
Lindsay Marie Ceballos, Lafayette College
"Philosopher of the Spirit: Racial Typologies in Merezhkovsky's L. Tolstoy and Dostoevsky"
Disc.: Evgenia Cherkasova, Suffolk U

13-28 **Gendered Mobilities: Movement as a Politics of Resistance in the Caucasus** - *Pacific J, 4*
Chair: Joanna M. Regulska, UC Davis
Papers: Ariel Otruba, Rutgers, The State U of New Jersey
"'You are Not a Real Man if You Haven't been Detained in Tskhinvali Once': Risking Detention and Traumatic Masculinity along the South Ossetian Administrative Boundary Line"
Andrea Peinhopf, U of College London (UK)
"Crossing Boundaries: Georgian Wives in Abkhazia, Abkhazian Wives in Georgia"
Zofia Agnieszka Wlodarczyk, UC Davis
"Female Chechen Refugees. How do Survivors of Gender-Based Violence Decide to Flee?"
Disc.: Julie Mostov, New York U

13-29 **Growing Old in the Soviet Union, 1945-1991** - *(Roundtable) - Salon 1, LB2*
Chair: Seth Bernstein, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
Part.: Aleksandra Marta Brokman, Liverpool John Moores U (UK)
Botakoz Kassymbekova, Liverpool John Moores Liverpool U (UK)
Danielle Leavitt-Quist, Harvard U
Isaac McKean Scarborough, Liverpool John Moores U

13-30 **State, Faith and Prosperity - Rethinking Economy and Religious Belonging in the Russian Empire** - *Salon 2, LB2*
Chair: Boris Belge, U of Basel (Switzerland)
Papers: Kersti Lust, U of Tallinn (Estonia)
"Conversion to the Russian Orthodox Church in the Baltic Province of Livland: Short-term and Long-term Economic Gains"
Immo Rebitschek, U of Jena (Germany)
"Crises and Ethnicity – Imperial Famine Relief in Kazan, 1891"
Michel Abesser, U of Freiburg (Germany)

"Towards an All-Russian Market? – Negotiating the Armenian Privileges in 19th Century Rostov on Don"

Disc.: Robert Paul Geraci, U of Virginia

13-31 **Conservative Turn to the Past? Memory Politics in Russia and Eastern Europe** - *Salon 3, LB2*

Chair: Zuzanna Bogumil, Maria Grzegorzewska U (Poland)

Papers: Markku Kangaspuro, U of Helsinki (Finland)
"Conservativism: A New Turn or Long Trend in Russia's Memory Politics"
Katalin Miklossy, U of Helsinki (Finland)
"Russian Memory Policing in Hungary: Threat or Affinity?"
Andrea Peto, Central European U (Hungary)
"Paradigm Change in Holocaust Remembrance Discourse in Eastern Europe"

Disc.: Ekaterina M. Boltunova, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)

13-32 **After the Crimea Consensus: Perspectives on Russian Public Opinion in 2019** - *(Roundtable) - Salon 4, LB2*

Chair: Kirill Kalinin, Stanford U

Part.: Elena Bashkirova, Bashkirova and Partners
Eli Adam Feiman, US Department of State
Nathaniel Reynolds, State Department
Dina Susan Smeltz, Chicago Council on Global Affairs
Lily Wojtowicz, Chicago Council on Global Affairs

13-33 **Book Discussion: "The Palace Complex" by Michał Murawski** - *(Roundtable) - Salon 5, LB2*

Chair: Michał Murawski, U College London (UK)

Part.: Krisztina Fehervary, U of Michigan
Andres Kurg, Estonian Academy of Arts (Estonia)
Vladimir Paperny, UCLA
Katherine Zubovich, Ryerson U (Canada)

13-34 **(Re)shaping Russian Digital Space from Abroad: State and Non-State Web and Public Space Professionals in Post-Soviet and EU Countries** - *Salon 6, LB2*

Chair: Françoise Daucé, EHESS (France)

Papers: Valery Kossov, U of Grenoble (France)
"Digital Sovereignty and Borders of the Scope of National Rules: What Impact on Russian-Speaking Media and Journalists?"
Olga Bronnikova, U Grenoble Alpes (France)
"Reshaping the Russian Digital Space from the 'Near Abroad'. Russian Web Professionals in Baltic States and in Belarus"
Ksenia Ermoshina, CIS CNRS / Citizen Lab (France)
"Circumventing the Annexation: Exiled Crimean Journalists and the Making of Alternative Content Delivery"
Perrine Poupin, Telecom ParisTech (France)
"RT France and Yellow Vest Movement"

Disc.: Elena Anatolyevna Rodina, Northwestern U

13-36 **The Russian Law in Action: What Do We Know from Empirical Research** - *Salon 8, LB2*

Chair: Peter H. Solomon, U of Toronto (Canada)

Papers: Ekaterina Moiseeva, UC Irvine
"The Legal Profession in Russia: State vs Market Regulation"
Kirill D. Titaev, European U at St. Petersburg (Russia)
"The Performace of State Corporations in Commercial Courts: Towards a Corporate State?"
Vadim Volkov, European U at St. Petersburg (Russia)
"Russia's Courts of General Jurisdiction: Between Judicial Power and State Bureaucracy"

Disc.: Alexei Trochev, Nazarbayev U (Kazakhstan)

13-37 **Jewish Religious Life in the Soviet Union** - *Salon 10, LB2*

Chair: Gennady Estraikh, New York U

Papers: Joshua M Karlip, Yeshiva U
"Jewish Religious Marriage and Divorce in the Soviet Union: A Look at the Rabbinic Responsa"
Victoria M. Khiterer, Millersville U
"Not So Silent: Jewish Religious Life in Kyiv, 1945-1970s"
Marat Grinberg, Reed College

"'Judaism is a Reactionary Religion Like Any Other': Censorship and Subversion in Soviet Judaica Scholarship."

Disc.: Antony Polonsky, Brandeis U
Elissa Bemporad, CUNY Queens College / CUNY Graduate Center

13-38 **Contemporary Russian Film Adaptations: Redefining Russian Classics in 2009-2017** - *Salon 11, LB2*
Chair: Olga Simonova Partan, College of the Holy Cross
Papers: Alexandra Smith, U of Edinburgh (UK)
"Karen Shakhnazarov's Ward No 6 as a Critique of Russian Intelligentsia"
Elena Konstantinovna Murenina, East Carolina U
"Transposing Turgenev's Play: Vera Glagoleva's Two Women (2014) within the Literary Adaptation Discourse"
Ana Berdinskikh, Yale U
"Revolution Reimagined: Adapting A. N. Tolstoy's The Road to Calvary for the Twenty-First Century"
Disc.: Olga Simonova Partan, College of the Holy Cross

13-39 **Essay as a Leap of Faith** - *(Roundtable)* - *Salon 12, LB2*
Chair: Anastasia de La Fortelle, U of Lausanne (Switzerland)
Part.: Anna Arustamova, Perm State U (Russia)
Alla Baeva, St. John's U
Vasily Sergeyevich Lvov, CUNY Graduate Center / Moscow State U (Russia)
Alexander Markov, Russian State U for the Humanities (Russia)
Egeniya Vorobyeva, Russian State U for the Humanities (Russia)

13-40 **Second-Hand Beliefs: Recycling Culture in Post-Soviet Russia** - *Salon 13, LB2*
Chair: Marcus C. Levitt, U of Southern California
Papers: Maria Engström, Uppsala U (Sweden)
"Gosha Rubchinskiy: Conservative Queer and Biopolitics of Fashion"
Serguei Alex. Oushakine, Princeton U
"The Spell of Trukhliashechka: Working through Soviet Enchantment Now"
Valery Vyugin, Institute of Russian Literature (Pushkin House), St. Petersburg State U (Russia)
"The Goblin versus Hollywood (On Dmitry Puchkov's Oeuvre)"
Disc.: Lilya Kaganovsky, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

13-41 **Challengers or Conformers? Youth Agency and Change in Socialist Yugoslavia** - *Salon 14, LB2*
Chair: Olivia Hellewell, U of Nottingham (UK)
Papers: Peter Q Wright, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
"International Student Clubs of Friendship: Youth and Non-Aligned Solidarity in 1960s Yugoslavia"
Jovana Durovic, U of Nottingham (UK)
"Rebellion in Popular Yugoslav Youth Films: Coming of Age as Political Disobedience"
Laura Todd, U of Nottingham (UK)
"To Conform or Not to Conform: The Arrival of MTV in Yugoslavia"
Disc.: Igor Duda, Juraj Dobrila U of Pula (Croatia)

13-42 **Representations of Twentieth Century Atrocities** - *Salon 15, LB2*
Chair: Liliana Milkova, Allen Memorial Art Museum
Papers: Ian MacMillen, Oberlin College
"Sonic Absence and Forgotten Presence at the Memorial of the Victims of the Communist Regime in Bulgaria"
Joanna Trzeciak, Kent State U
"Inherited Trauma: Nikita Kadan's '(Un)named'"
David Shneer, U of Colorado at Boulder
"Making the Holocaust Human: A Soviet Photojournalist's Confrontation with German Wartime Atrocities"
Disc.: Emanuela Grama, Carnegie Mellon U

13-43 **At the Borderlands of Orthodox Christendom: Stefan Iavorskii (1658-1722) in Dialogue with his Western Sources.** - *Sierra A, 5*
Chair: Maria Ivanova, McGill U (Canada)
Papers: Jakub Niedzwiedz, Jagiellonian U (Poland)
"An Orthodox Hierarch and His Unorthodox Books: Stefan Iavorskii and His Reading Strategies

(1658–1722)"
Bartosz B. Awianowicz, Nicolaus Copernicus U (Poland)
"The Classical Erudition of Stefan Iavorskii in His Panegyrics to Barlaam Iasinskii"
Maria Grazia Bartolini, U of Milan (Italy)
"'Virginity Is Good but Marriage Is Better': Stefan Iavorskii's Vinograd Khristov (1698) as an Emblematic Praise of Marriage."
Disc.: Gary J. Marker, SUNY Stony Brook

13-44 Seeing and Believing: African-American Experiences in the Soviet and Post-Soviet Space and Soviet Understandings of Blackness - *Sierra B, 5*
Chair: Holly E. Myers, Barnard College
Papers: Bradley A Gorski, Vanderbilt U
"Reds on Blackness: Soviet Travelers to the U.S. from Gorky to Ilf and Petrov"
Kimberly Marie St. Julian Varnon, Lee College
"The American Negro in Stalin's Soviet Union: African-Americans and Identity in the 'Colorless' Soviet Union"
Yana Skorobogatov, Williams College
"'Our Friend Angela': Documenting Angela Davis's Trip to the Soviet Union"
Disc.: Steven Lee, UC Berkeley

13-45 Language and Belief: The Key Concepts of the Ecclesiastical Discourse in Imperial Russia - *Sierra C, 5*
Chair: Denis Sdvizkov, German Historical Institute, Moscow (Russia)
Papers: Denis Sdvizkov, German Historical Institute, Moscow (Russia)
"The Concept of Pokoi/Tishina in 'Long' Eighteenth-century Russia"
Evgeny Grishin, U of Tyumen (Russia)
"The Concept of Raskol (Schism) in Russia in the Seventeenth and Eighteenth Centuries"
Irina K. Paert, U of Tartu (Estonia)
"Shifting Concepts of the Church in Revolutionary Russia, 1905-1918"

13-46 Language Ideology and Folk Linguistics: Eastern European and Eurasian Perspectives - *(Roundtable) - Sierra D, 5*
Chair: Curt Woolhiser, Boston College
Part.: Laada M. Bilaniuk, U of Washington
Jenanne Ferguson, U of Nevada-Reno
Motoki Nomachi, Hokkaido U (Japan)
Curt Woolhiser, Boston College

13-47 Recording Soviet Wartime Experiences: The Mints and Republican Commissions' Interviews with Soviet Citizens, 1941-45 - *Sierra E, 5*
Chair: Erina Megowan, College of the Holy Cross
Papers: Kristo Nurmis, Stanford U
"'Bitter and Frustrated': Kruus Commission Interviews on Soviet Withdrawal from Estonia in 1941"
Konstantin Fuks, U of Toronto (Canada)
"Latvian Commission on the History of the Great Patriotic War: Forging a Soviet Latvian Experience of War, 1941-42"
Irina Makhalova, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"Phenomenon of Collaboration in the Crimea on Materials of the Minz's Collection"
Disc.: Jochen Hellbeck, Rutgers, The State U of New Jersey

13-48 Soviet Legacies and Revivals - *Sierra F, 5*
Chair: Martins Kaprans, U of Latvia (Latvia)
Papers: Aurimas Svedas, Vilnius U (Lithuania)
"Red Knights: The Revival of the KGB Myth"
Kristiina Annikki Silvan, U of Helsinki (Finland)
"Conceptualising Revivals: Communist Legacy in the Belarusian Republican Youth Union"
Saulius Grybkauskas, Lithuanian Institute of History (Lithuania)
"From Soviet Technocrat to Expert in Government: Ideological Scepticism and Technocratic Narratives in Soviet and Post-Soviet Lithuania"
Alexander Osipov, ICELDS
"The Soviet Diversity Policy in Russia and its Western Neighbors: Life after Death"
Disc.: Mike Loader, Uppsala U (Sweden)

13-49 **The Media Politics of Russian Digital Poetry** - *Sierra G, 5*
Chair: Henrieke Stahl, Trier U (Germany)
Papers: Jacob Edmond, U of Otago (New Zealand)
"Modernist and Conceptualist Legacies in Contemporary Russian and US Avant-Gardes"
Kirill Korchagin, U Trier / Vinogradov Russian Language Institute (Germany)
"Poetics of (Digital) Self-Destruction: Vadim Bannikov, Rostislav Amelin, and Ian Vygovskii"
Klavdia Smola, U of Dresden (Germany)
"Intervention into Cyberspace: Techno-Poetry and Politics"
Disc.: Dirk Uffelmann, U of Passau (Germany)

13-51 **Who Should Study? -Governments, Universities and Social Mobility** - *Sierra I, 5*
Chair: Judith Szapor, McGill U (Canada)
Papers: Anna Borgos, Inst of Cognitive Neuroscience and Psychology, Hungarian Academy of Sciences (Hungary)
"Fighting Women's Enrollment at the Budapest University (1900s-1920s)"
Agnes Katalin Kelemen, Central European U (Hungary)
"Fighting Jewish Enrollment: The Numerus Clausus in Interwar Hungary"
Steven McClellan, U of Toronto (Canada)
"Troubled Entanglements: German Economic Thought between Engagement and Exclusion with Eastern Europe in the Interwar Period"
Agata Zysiak, U of Warsaw (Poland)
"Fighting Class Privilege: Enrollment Policies in Postwar Poland"
Disc.: Judith Szapor, McGill U (Canada)

13-52 **Book Discussion: One Hundred Student (r)Evolutions. The Student Generation of 1989 in Longitudinal Perspective by Miroslav Vaněk et al.** - *(Roundtable) - Sierra J, 5*
Chair: Hana Pichova, UNC at Chapel Hill
Part.: Peter Bugge, Aarhus U (Denmark)
Jana Wohlmuth Markupova, Charles U (Czech Republic)
Veronika Pehe, Institute of Contemporary History, CAS (Czech Republic)
Petra Schindler-Wisten, Institute of Contemporary History CAS (Czech Republic)
Miroslav Vanek, Institute of Contemporary History, ASCR (Czech Republic)

13-53 **Book Discussion: "Ivan the Terrible: Free to Reward and Punish" by Charles Halperin** - *(Roundtable) - Sierra K, 5*
Chair: David Goldfrank, Georgetown U (ret.)
Part.: Sergei Bogatyrev, U College London (UK)
Charles J. Halperin, Independent Scholar
Mikhail Markovich Krom, European U at St. Petersburg (Russia)
Donald Ostrowski, Harvard U
Jennifer B. Spock, Eastern Kentucky U

Session 14 – Tuesday – 10:00-11:45 am

ASEEES Communications Committee - *(Meeting) - Foothill I, 2*

14-01 **The Politics of Protest in Armenia and Russia** - *Foothill A, 2*
Chair: Irina Olimpieva, Centre for Independent Social Research (Russia)
Papers: Anna Ohanyan, Stonehill College
"Armenia's Velvet Revolution in a Global Context"
Egor Lazarev, U of Toronto (Canada)
"E-thnicity: Digital Ethnography of Ethnic Mobilization in Ingushetia"
Olena Nikolayenko, Fordham U
"Geography of Anti-Corruption Protests in Russia"
Sasha de Vogel, U of Michigan
"Local Officials' Response to Local Socio-Economic Protest in Authoritarian Regimes"
Disc.: Meagan Todd, Indiana U

14-02 **Book Discussion: "From Cotton and Smoke: Łódź – Industrial City and Discourses of Asynchronous Modernity 1897–1994," by Agata Zysiak et. al.** - *(Roundtable) - Foothill B, 2*
Chair: Winson Chu, U of Wisconsin-Milwaukee
Part.: Winson Chu, U of Wisconsin-Milwaukee

Kathryn Ciancia, U of Wisconsin-Madison
Wiktor Marzec, U of Warsaw (Poland)
Nathaniel D. Wood, U of Kansas
Agata Zysiak, U of Warsaw (Poland)

14-03 **Designing Women Rights, Producing Violence? Women in Soviet System between Revolutionary Beliefs and Gulag Reality** - *Foothill C, 2*
Chair: Karsten Brüggemann, Tallinn U (Estonia)
Papers: Violeta Davoliute, Vilnius University (Lithuania)
"Sexual Violence in the Accounts of Ethnic Lithuanians and Jews Deported in June 1941"
Leena Kurvet-Käosaar, U of Tartu / Estonian Literary Museum (Estonia)
"Epistolary and Diaristic Representations of Deportation as Traumatic Experience"
Ksenia Golovko, St Petersburg State U (Russia)
"Revolutionary Impulse for Women Right: Russian Avant-Garde Design"
Monika Kareniauskaite, Yale U / Vilnius U / Vytautas Magnus U (Lithuania)
"Gender Based Violence in Soviet Lithuania: Forms, Density, Reasons, Sanctions and Prevention"
Disc.: Mara Lazda, CUNY Bronx Community College

14-08 **Managing Ethnic Relations in Romania and Southeastern Europe** - *Foothill H, 2*
Chair: Stefano Bianchini, U of Bologna (Italy)
Papers: Allen Howard Kassof, Project on Ethnic Relations
"American Intervention in Post-Communist Interethnic Conflicts: A Personal Account"
Francine Friedman, Ball State U
"(Mis)Managing Ethnic Tensions in Bosnia-Herzogovina"
Vladimir Ionas, Roundtable on Ethnic Relations (Romania)
"Hungarian Communities in Romania: Between Discrimination and Positive Discrimination"
Larry L. Watts, Academy of Sciences (Romania)
"Beliefs, Biases & Baselines: Contrasting Narratives of Interethnic Reality in Romania"
Disc.: Stefano Bianchini, U of Bologna (Italy)

14-19 **Art Workers and Art's Working Conditions in the Labor Context of Socialist Yugoslavia** - *Pacific A, 4*
Chair: Bojana Videkanic, U of Waterloo (Canada)
Papers: Bojana Videkanic, U of Waterloo (Canada)
"Between the Art Studio and the Factory Floor: Cooperation, Production, and Creativity"
Deirdre Madeleine Smith, U of Texas at Austin
"'The Conditions of Work Were Very Difficult...': The Yugoslav Art World as a Frame for Studying Self-Management"
Katja Praznik, SUNY Buffalo
"Art Workers in Yugoslavia and the Paradox of Unpaid Artistic Labor"
Disc.: Eliza Rose, Columbia U

14-20 **Soviet Africa and the "Transnational Turn": Approaches, Trends, Opportunities, Challenges** - *(Roundtable) - Pacific B, 4*
Chair: Thomas Loyd, Georgetown U
Part.: Elizabeth Banks, New York U
Christopher Lee, Lafayette College
Steffi Marung, U of Leipzig (Germany)
Asif A. Siddiqi, Fordham U
Natalia Telepneva, U of Warwick (UK)

14-21 **Engaging Approaches to Teaching Central-Eastern Europe and Russia II** - *(Roundtable) - Pacific C, 4*
Chair: Kathryn Julian, Maryville College
Part.: Tony H Lin, Boston College
Rachel L. Rothstein, Weber School
Kimberly Marie St. Julian Varnon, Lee College
Sarah Ellen Zarrow, Western Washington U

14-22 **Ivan Franko: Eros, Illness, Women, and Crime** - *Pacific D, 4*
Chair: Alessandro Achilli, Monash U (Australia)
Papers: Tamara Hundorova, Institute of Literature, NASU (Ukraine)
"Writing and Sickness in Ivan Franko's Works"

Katarzyna Glinianowicz, Jagiellonian University (Poland)
"Eros and Ethnos: Ivan Franko's (Dis)belief"
Maxim Tarnawsky, U of Toronto (Canada)
"Ivan Franko: Sexuality, Transgression, Crime"
Svitlana Krys, MacEwan U (Canada)
"Between Power and Victimization: The Gothic Trope of the Femme Fatale in Ivan Franko's Novels"
Disc.: Taras Koznarsky, U of Toronto (Canada)

14-23 Russia at War, 1914-1921: New Perspectives - *Pacific E, 4*
Chair: Ellen L. Paul, Fort Lewis College
Papers: Laurie S. Stoff, Arizona State U
"'Front' or 'Rear,' 'Combatant' or 'Non-Combatant'?: Toward a New Gendered Understanding of Russia's Great War"
Tamara Polyakova, U of Wisconsin–Madison
"'They Think Us a Race of Wizards:' A Micro-History of the British Intervention in North Russia"
Paul J Behringer, American U/Harvard U
"Worlds Colliding: Ethnic and National Encounters during the Russian Civil War in the Far East"
Allison Schmidt, SUNY Oswego
"Navigating Communism: Experiences of a Captured Austrian Nurse During the Russian Civil War"
Disc.: Liudmila Novikova, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)

14-24 The Imprints of Philanthropy: American Foundations in Eastern Europe during Communism - *Pacific F, 4*
Chair: Simo Mikkonen, U of Jyväskylä (Finland)
Papers: Ingeborg Stensrud, Norwegian U of Science and Technology (Norway)
"Europe Not Taken for Granted: The Ford Foundation's Exchange Programs in Eastern Europe in the 1950s and 1960s"
Matthias Duller, Central European U (Hungary)
"The Ford Foundation behind the Iron Curtain: Making Dissidents or Educating Party Intellectuals?"
Harm Langenkamp, Utrecht U (Netherlands)
"Orchestrating Freedom: The Philharmonia Hungarica and the Transatlantic Cold War State-Private Network"
Tamás Scheibner, ELTE U of Budapest (Hungary)
"When Philanthropy Mattered: Hungarian Refugee Programs and Cold War International Exchange"
Disc.: Simo Mikkonen, U of Jyväskylä (Finland)

14-25 Avant-Garde Picture Books for Children and Adults: Early Soviet Technology, Ideology, Gender - *Pacific G, 4*
Chair: Larissa Rudova, Pomona College
Papers: Irina Denischenko, Vanderbilt U
"Lilya Brik Writes Mayakovsky: Staging Dialogue of Image and Text in the 1919 Illustrated Edition of 'Backbone Flute'"
Polina Dimcheva Dimova, Vanderbilt U
"The Power of Light and Electric Shock: How Soviet Children Unraveled the Electric Plot Line"
Evgeny Steiner, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"Air(witch)craft and Airy-fairy Heroes: Aviation in the Soviet Children's Books of the 1920s-30s"
Disc.: Marina Balina, Illinois Wesleyan U

14-26 Make-believe Margins: Late Soviet (Lyric) Performances - *Pacific H, 4*
Chair: Dominick Lawton, UC Berkeley
Papers: Caroline Lemak Brickman, UC Berkeley
"Stuck Together: Joseph Brodsky's Centaurs"
Miroslava N Nikolova, Brown U
"Disbelief in Boundaries: Spatiality and Transcendental Exile in Joseph Brodsky's Late Poetry"
Julia Vaingurt, U of Illinois at Chicago
"The Queer Holy Foolishness of Evgeny Kharitonov"
Disc.: Ainsley Morse, Pomona College

14-27 Dostoevsky and The Gospel of Luke - *Pacific I, 4*

Chair: Michael Mikhailovitch Ossorgin VIII, Fordham U
Papers: Paul Joseph Contino, Pepperdine U
"The Gospel of Luke and Incarnational Realism in 'The Brothers Karamazov'"
Maxwell Parlin, Princeton U
"Luke, Acts, and Active Love: The Validity of Terrestrial Time in 'The Brothers Karamazov'"
Alina Wyman, New College of Florida
"An Ideal 'Thou': The Concept of Neighbor in 'The Brothers Karamazov'"
Disc.: Michael Mikhailovitch Ossorgin VIII, Fordham U

14-28 Combat, Gender, and Violence in the East during World War II - *Pacific J, 4*
Chair: Meghann T. Pytka, Southern Illinois U Carbondale
Papers: Jadwiga Biskupska, Sam Houston State U
"Warsaw in Crisis: Home Army Monitoring and Urban Violence before the Warsaw Uprising"
Vojin Majstorovic, U of Toronto (Canada)
"Sexual Violence in Soviet-Occupied Europe and Attitudes toward Women in the Red Army, 1944-1945"
Nicole M. Eaton, Boston College
"The Pistol as an 'Instrument of Love': German and Soviet Memoirs Confront Sexual Violence in Soviet East Prussia and Kaliningrad"
Disc.: Amy Elise Randall, Santa Clara U

14-29 Conceptualizing the Late Soviet: Subjectivities, Beliefs, and Entanglements - *(Roundtable) - Salon 1, LB2*
Chair: Robert S. Edelman, UC San Diego
Part.: Juliane Fuerst, Center for Contemporary History (Germany)
Saulius Grybkauskas, Lithuanian Institute of History (Lithuania)
Ekaterina Emeliantseva Koller, U of Zurich (Switzerland)
Susanne Schattenberg, U of Bremen (Germany)
Victoria Smolkin, Wesleyan U

14-30 Nationalizing Elites in Dynastic Empires: Russia, Hungary, Germany and Japan around 1900 - *Salon 2, LB2*
Chair: Michael Khodarkovsky, Loyola U Chicago
Papers: Malte Rolf, U of Oldenburg (Germany)
"Provincializing the Center: Radical Russian Nationalists in the Okrainy and the "National Turn" of Political Discourse in the Late Romanov-Empire"
Tomohiko Uyama, Hokkaido U, Slavic-Eurasian Research Center (Japan)
"Unite and Discriminate: Paradox of Nationalizing Empire in Russian Central Asia"
Martin Kohlrausch, KU Leuven
"Forging the Imperial Nation with Dynastic Means. The Hohenzollerns and the Second German Empire"
Bálint Varga, MTA BTK
"Fin-de-siècle Hungary's Paradox Relation to its Diasporas"
Disc.: Arpad von Klimo, Hungarian Studies Association

14-31 The Politics of History and Memory in Putin's Russia - *Salon 3, LB2*
Chair: Igor Torbakov, Uppsala U (Sweden)
Papers: James Ryan, Cardiff U (UK)
"Reckoning with the Past: Stalin and Stalinism in Putin's Russia"
Samuel Casper, Hunter Collge
"Who Owns the Terror?: Contemporary Controversies in Russia over Stalinist State Violence"
James Pearce, Anglia Ruskin U (UK)
"A Thing of the Past: The Role of Russia's Past in the 2018 Presidential Election"
Sergey Radchenko, Cardiff U (UK)
"(Mis)Remembering Brezhnev: Memory Politics and the Discourse of National Resurgence in Putin's Russia"
Disc.: Olga Malinova, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)

14-32 Perspectives on Social Marginalization in Contemporary Russia - *Salon 4, LB2*
Chair: Ralph Scott Clem, Florida International U
Papers: Ralph Scott Clem, Florida International U
Cynthia J. Buckley, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
Erik Herron, West Virginia U

"The Marginalizing Effects of Borderization: How Living on the Periphery Affects Access to Healthcare in the Post-Soviet Space"
Linda J Cook, Brown U
"Welfare Nationalism, Labor Migrants and Exclusion in Contemporary Russia"
Aleksei (Lyosha) Gorshkov, RUSA LGBT - Russain-Speaking American LGBT Association
"Annihilation of Russian Queer: The Politics of Propaganda, 'Spiritual Staples' and 'Honoring Killing'."
Disc.: Ann-Mari Sätre, Uppsala U (Sweden)

14-33 **Tearing up the Plan: Urban Developments during the USSR's Late Socialism** - *Salon 5, LB2*
Chair: Anna Ivanova, Harvard U
Papers: Mariia Koskina, Binghamton U
"'Russia's Power will Grow with Siberia,' Or Will It? Hydroelectric Development in Eastern Siberia, 1960-1970s"
Tomasz Blusiewicz, U of Tyumen (Russia)
"Baltic Gateways to the West: Port City Realities Versus Urban Legends in the Asian USSR During Perestroika"
Martin J. Blackwell, U of North Georgia
"Poiavilas' Novaia Ploskost': 'Acceleration' in Gorbachev's Leningrad"
Disc.: Nicholas Cameron Levy, Stanford U
Alsu Tagirova, East China Normal U (China)

14-34 **"New" Crimean Narratives: Framing National Identity in Russia and Ukraine since 2014** - *Salon 6, LB2*
Chair: Michael Lavery, UCLA
Papers: Sean Delaine Griffin, Dartmouth College
"Putin's Tele-Liturgical Weapons in the War Against Ukraine"
Jacob Lassin, Yale U
"The Union of Orthodox Journalists and Web Polemics on the Crimean Crisis"
Andrew Dale Straw, U of Texas at Austin
"Updating the New Crimean Narrative"
Francesca Volpi, U of Milan (Italy)
"Are Counter-Narratives Possible? A Study of the Crimean Crisis Coverage on Russian Web-Media"
Disc.: Austin Charron, U of Wisconsin-Madison

14-35 **Soviet Patterns in the Life of Contemporary Russian Faith Communities: The Rise of Social Atlantis** - *Salon 7, LB2*
Chair: Mariia Ukhvatova, St Petersburg State U (Russia)
Papers: Vera Kliueva, Tyumen Scientific Centre of Siberian Branch of the Russian Academy of Sciences
"Russian Conservative Pentecostals: From the Soviet Cultural Isolation to the Post-Soviet Social Partnership"
Svetlana Riazanova, Perm Federal Scientific Center of Ural Division of Russian Academy of Sciences
"Orthodox Believers in the Kama Region: Religious Conversion and Behavior in the Soviet and post-Soviet Period"
Anastasia Mitrofanova, Financial U (Russia)
"Orthodox Social Volunteering as the Means of Restoring Social Solidarity"
Disc.: Kaarina Aitamurto, U of Helsinki (Finland)

14-37 **Soviet Jewishness as a Project of Self and Groupness: Gender, Body, Psyche** - *Salon 10, LB2*
Chair: Darius Staliunas, Lithuanian Institute of History (Lithuania)
Papers: Elissa Bemporad, CUNY Queens College / CUNY Graduate Center
"Ester Frumkina: Experimenting with Gender in Jewish and Soviet-Jewish politics"
Marina B. Mogilner, U of Illinois at Chicago
"Sovietazing Boas: Lev Shternberg's Invention of the Jewish Racial Psyche"
Anna Shternshis, U of Toronto (Canada)
"Please Slice Fascists into Pieces: Soviet Jewish Women Singing Violent Songs in Yiddish (1930s-1940s)"
Disc.: Andrew Sloin, CUNY Baruch College

14-38 **Post-Soviet Film Adaptations: Redefining Russian and Soviet Literary Classics in 1990-early 2000s** - *Salon 11, LB2*
Chair: Sabina Amanbayeva, Oklahoma City U

Papers: Irina Karlsohn, Dalarna U (Sweden) / Uppsala U (Sweden)
"Making of a Dream: An Animated Film Adaptation of Dostoevsky's 'The Dream of a Ridiculous Man'"
Amanda Fairchild Murphy, Nazarbayev U (Kazakhstan)
"Proshkin's Post-Soviet Projection of Pushkin's Prose: Catherine the Great in the film 'Russkii Bunt'"
Irina Makoveeva, Council on International Educational Exchange (CIEE)
"Reclaiming Soviet Classics: Desire for Repetition or Change?"
Disc.: Milla (Lioudmila) Fedorova, Georgetown U

14-39 **Literature and Psychiatry in Late Imperial Russia** - *(Roundtable) - Salon 12, LB2*
Chair: Michael C. Finke, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
Part.: Giulia Dossi, Harvard U
Brian Egdorf, UC Berkeley
Brian R. Johnson, Macalester College
Matthew Mangold, Georgia Institute of Technology
Riccardo Nicolosi, Ludwig-Maximilians-U Munich (Germany)

14-40 **Rethinking the Role of the Intelligentsia on the Post-Soviet Cultural Stage** - *Salon 13, LB2*
Chair: Maria Ignatieva, Ohio State U
Papers: Olga Simonova Partan, College of the Holy Cross
"Intelligentsia in Public and Private Post-Soviet Discourse"
Sofya Khagi, U of Michigan
"Shestidesiatniki, an Ironic Requiem"
Tatiana Smorodinska, Middlebury College
"Legacy and Denial: "New Intelligentsia" and Millennials On-Line and on Screen"
Disc.: Olga Yuri Sobolev, London School of Economics and Political Science (UK) / U of London (UK)

14-41 **Cultural (Dis)Belief in Systems: Socialism and Capitalism on the Battlefield** - *Salon 14, LB2*
Chair: Danijela Lugaric, U of Zagreb (Croatia)
Papers: Maša Kolanovic, U of Zagreb (Croatia)
"(Dis)Belief in Banks and Credit System in Postsocialist Croatia"
Ana Hofman, Scientific Research Centre SAZU (Slovenia)
"Antifascism and Ideological (Dis)Belief after Yugoslavia"
Vladislav Beronja, U of Texas at Austin
"From the Bogumil Heresy to Non-aligned Modernity: Miroslav Krleža's Autochthonous Yugoslavism"
Danijela Lugaric, U of Zagreb (Croatia)
"In-Between Illness and Success: Cultivating a Domestic Aesthetic in Contemporary Russian Female Prose Fiction"
Disc.: Dijana Jelaca, Brooklyn College
Zoran Tihomirovic, U of Zagreb (Croatia)

14-42 **Women Dissidents: Their Beliefs and Their Legacies** - *(Roundtable) - Salon 15, LB2*
Chair: Paulina Bren, Vassar College
Part.: Jan Matonoha, Institute of Czech Literature CAS (Czech Republic)
Elizabeth Ann Skomp, Sewanee: The U of the South
Judith Szapor, McGill U (Canada)
Veronika Tuckerova, Harvard U
Hana Waisserova, U of Nebraska-Lincoln

14-43 **New Approaches to the Visual Representations of Power during the Age of Enlightenment: Jesters, Rulers, Diplomats.** - *Sierra A, 5*
Chair: Andrei Kostin, NRU Higher School of Economics St. Petersburg / Pushkin House, RAS (Russia)
Papers: Alla Aronova, State Institute for Art Studies (SIAS) (Russia)
"Mock Weddings and Russian Triumphal Scenography in the First Third of the 18th Century."
Sergey Polskoy, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"Nova Subi Monumenta Paravit: The Political Visualization of the 'Female Rule" in Russia during 1720s – 1750s."
Maya Borisovna Lavrinovich, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"Portraits in the Archive of the Foreign College in the Late 18th – Early 19th Century as a Means of Its Officials' Self-Representation"
Disc.: Andrei Kostin, NRU Higher School of Economics St. Petersburg / Pushkin House, RAS (Russia)

Tatiana Smoliarova, U of Toronto (Canada)

14-44 Diverse Beliefs in a Challenge to Empire: Interwar Engagements with Soviet Anti-Imperialism - *Sierra B, 5*

Chair: Philippa Hetherington, U College London (UK)

Papers: Norihiro Naganawa, Hokkaido U (Japan)
"Revenge on the World Capitalists: How Tatars Became Liberators of the East"
Ani Mukherji, Hobart & William Smith Colleges
"'From Slavery to Slavery': I.T.A. Wallace-Johnson's Lost Moscow Manuscript and Black Radical Traditions"
Samuel J. Hirst, Bilkent University (Turkey)
"'Russia is Becoming More National and Centralized': Turkish Visions of the Soviet Model in the 1930s"

Disc.: Elizabeth Anne McGuire, California State U, East Bay

14-45 Knowledge Production and State Control in the Russian Empire and Soviet Union, 1700–1989 - *Sierra C, 5*

Chair: Earl Joshua Hodil, Yale U

Papers: Anna Graber, U of Minnesota
"Masters of the Mineral Realm: The College of Mines, 1719-1807"
Catherine Gibson, European U Institute (Italy)
"Finding Patterns in the Data: Statistics, Geography, and Cartography in the Russian Empire's Baltic Provinces"
Anna Marie Whittington, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"The All-Union Roll Call: Technology and the Making of Soviet Censuses"

Disc.: Ian Wylie Campbell, UC Davis

14-46 Minority Languages: Identities, Ideologies, and Implications - *Sierra D, 5*

Chair: Motoki Nomachi, Hokkaido U (Japan)

Papers: Tomasz S. Wicherkiewicz, Adam Mickiewicz University (Poland)
"Wymysiöryś - A(n Almost) Non-Slavic Microlanguage of Wilamowice in Southern Poland, and its Historical Sociolinguistic Constellation"
Annemarie Sorescu-Marinkovic, Institute for Balkan Studies (Serbia)
"Minority Languages Gone Digital: The Case of Bayash Romanian"
Jan Ivar Bjørnflaten, U of Oslo (Norway)
"The Vepsian Language between Attrition and Vitalization"
Ewa Michna, Jagiellonian U (Poland)
"Old and New Language Ideologies and Their Influence on the Normalization of Silesian language"

Disc.: Michael S. Flier, Harvard U

14-47 Front/Home Front. Gender History of Great Patriotic War in Russia and Kazakhstan. Presentation of Bilateral Research Project - *Sierra E, 5*

Sponsored by: Association for Women in Slavic Studies

Chair: Olga Vadimovna Shnyrova, Ivanovo Center for Gender Studies (Russia)

Papers: Olga Vadimovna Shnyrova, Ivanovo Center for Gender Studies (Russia)
"'I Love My Daughter So Much…but Freedom I Love Even More': War Childhood in Interdom"
Evgeniya Anufrieva, Volgograd State Technical U (Russia)
"'What We Believed in to Survive and Win': Gender Aspects of War Narratives/ Analysis of Oral Histories of the Great Patriotic War Contemporaries"
Roza Zharkynbayeva, al-Farabi Kazakh National U
"'Your Home is Our Home': Reception and Placement of Evacuated and Deported People in Kazakhstan during the Great Patriotic War"

Disc.: Matthew Cotton, McPherson College

14-48 Old Age and Death in the USSR - *Sierra F, 5*

Chair: Danielle Leavitt-Quist, Harvard U

Papers: Danielle Leavitt-Quist, Harvard U
"Making the Old Soviet Man New: Bolshevik Medical Utopianism and the Pursuit of Immortality"
Maria Romashova, Perm State U (Russia)
"Aging and the Woman's Body in Late Soviet Society"
Joy Neumeyer, UC Berkeley
"Leonid Brezhnev and the Elixir of Life"

Susan Grant, Liverpool John Moores U (UK)
"Help the Aged: Later Life in the Late Soviet Union, 1985-1991"
Disc.: Stephen Lovell, King's College London (UK)

14-49 **New Approaches to Belarusian Studies** - *(Roundtable) - Sierra G, 5*
Chair: David Roger Marples, U of Alberta (Canada)
Part.: Margarita Kompelmakher, West Valley College
Go Koshino, Hokkaido U (Japan)
Veranika Laputska, Graduate School for Social Research, PAS (Poland)
Sasha Razor, UCLA

14-50 **Little Known California Resources for Russian Studies** - *(Roundtable) - Sierra H, 5*
Chair: Margarita Meniailenko, Museum of Russian Culture, San Francisco
Part.: Anna Ivanovskaya, Museum of Russian Culture, San Francisco
Helene Kolosovich, Museum of Russian Culture
Maria Sakovich, Institute for Historical Study
Mikhail Tolstoy, Institute of History, Academy of Science (Russia)
Olga Tsapina, The Huntington Library

14-51 **Paris 1919 and the East-European Contested Borderlands** - *Sierra I, 5*
Chair: Jovana Lazic Knezevic, Stanford U (CREES)
Papers: Svetlana Suveica, U of Regensburg (Germany)
"Against the 'Imposition of the Foreign Yoke': The Bessarabians Write to Wilson (1919)"
Cristina Florea, SUNY Albany
"From Paris to Cernăuți via Bucharest: Clashing Visions of National Self-Determination in Postwar Bukovina"
Gábor Egry, Institute of Political History (Hungary)
"Made in Paris? Contested Regions and Political Regionalism during and after Peacemaking: Székelyföld and the Banat in a Comparative Perspective"
Disc.: Jovana Lazic Knezevic, Stanford U (CREES)

14-52 **Belief in Democracy, Disbelief in Rule of Law? Legacies of Dissent and Revolutionary Outcomes in East-Central Europe, 1989-2019** - *Sierra J, 5*
Chair: Daniel Chirot, U of Washington
Papers: Piotr Wcislik, Institute of Literary Research PAS (Poland)
"Paper Politics: The Eclipse of Unlicensed Media Activism in the Course of 1989"
Michal Kopecek, U of Jena (Germany)
"The Legacy of Dissident Legalism"
Dragos Petrescu, U of Bucharest (Romania)
"Democratic Transitions and Reverse Transitions in East-Central Europe, 1989-2019"
Disc.: Daniel Chirot, U of Washington

14-53 **Imperial Russia in Transition: Social Science Approaches to Imperial Russian History** - *Sierra K, 5*
Chair: Steven Nafziger, Williams College
Papers: Amanda Gregg, Middlebury College
"Modernization in Progress: Part-Year Operation, Capital Accumulation, and Labor Force Composition in Late Imperial Russia"
Otto Kienitz, UC Berkeley
"Democracy, Liberalism and Reform: Learning from the State in Eastern Europe"
Dmitrii Kofanov, U of Wisconsin-Madison
"Industrialization and Popular Unrest: the Case of the Late Russian Empire"
Disc.: Martin Kragh, Swedish Institute of International Affairs (Sweden)
Tracy Dennison, California Institute of Technology

Session 15 – Tuesday – 12:00-1:45 pm

15-02 **Belief(s), Practices and Technologies in Poland's Countryside: Case Studies of Transformations since 1945** - *Foothill B, 2*
Chair: Patrice M. Dabrowski, Harvard U
Papers: Ewelina Szpak, Institute of History PAS (Poland)
"'Cancers Come from Chemical Fertilizers': Beliefs and Perception of Malicious Tumor Diseases

after 1945 - A Sociocultural Study on Rural Poland"
Joanna Rozmus, U of Vienna (Austria)
"Grain, Golf and God: The Entanglement of Religious Practices and New Forms of Business in Rural Poland, 1991-2004"
Dong Ju Kim, Korea Advanced Institute of Science and Technology (Republic of Korea)
"Water Use and Management after the Water Law Reform in Rural Western Poland"
Disc.: Dobrochna Kalwa, U of Warsaw (Poland)

15-03 **Between Prague and Paris: The Czech Artist Toyen and Collaborative Avant-Garde Practice** - *Foothill C, 2*
Chair: Ana Berdinskikh, Yale U
Papers: Anna Pravdová, National Gallery Prague (Czech Republic)
"Between Abstraction and Surrealism: Toyen Versus École de Paris"
Meghan Leigh Forbes, The Museum of Modern Art
"The Accessible Avant-Garde: Toyen as Flâneuse and Průvodce Paříží"
Barbora Bartunkova, Yale U
"Displacing the Body: Toyen's Collaborations with Annie Le Brun and Radovan Ivšić"
Disc.: Karla Huebner, Wright State U

15-08 **The Russian Far East: Forever Turning to Asia?** - *(Roundtable) - Foothill H, 2*
Chair: Mark Bassin, Södertörn U (Sweden)
Part.: Sergey Glebov, Smith College/ Amherst College/ Ab Imperio
Marcin Kaczmarski, U of Glasgow (UK)
Natasha Clara Kuhrt, King's College London (UK)
Paul Richardson, University of Birmingham (UK)
Sören Urbansky, German Historical Institute DC

15-19 **Literature Between Russia and Asia IV: Book Discussion: "On the Threshold of Eurasia: Revolutionary Poetics in the Caucasus" by Leah Feldmen** - *(Roundtable) - Pacific A, 4*
Chair: Samuel Hodgkin, Colgate U
Part.: Leah Feldman, U of Chicago
Emily Laskin, UC Berkeley
Harsha Ram, UC Berkeley
Nariman Skakov, Stanford U

15-20 **A Clash of Beliefs: Diasporic National Faiths, Human Rights, and Soviet Transnational Counter-Activism during the Cold War** - *Pacific B, 4*
Chair: Markian Dobczansky, Columbia U
Papers: Simone Attilio Bellezza, U of Naples Federico II (Italy)
"Research for Independence: Political Engagement in the Centers for Ukrainian Studies in USA, Canada, and Australia"
Amy Fedeski, U of Virginia
"Considerations of Humanity and Justice: Student Struggle for Soviet Jewry and Human Rights Discourse in the 1960s"
Una Bergmane, Foreign Policy Research Institute
"Lobbying for Freedom: The Baltic Diaspora, the US Congress and the Shaping of US Foreign Policy at the Cold War Endgame"
Olga Bertelsen, Embry-Riddle College of Security and Intelligence
"Transnational Geography of Violence and Ideological Subversion: The KGB against Helsinki Activism in North America"
Disc.: Sergei Ivanovich Zhuk, Ball State U

15-21 **Book Discussion: "Approaches to Teaching Dostoevsky's Crime and Punishment," Edited by Michael Katz and Alex Burry** - *(Roundtable) - Pacific C, 4*
Chair: Michael R. Katz, Middlebury College
Part.: Katherine Bowers, U of British Columbia (Canada)
Kate Rowan Holland, U of Toronto (Canada)
Chloe Kitzinger, Rutgers, The State U of New Jersey
Ani Kokobobo, U of Kansas
Robin Feuer Miller, Brandeis U

15-23 **Russia in 1917: Turning Points Reconsidered** - *(Roundtable) - Pacific E, 4*
Chair: Daniel T. Orlovsky, Southern Methodist U

Part.: Sarah Badcock, U of Nottingham (UK)
Tsuyoshi Hasegawa, UC Santa Barbara
Boris Ivanovich Kolonitskii, European U at St. Petersburg (Russia)
Christopher Read, U of Warwick (UK)

15-24 State Socialist Environmentalism: Experts and the Environment in Central Eastern Europe 1945 to 1990 - *Pacific F, 4*
Chair: Eagle Glassheim, U of British Columbia (Canada)
Papers: Jiří Janáč, Charles University, Prague
"From Traditional Conservationism to Technocratic Environmentalism: Organization of Space in Socialist Czechoslovakia"
Matěj Spurný, Charles U in Prague (Czech Republic)
"Rethinking the Environment: Ecologists, Urban Planners, Public Opinion and the Legitimacy of State Socialism in Pre-1989 Czechoslovakia"
Sabina Kubekė, Herder Institute
"Discussing 'Sustainability' in Global Epistemic Communities: Polish Scientists at MAB and IIASA in 1970-1990"
Viktor Pal, U of Helsinki (Finland)
"Unheard Voices: Female Hydrologists in Socialist Hungary"
Disc.: Eagle Glassheim, U of British Columbia (Canada)

15-25 Animals in East European and Russian History - *Pacific G, 4*
Chair: Ian Micah Helfant, Colgate U
Papers: Jovana Babovic, SUNY Geneseo
"Animals in the Lives and Memoires of Twentieth Century Yugoslavs"
Filip Erdeljac, New York U
"Ideology and Animals in the Political Imagination of Yugoslav Peasants, 1918-1948"
Sean P McDaniel, Michigan State U
"A Great Evil: Horse Theft on the Late Imperial Russian Periphery"
Disc.: Jeff Hayton, Wichita State U

15-26 A Different Vaginov? - *Pacific H, 4*
Chair: Ania Aizman, U of Michigan
Papers: Igor Gulin, Kommersant-Weekend Weekly (Russia)
"The Poet is Dead. Long Live the Author. How Is 'The Goat Song' Made?"
Ivan Sokolov, UC Berkeley
"Konstantin Biedermeier. Taste, Art and 'Byt' in Vaginov's Novels"
Dmitrii Mikhailovich Bresler, Independent Scholar (Russia)
"Why Wasn't Vaginov a Socialist Realist?"
Disc.: Evgeny Pavlov, U of Canterbury (New Zealand)

15-27 In Honor of Joseph Frank: Comparative Approaches to Dostoevsky Through the Lens of Belief - *Pacific I, 4*
Chair: Sara Pankenier Weld, UC Santa Barbara
Papers: Arpi Movsesian, UC Santa Barbara
"Performing Faithfully: Shakespearean Fools in Dostoevsky's House of the Dead"
Monika Greenleaf, Stanford U
"Two Cruel Talents: The Interplay of Constriction and Kata-Strophe in the Scenic Art of Dickinson and Dostoevsky"
Sara Pankenier Weld, UC Santa Barbara
"Theodicy and Faith in an Ethical Universe: Dostoevsky and Nabokov on the Suffering Child"
Disc.: Martha M. F. Kelly, U of Missouri

15-28 Beliefs, Queer Sexuality and Gender in Contemporary Russia - *Pacific J, 4*
Sponsored by: Q*ASEEES: Society for the Promotion of LGBTQ Slavic, East European, & Eurasian Studies
Chair: Michelle D. DenBeste, California State U, Fresno
Papers: Marianna Georgievna Muravyeva, U of Helsinki (Finland)
"'That's what our tradition is': Gender-Based Violence, Honour and Traditional Values in the Russia"
Alexander Kondakov, U of Helsinki (Finland)
"Religious Arguments in Criminal Court Hearings on Violence against Queer Populations in Russia"
Polina Kislitsyna, European U at St. Petersburg (Russia)

"Religious Experiences in Life Stories of Lesbians and Gay Men in Russia"
Alexandra Novitskaya, Stony Brook U
"'The First Place I Went to When I Came Here': Russian-Speaking LGBTQ Migrants' Beliefs and the Stonewall Mythology"
Disc.: Michelle D. DenBeste, California State U, Fresno

15-29 Homes, Heritage, Sex and Moscow: New Approaches to Late Socialism in the Baltic SSRs - *Salon 1, LB2*
Chair: Aro Velmet, U of Oxford (UK)
Papers: Uku Lember, Tallinn U (Estonia)
"Gay Memories About the Life in Late Soviet Estonia"
Epp Annus, Ohio State U
"Comparative Intimacies and Everyday Dissensus in Late Soviet Estonia"
Linda Kaljundi, Tallinn University (Estonia)
"Late Soviet Heritage Boom: Transfers between Arts, Science, and Heritage Practices"
Karsten Brüggemann, Tallinn U (Estonia)
"Towards a Transnational Perspective on Late Socialism in the Baltic SSRs"
Disc.: Violeta Davoliute, Vilnius University (Lithuania)
Aro Velmet, U of Oxford (UK)

15-31 The Armenian Genocide: Received Wisdom and a Changing Historiography - *Salon 3, LB2*
Chair: Jeffrey Veidlinger, U of Michigan
Papers: Artyom H. Tonoyan, U of Minnesota
"The Impact of Henry Morgenthau Sr's Diaries on the Armenian Historiography of the Armenian Genocide"
Asya Darbinyan, Clark U
"Missing Pages in the Historiography of Russian Humanitarianism: The Case of Armenian Refugees on the Caucasus Front (1914-1917)."
Ani Garabed Ohanian, Clark U
"The Impact of Bolshevik-Kemalist Relations on the Armenian Question"
Steven A. Usitalo, Northern State U
"Ambassador Morgenthau's Story and Essentializing the 'Turks'"
Disc.: Richard Antaramian, U of Southern California

15-32 Policy Processes, Societal Engagement, and Regime Support - *Salon 4, LB2*
Chair: Jeremy Morris, Aarhus U (Denmark)
Papers: Irina Olimpieva, Centre for Independent Social Research (Russia)
"Manipulating Popular Protests in a Hybrid Regime: What Can We Learn from the Union-Led Campaign against the Pension Reform in Russia?"
Anna Zhelnina, The Graduate Center, CUNY
"Renovation and the New Civic Infrastructures in Moscow's Neighborhoods"
Daniel Muck, Indiana U Bloomington
"Renovation or Demolition? Perceptions of Property Rights Violations in Moscow's Housing Megaproject"
Israel Marques, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
"Past Experiences and Current Preferences for Redistribution: Evidence from The Moscow Housing Renovation Project"
Disc.: Samuel Aaron Greene, King's College London (UK)

15-33 Places of Memory and Memory of Place in 20th-century Russian Culture - *(Roundtable) - Salon 5, LB2*
Chair: Eric Naiman, UC Berkeley
Part.: Anastasia de La Fortelle, U of Lausanne (Switzerland)
Elizaveta Mankovskaya, Princeton U
Olga Matich, UC Berkeley
Natalia Vygovskaia, Brown U

15-34 Mediating Beliefs and Identities: Experts, Pranksters, Media, and the Russian State - *Salon 6, LB2*
Chair: Anna Popkova, Western Michigan U
Papers: Yasemin Celikkol, U of Pennsylvania
"Media and Geopolitics: Russian Media Counters Neo-Ottoman Cool"
Sarah Calderone, Independent Scholar
"Russian Media and Shaping Beliefs: Negative Stereotypes and Censoring Ethnic Strife"

Olga Khvostunova, Institute of Modern Russia
"'Experts, Inc.': The Role of Political Expertise in the U.S.-Russia Relations"
Stanislav Budnitskiy, U of Pennsylvania
"Geopolitical Pranking: The Russian State and the Nationalization of Culture Jamming"
Disc.: Nataliya Rostova, Republic.ru (Russia)

15-35 **The New Age in Russia II** - *Salon 7, LB2*
Chair: Marina Alexandrova, U of Texas at Austin
Papers: Alexander Panchenko, Institute of Russian Literature (Pushkin House) RAS (Russia)
"Invisible Partners: Channeling in Soviet and Post-Soviet New Age"
Sergei Shtyrkov, European U at St. Petersburg (Russia)
"Ritual Feat and Transpersonal Experience: Ossetian Religion Traditionalists in Search of Legitimization of Their Revivalist Projects"
Andrei Tiukhtiaev, European U at St. Petersburg (Russia)
"Channeling in New Age Pilgrimage: Narratives, Materiality and Social Control"
Svetlana Tambovtseva, European U at St. Petersburg (Russia)
"'VseyaSvetnayaGramota': Post-Soviet Exercise in Russian Kabbalah"
Disc.: Marina Alexandrova, U of Texas at Austin

15-37 **What did Jews of the Warsaw Ghetto Believe in? New Perspectives on Group and Individual Reactions to the Holocaust** - *Salon 10, LB2*
Chair: Artur Markowski, U of Warsaw/ POLIN Museum of the History of Polish Jews (Poland)
Papers: Zofia Trebacz, The Emanuel Ringelblum Jewish Historical Institute
"Jews of the Warsaw Ghetto in the Face of Inevitable Death"
Maria Ferenc Piotrowska, U of Warsaw / Jewish Historical Institute (Poland)
"All Those Rumors… On Relation Between 'Rumors' and 'Knowledge' in the Warsaw Ghetto"
Justyna Majewska, Jewish Historial Institute (Poland)
"We All Felt to be a Part of Another Reality... Jewish Life after the War as Dreamed in the Warsaw Ghetto"
Disc.: Winson Chu, U of Wisconsin-Milwaukee

15-38 **Seeing as Believing: Documentary Cinema and the Problem of Belief** - *Salon 11, LB2*
Chair: Elena Razlogova, Concordia U (Canada)
Papers: Lena Serov, Bauhaus-U Weimar (Germany)
"Exploring the Self in the Medium. Experimenting with/in the Soviet Popular Science Film"
Maria Vinogradova, New York U
"'We Were Looking at Their Faces': Soviet Travelogues as Meditations on the Self and Other"
Daniel Paul Schwartz, McGill U (Canada)
"Documentary Without Borders: Salome Lamas's Extinction (2016) and the Legacy Post-Soviet Space"
Disc.: Anne Eakin Moss, Johns Hopkins U

15-39 **A Death Panel, 1740s-1810s** - *Salon 12, LB2*
Chair: Victoria S. Frede, UC Berkeley
Papers: Andrei Kostin, NRU Higher School of Economics St. Petersburg / Pushkin House, RAS (Russia)
"Curious Deaths as the School of Eloquence: Dying in Lomonosov's 'Rhetoric'"
Joachim Klein, Leiden U (Netherlands)
"Memento Mori: Derzhavin's Ode 'On the Death of Prince Meshcherskii'"
Victoria S. Frede, UC Berkeley
"The Dead Friend, 1790-1810"
Disc.: Luba Golburt, UC Berkeley

15-40 **Sacred Groves and Trees in Vernacular Belief and Folklore of the Peoples of Russian North** - *Salon 13, LB2*
Chair: Jyrki Pöysä, U of Eastern Finland (Finland)
Papers: Jyrki Pöysä, U of Eastern Finland (Finland)
"Sacred Groves in Present Landscapes of Russian Karelian Villages"
Tiina Maria Seppä, U of Eastern Finland (Finland)
"The Roles of Worshipping Trees and Forests in Pre-Modern Finno-Ugric Vernacular Belief"
Inkeri Aula, SENSOTRA - Sensory Transformations and Transgenerational Environmental Relationships in Europe 1950-2020
"Translating Forest Beliefs from Finnish to Russian culture"

15-41 **Religious Beliefs and the Slavic Modernities** - *Salon 14, LB2*
Chair: Anna Boguska, Polish Academy of Sciences (Poland)
Papers: Danuta Krystyna Sosnowska, Warsaw U (Poland)
"Against a Lukewarm Christianity – Active Faith as a Cultural Project Developed by Josef Florian"
Ewelina Drzewiecka, Institute of Slavic Studies PAS (Poland)
"Critic's Beliefs--Bulgarian Literary Discourse and the Religious"
Anna Boguska, Polish Academy of Sciences (Poland)
"Faith as a Remedy for Modern Anxiety? Croatian Theological Thought in the 20th Century Against the Spiritual Crisis of Contemporary Civilization"
Agata Jawoszek, Polish Academy of Sciences (Poland)
"Slavic Gymnastics – Invented or Discovered Tradition?"

15-42 **What Do Americans and Russians Think of Each Other And Why? Fresh Approaches, New Data** - *Salon 15, LB2*
Chair: Timothy M. Frye, Columbia U
Papers: Aleksandr Fisher, George Washington U
"Broadcasting Against Autocrats: The Impact of U.S. Criticism in Russia"
Henry E. Hale, George Washington U
Olga Kamenchuk, Ohio State U
"Mass Opinion on Mutual Relations in the US and Russia: Evidence From Experiments in 2019"
Dina Susan Smeltz, Chicago Council on Global Affairs
Lily Wojtowicz, The Chicago Council on Global Affairs
"Russia's Expanded International Role: Views from Russia and the US"
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Thomas M. Prymak, U of Toronto (Canada)
"Trusting in Whom? The Case of Hetman Mazepa and Tsar Peter."
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"Applying Discourse Analysis to Propp's Historical Roots of the Wonder Tale"
Nila Friedberg, Portland State U
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Nikita Andreevich Lomagin, European U at St. Petersburg (Russia)
"Learning Lessons from War: Plans for Post-War Food Security and Lessons from the Blockade of Leningrad, 1944-45"
Kirill Boldovskiy, St Petersburg Institute (Russia)
"Creating a Model Soviet City"
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Chair: Agnieszka Wierzcholska, Freie U (Germany)
Papers: Tim Harte, Bryn Mawr College
"The Fleeting Sting of the Jab: Boxing and its Peripheral Status in the Soviet 1920s"
Vitali Taichrib, Freie U Berlin (Germany)
"Smelling Red Bread and Starving in Silence: Rural 'Sensescapes' of the Soviet Union"
Arkadi Miller, Freie U Berlin (Germany)
"Hearing Stalin's Voices? Radio Listening in the Soviet Union in the 1930s"
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"Believing the Body, Feeling the Fight: Sensory Experience in the Red Army"
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15-49 Cosmic Dreams and Communal Nightmares: Russian Science Fiction and Horror - *Sierra G, 5*
Chair: Oksana Husieva, U of Kansas
Papers: Irina M Erman, College of Charleston
"Communal Vampirism in Alexander Bogdanov's 'Red Star'"
Meghan Vicks, U of Colorado at Boulder
"Transforming Poe and the Domestic Gothic in Petrushevskaya's 'Chocolates with Liqueur'"
Ritsuko Kidera, Doshisha U (Japan)
"Viktor Pelevin's 'Omon Ra' and Russian Cosmism"
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Chair: Grant Garden Harris, Library of Congress
Part.: Lukáš Babka, National Library of the Czech Republic, Slavonic Library (Czech Republic)
Svetlana Gorokhova, All Russia State Library for Foreign Literature (Russia)
Ksenya I. Kiebuzinski, U of Toronto (Canada)
Joseph Lenkart, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
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15-51 Central Europe between Appeasement and War, 1938-1939 - *Sierra I, 5*
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Papers: Alexander Nicholas Lassner, Air War College, Department of Strategy (DES)
"Austrian Foreign and Security Policy, the Western Powers and Appeasement, 1936-1938"
Vít Smetana, Institute for Contemporary History CAS (Czech Republic)
"The Dismemberment of a Country and Its International Repercussions: Czechoslovakia between Munich and War, 1938-1939"
Gergely Romsics, Hungarian Academy of Sciences (Hungary)
"The Possibility of Territorial Revision in an Impossible Situation: Hungarian Foreign Policy Thinking in 1938-1939"
Andras Becker, Indiana U Bloomington
"The Puzzle of British Strategy in Central Europe in 1938-1939"
Disc.: Milan L. Hauner, U of Wisconsin-Madison

15-52 Annus Mirabilis? New Narratives on 1989 - *Sierra J, 5*
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"Behind the Velvet Curtain: The Czechoslovak Revolution of 1989"
Delia Popescu, Le Moyne College
"The Politics of Excess: Petre Tutea's Radical Political Thinking"

Barbara Joy Falk, Royal Military College of Canada (Canada)
"Rethinking 1989 as 'Revolution'"
Richard Zima, Eötvös Loránd U (Hungary)
"The Memory of 1989 in Current Hungarian Politics"
Disc.: Michal Kopecek, U of Jena (Germany)