

## SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 12, 2017

Registration Desk Hours: 7:00 AM – 12:00 PM – 7<sup>th</sup> Floor

Exhibit Hall Hours: 9:00 AM – 1:00 PM – Salon 2 & 3, 7<sup>th</sup> Floor

Presentation Prep Room: 7:00 AM – 12:00 PM - 5<sup>th</sup> Floor, behind registration desk

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### Session 12 – Sunday – 8:00-9:45 am

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**Bulgarian Studies Association** - (*Meeting*) - *Lakeview, 2nd*

**Slavic & East European Materials Project (SEEMP)** - (*Meeting*) - *Halsted, 4th*

**12-01 Book Discussion: “The Russian Revolution and the Unfinished Twentieth Century” by David North**  
- (*Roundtable*) - *Addison, 4th*

*Chair:* Andrea Grant-Friedman, Kellogg Community College

*Part.:* David North, World Socialist Web Site / Mehring Books

Emanuele Saccarelli, San Diego State U

Frederick Schuyler Choate, UC Davis (Retired)

Charles Thorpe, UC San Diego

**12-02 Transgressing Boundaries and Expectations: Female Agency in the Post-WWII Soviet Bloc** -  
(*Roundtable*) - *Armitage, 4th*

*Chair:* Greta Bucher, U.S. Military Academy, West Point

*Part.:* Melanie Ilic, U of Gloucestershire (UK)

Katharina Kinga Kowalski, European U Viadrina (Germany)

Alexis Peri, Boston U

Roshanna Patricia Sylvester, DePaul U

**12-03 Liberalism in 1917: Evolving Popular Opinion and the Liberals' Fateful Choices** - *Belmont, 4th*

*Chair:* Anton A Fedyashin, American U

*Papers:* Felix Day Cowan, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

"Russia is Dying': Political Polarization and Liberal Discourse in the 1917 Penny Press"

William G. Rosenberg, U of Michigan

"Scripting' the Liberals' Revolution"

Stephen F. Williams, US Court of Appeals for the DC Circuit

"Resolved: That the Liberal Cause Was Lost on March 3"

*Disc.:* Semion Lyandres, U of Notre Dame

Tsuyoshi Hasegawa, UC Santa Barbara

**12-04 From the Bottom and the Edges: Grassroots Movements and New Controversies in Russia's**  
**Memory Wars** - (*Roundtable*) - *Chicago Ballroom A, 5th*

*Chair:* Nina Tumarkin, Wellesley College

*Part.:* Ilya Budraytskis, Russian National Center for Contemporary Art (Russia)

Daria Khlevnyuk, SUNY Stony Brook

Ivan I. Kurilla, European U at St. Petersburg (Russia)

Mikhail Yu Nemtsev, Independent Scholar

Greg Yudin, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)

**12-05 Leviathan and Business in Eurasia: Between Rivalry and Symbiosis** - *Chicago Ballroom B, 4th*

*Chair:* Olga Onuch, U of Manchester (UK)

*Papers:* Inna Melnykovska, Harvard U

"Global Money, Local Politics: The Making of Kleptocracy in Eurasia"

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David Szakonyi, Columbia U / NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)

"Princelings and Political Rents"

Alla Leukavets, U of Bremen (Germany)

"Belarus: Is there a Place for Clan Politics in One Man's Land?"

*Disc.:* Sarah Wilson Sokhey, U of Colorado at Boulder

**12-06 Post-Soviet Authoritarianism: Resilience or Deterioration?** - *Chicago Ballroom C, 5th*

*Chair:* Timothy James Colton, Harvard U

*Papers:* Henry E. Hale, George Washington U

"Russia's Dynamic Regime"

Andrei Melville, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)

"State Capacity, Policy Choices, and Authoritarian Durability: A Post-Soviet Perspective"

Nikolay Petrov, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)

"Recent Regime Changes in Russia and Central Asia: Aging or Renewal?"

*Disc.:* Timothy James Colton, Harvard U

Barbara Junisbai, Pitzer College

**12-07 Social Issues in the Balkans: Education, Family, and Community in Albania and Kosovo** - *Chicago Ballroom D, 5th*

*Chair:* Anna Di Lellio, The New School

*Papers:* Jeta Rudi, California State Polytechnic U

Egzon Bajrami, U of Pristina (Kosovo)

"The Impact of Education Policies on Student Performance in Kosovo"

Esmeralda Gassie-Falzone, National Conservatory of Arts and Crafts (France)

"In Business Matters, is Family More Important than Community?: The Case of Non-Agricultural Firms in Albania"

Mimoza Telaku, Heimerer College (Kosovo)

"Sense of Community Coherence and Perceptions of Collective Narratives in Post-armed Conflict Context"

*Disc.:* Arjada Bardhi, Northwestern U

**12-08 Coping with Repressive Laws: Russian NGOs' Response to the Law on Foreign Agents** - *Chicago Ballroom E, 5th*

*Chair:* Valerie Jeanne Sperling, Clark U

*Papers:* Geir Flikke, U of Oslo (Norway)

"Surviving the Agent Law: NGO Strategies and Para-Constitutional Policies under Putinism"

Laura A. Henry, Bowdoin College

"Russian Environmentalism after the Foreign Agent Law"

Freek van der Vet, U of British Columbia (Canada)

"When They Come for You: Legal Mobilization as the Last Defense in Russia's Surveillance State"

*Disc.:* Lisa McIntosh Sundstrom, U of British Columbia (Canada)

**12-09 The CIA's Great Game: Scenarios of Political and Cultural Power, USSR/Russia/Eastern Europe, the Cold War, and Beyond** - *Chicago Ballroom F, 5th*

*Chair:* Steven G. Marks, Clemson U

*Papers:* Vladimir B. Golstein, Brown U

"Shaping the Bourgeois Writer: How the CIA Created its Own Version of Socialist Realism"

Katya Vladimirov, Kennesaw State U

"The Subjects: CIA Utilization of Eastern European Political Emigres, 1940-1950s"

Nikolai Firtich, Vassar College

"Popular Villains: Representations of Enemy Agents in Anglo-American and Soviet/Russian Film During the Cold War and Beyond"

*Disc.:* Steven A. Usitalo, Northern State U

**12-10 Contested Concepts of Power Politics: Sphere of Influence, Limited Sovereignty, Concert of**

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**Powers, Grand Bargain - (Roundtable) - Chicago Ballroom G, 5th**

*Chair:* Lukasz Waldemar Adamski, Centre for Polish-Russian Dialogue and Understanding (Poland)

*Part.:* Igor Gretskiy, St. Petersburg State U (Russia)

Ernest Wyciszkievicz, Centre for Polish-Russian Dialogue and Understanding (Poland)

Kateryna Zarembo, Institute of World Policy (Ukraine)

**12-11 Russia and European Security in the Post-Post-Cold War Era - Chicago Ballroom H, 5th**

*Chair:* Tuomas Forsberg, U of Tampere (Finland)

*Papers:* Pavel Baev, Peace Research Institute Oslo (Norway)

"The Nature and the Evolution of Russia's Military-Strategic Connection to Europe"

Tuomas Forsberg, U of Tampere (Finland)

Hanna Smith, U of Helsinki (Finland) / Aleksanteri Institute (Finland)

"Russia and the European Security Order Revisited: Collective Security, Grand Bargains, and Practice"

Irina Busygina, Moscow State Institute of International Relations (Russia)

"Compatibility in Russia-EU Relations: Is There a Way Forward?"

*Disc.:* Dmitry Primus Gorenburg, Harvard U

**12-12 Difficult Alliance: Imperial Government and Russian Nationalism on the Western Provinces of the Russian Empire, 1905-1915 - Clark, 4th**

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

*Papers:* Darius Staliunas, Lithuanian Institute of History (Lithuania)

"Stalemate of the Imperial Nationality Policy in the Western Borderlands of the Russian Empire in 1906-1915?"

Yoko Aoshima, Kobe U (Japan)

"Change of Attitudes or Temporary Compromise?: Imperial Educational Policies and the Peoples of the Western Borderlands around 1905"

Vytautas Petronis, Lithuanian Institute of History (Lithuania)

"On the Defensive: Russian Popular Nationalism in the North-Western Provinces of the Russian Empire, 1906-1915"

*Disc.:* Mikhail Dolbilov, U of Maryland, College Park

**12-13 Permanent Enemies of the State?: Religious Institutions and Communist Regimes in Eastern Europe during the Cold War - Cook, 3rd**

*Chair:* James Ramon Felak, U of Washington

*Papers:* Timothy David Curp, Ohio U

"A Laicizing State in Transition/A Confessional Society in the Making: The State, the Church, and Anti-Religious Activism and Religious Life in Poland, 1956-1979"

David Doellinger, Western Oregon U

"Policy-Making for Pacifists in East Germany: The Ministry of National Defense and its Development of an Unarmed Alternative Military Service Option for Conscientious Objectors, 1963-1964"

Robert F. Goeckel, SUNY Geneseo

"Lutherans and Catholics, Culture, and Comrades: Soviet Religious Policy in Estonia and Latvia, 1944-1991"

*Disc.:* Sean Philip Brennan, U of Scranton

**12-14 Multiple Feminisms 5: Visible and Invisible Choices: Women Acting at the Discursive Margins - Denver, 5th**

*Chair:* Emily Kanner, Harvard U

*Papers:* Ann Kabakova, Ohio State U

"Widows in Chekhov and Chopin"

Maria N Corrigan, Concordia U (Canada)

"Widows' Work on the Preservation of the Archives of the Early Soviet Cinema"

Hanna Shadryna, Birkbeck U of London (UK)

"Gender Conformism or Agency: Why Older Russian Women Say They Do Not Want to Be in a

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- Relationship with Men"
- Disc.:* Irina Kosterina, Heinrich Boell Foundation
- 12-15 After Yugoslavia: Histories of the Future - Dupage, 3rd**
- Chair:* Larisa Kurtovic, U of Ottawa (Canada)
- Papers:* Edin Hajdarpasic, Loyola U Chicago  
 "Back to the Future: Yugoslavia, Europe, and the Politics of (Post-) Nationalism, 1910s and 2010s"  
 Branislav Jakovljevic, Stanford U  
 "Future is Dreadful, it's Good it Doesn't Exist; Future Is Beautiful, it's Too Bad it doesn't Exist"  
 Larisa Kurtovic, U of Ottawa (Canada)  
 "An Archive to Build a Future: Political Imagination and the Emancipatory Traces of Yugoslav Socialism"
- Disc.:* Tomislav Zoran Longinovic, U of Wisconsin-Madison
- 12-16 Religious Rivalries in the Holy Land: Mission, Diplomacy, Pilgrimage: 1840s-1914 - Grace, 4th**
- Chair:* Wendy R. Salmond, Chapman U
- Papers:* Simon Dixon, U College London (UK)  
 "The Anglican Bishopric of Jerusalem and the Eastern Churches: Ecclesiology, Doctrine and Religious Rivalry"  
 Irina Smirnova, Institute of Russian History, RAN (Russia)  
 "Metropolitan Filaret (Drozdov) and Russian Church Policy in the Holy Land in the 1850s–1860s"  
 Nikolaos A. Chrissidis, Southern Connecticut State U  
 "The Gardener, the Director, His Wife and Her Seamstress: The World of the Russian Pilgrim Hostel in Jerusalem"
- Disc.:* Christine Diane Worobec, Northern Illinois U
- 12-17 On the Outside Looking In: Women's Literature during the Thaw and Stagnation - Great America 1, 6th**
- Chair:* Benjamin Jens, U of Arizona
- Papers:* Melissa Marie Warner, U of Wisconsin–Madison  
 "I rake through the ashes / arms up to the elbows in soot': Dissent and the Act of Witnessing in Natalia Gorbanevskaja's Early Poetry"  
 Ilona Sotnikova, U of Wisconsin-Madison  
 "You will save us from decay': Center and Periphery in the Poetry of Elena Shvarts and Elena Ignatova"  
 Natalie Jean McCauley, U of Michigan  
 "L. Petrushevskaja's Escapism: A Non-Answer to Fear, Worry, and the Absence of Agency"
- Disc.:* Benjamin Massey Sutcliffe, Miami U of Ohio  
 Herbert J. Eagle, U of Michigan
- 12-18 Fashion in Russo-Soviet Film - (Roundtable) - Great America 2, 6th**
- Chair:* Christine Ruane, U of Tulsa
- Part.:* Liudmila Alyabyeva, New Literary Observer Publishing House (Russia)  
 Olga Mukhortova, U of Pittsburgh  
 Rita Safariants, Bowdoin College  
 Irina G. Stakhanova, Bowling Green State U
- 12-20 Transpositions: Music and Literature - (Roundtable) - Houston, 5th**
- Chair:* Anna A. Berman, McGill U (Canada)
- Part.:* Alexander Burry, Ohio State U  
 Polina Dimcheva Dimova, Oberlin College  
 Karen Joan Evans-Romaine, U of Wisconsin-Madison  
 Marina Frolova-Walker, U of Cambridge (UK)  
 Tony H Lin, Connecticut College

**12-21 Teaching Russian Environmental History - (Roundtable) - Huron, 10th**

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*Chair:* Erika L. Monahan, U of New Mexico  
*Part.:* Andy Bruno, Northern Illinois U  
Bathsheba Rose Demuth, Brown U  
Ptryk Reid, U of Pittsburgh  
Mark Sokolsky, Ohio State U

**12-22 Illness in Dostoevsky: Addiction, Obsession and Trauma - Illinois, 6th**

*Chair:* Nataliya Kun, Columbia U  
*Papers:* Elizabeth Ann Blake, Saint Louis U  
"A Reluctance to Record Things Past in House of the Dead"  
Brian R. Johnson, Swarthmore College  
"Dipsomania, Alcoholic Madness, and White Fever"  
Jonathan Wurl, Stanford U  
"Obsessive Thoughts: Between Insanity and Ideology"  
*Disc.:* Andrew M. Drozd, U of Alabama

**12-23 "The Right to Appear": Polish Cinema and the Body Politic during Late Socialism - Indiana, 6th**

*Chair:* Joanna Nizynska, Indiana U Bloomington  
*Papers:* Eliza Rose, Columbia U  
"The Square and the Dot: Dramas of Public Space in Polish Film"  
Masha Shpolberg, Yale U  
"Beyond Repair: The Laboring Female Body in Polish Cinema, 1968-1980"  
Dominic Leppla, Concordia U (Canada)  
"Apocalyptic Wonder: the Polish Body Politic in the Sci-fi Cinema of Żuławski and Szulkin"  
*Disc.:* Kamila Katarzyna Kuc, Coventry U (UK)

**12-24 The National Frame: New Research on Representing Nationalities in Soviet Cinema - (Roundtable) - Iowa, 6th**

*Chair:* Olga Kim, U of Pittsburgh  
*Part.:* Olga Kim, U of Pittsburgh  
Michael M. Kunichika, Amherst College  
Oksana Sarkisova, Central European U (Hungary)  
Charles David Shaw, Central European U (Hungary)  
Emma Widdis, U of Cambridge (UK)

**12-25 Revolutionary Heritage in East-Central Europe after 1945 and 1989 - Kane, 3rd**

*Chair:* Georgiy Kasianov, Institute of the History of Ukraine NANU (Ukraine)  
*Papers:* Laura Demeter, IMT School for Advanced Studies Lucca (Italy)  
"Anti-Fascist Heritage in Germany Post-1945 and 1990"  
Anastasia Felcher, Independent Scholar  
"Imposed Heritage: (Un)praising Revolution and Victory in Post-1945 and Post-1991 Moldova"  
Caterina Preda, U of Bucharest (Romania)  
"Contrasting Artistic Accounts of the 1989 Revolutionary Heritage in Romania"  
*Disc.:* Diana V. Dumitru, Ion Creanga State Pedagogical U (Moldova)

**12-26 New Drivers of Economic Growth for Russia's Regions - Kansas City, 5th**

*Chair:* Noah Buckley, Columbia U / NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)  
*Papers:* Alexander Libman, Ludwig-Maximilians-U- Munich (Germany)  
"A Centralist Approach to Regional Development?: The Case of the Russian Ministry of the Far East"  
Andrey Yakovlev, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)  
"Prerequisites for the Formation of a New Developmental Model in Russia's Regions: the Case of Tatarstan"  
Michael Rochlitz, Ludwig-Maximilians-U- Munich (Germany)  
"Regional Investment Promotion Agencies as Drivers of Economic Growth in Russia's Regions?"  
*Disc.:* Stanislav Markus, U of South Carolina

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- 12-28 Twentieth Century Serbian Writers in the USA - (Roundtable) - Lincolnshire I, 6th**  
*Chair:* Aleksandar Petrov, U of Pittsburgh  
*Part.:* Ljiljana Bogoeva-Sedlar, U of Arts (Serbia)  
 Radmila Gorup, Columbia U  
 Predrag Petrovic, U of Belgrade (Serbia)  
 Maxim Vasiljevic, Independent Scholar  
 Krinka Vidakovic-Petrov, Independent Scholar
- 12-29 Political Symbols and Russian Literature: Transgressions, Oppositions, Appropriations - Lincolnshire II, 6th**  
*Chair:* Alyssa Dinega Gillespie, Bowdoin College  
*Papers:* Vera J. Proskurina, Emory U  
 "The Cult of Vladimir the Saint & the Annexation of Crimea (1783): Poetics of Appropriation."  
 Oleg A. Proskurin, Emory U  
 "'Violent Strel'tsy' and Prince Dolgoruky: Revolution and the Legal Opposition to the Stanzas by Alexander Pushkin"  
 Igor Nemirovsky, Academic Studies Press  
 "Why Did the Decembrists Wake Up Herzen, and not Petrashevsky"  
*Disc.:* Joseph Peschio, U of Wisconsin-Milwaukee
- 12-30 Taming Mythology, Domesticating Enlightenment, and Adopting Republicanism by Slavic Cultures - Los Angeles, 5th**  
*Chair:* Irina Avkhimovich, St. Olaf College  
*Papers:* Dorian B Juric, McMaster U (Canada)  
 "Transgressing Traditions in Storytelling and Mythology"  
 Heather VanMouwerik, UC Riverside  
 "A Russian Audience for the European Enlightenment: Public Theater, Periodicals, and Educated Muscovites, 1780-1805"  
 Sergei V. Sokolov, Ural Federal U (Russia)  
 "The Decembrists and the Idea of the Novgorod Republic: From Historical Writings to the Revolt"  
*Disc.:* Melissa Frazier, Sarah Lawrence College
- 12-31 Transnational Encounters: Eastern Europe in the Cold War Era - McHenry, 3rd**  
*Chair:* Gyorgy G. Peteri, Norwegian U of Science & Technology (Norway)  
*Papers:* James P. Niessen, Rutgers, The State U of New Jersey  
 "Cold War Ecumenism: Religious Relief Agencies in the Hungarian Refugee Crisis"  
 Ondřej Klípa, European U Viadrina (Germany)  
 "Escape from Coercion and Control: Polish Women Workers in Communist Czechoslovakia"  
 Maksym Klymentyev, Independent Scholar (Ukraine)  
 "Brightness at Midnight: Arthur Koestler's Budapest Circle, the A-Bomb and the End of Communist Project"  
*Disc.:* Patryk Jan Babiracki, U of Texas at Arlington
- 12-32 Syncretism, Sovereignty, Nationalism: The Soviet and Post-Soviet Religious Experience - Miami, 5th**  
*Chair:* Vincent Michael Artman, Wayne State U  
*Papers:* Lyudmila Mazur, Ural Federal U (Russia)  
 Oleg Gorbachev, Ural Federal U (Russia)  
 "I Believe in Communism!: Transformation of Religious Consciousness in the Early-Soviet Society"  
 Edward Christian Holland, U of Arkansas  
 "'We Have Seen it Much Worse': Buddhism in Kalmykia during the Soviet Period"  
 Vincent Michael Artman, Wayne State U  
 "'My Poor Nation, Where Are You Going?': Theologies of Nationhood in Kyrgyzstan"  
*Disc.:* Meagan Todd, U of Colorado at Boulder
- 12-33 Second World Urbanity III: Teaching the Socialist City - (Roundtable) - Michigan, 6th**

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*Chair:* Katherine Zubovich, Ryerson U (Canada)  
*Part.:* Veronica E. Aplenc, U of Pennsylvania  
Christina Elizabeth Crawford, Emory U  
Deirdre Ruscitti Harshman, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign  
Michal Murawski, Queen Mary, U of London (UK)  
Katherine Zubovich, Ryerson U (Canada)

**12-34 From Gothic to Urban: Literary Representations of Architectural Space - Michigan State, 6th**

*Chair:* Stiliana Milkova, Oberlin College  
*Papers:* Daria Ivanova, U of Southern California  
"In the Corridors of Gloomy Castles: Russian Perception of Gothic Imagery"  
Carolyn Jursa Ayers, Saint Mary's U of MN  
"Gothic Corners in Shared Quarters: Negotiation of Social Spaces in Jane Austen and Mikhail Lermontov"  
Karen Link Rosenflanz, College of St. Scholastica  
"Architectonics of the Invisible Cities of Krzhizhanovsky and Calvino"  
*Disc.:* Stiliana Milkova, Oberlin College

**12-35 Forgotten Masterpieces of Russian Literature: Fresh Approaches and Readings - Minnesota, 6th**

*Chair:* Sara Dickinson, U of Genoa (Italy)  
*Papers:* Radislav Lapushin, UNC at Chapel Hill  
"Chekhov's 'Across Siberia': The Poetry of Travel Sketches"  
Galina S. Rylkova, U of Florida  
"From Moderato to Largo Appassionato: The Road to Excess in 'The Garnet Bracelet' by Alexander Kuprin, 1911"  
Marat Grinberg, Reed College  
"Was Jabotinsky a Good Writer?": Jabotinsky's Russian Literary Legacy and the Question of Masterpieces"  
*Disc.:* Carol Apollonio, Duke U

**12-36 Indigenous Literature of Russia: The "Small-Numbered Peoples" Writ Large - Navy Pier, 10th**

*Chair:* Olga Solovieva, U of Chicago  
*Papers:* Johanna Domokos, Károli Gáspár U (Hungary)  
"Russia's Finno-Ugric Literatures"  
Naomi Caffee, U of Arizona  
"The Miseducation of Iurii Rytkeu: Bildung and Resistance in Russia's Indigenous Literature"  
Eva Toulouze, INALCO (France) / U of Tartu (Estonia)  
"Yuri Vella and Soviet Indigenous Literature"  
*Disc.:* Rebecca Jane Stanton, Columbia U  
Marjorie Mandelstam Balzer, Georgetown U

**12-37 Thresholds and Transitions in the Soviet Era - Northwestern, 6th**

*Chair:* Irina Sadovina, U of Toronto (Canada)  
*Papers:* Nadia Hoppe, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign  
"On the John: Use of the Toilet as Imagery in Soviet and Post-Soviet Literature and Art"  
Alejandra Isabel Otero Pires, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign  
"Anticipating the Abyss: Apocalyptic Anxieties in Shakhnazarov's Gorod Zero"  
Kateryna Malaia, U of Wisconsin-Milwaukee  
"The Fall of the USSR, the Rise of a Bedroom and the New Privacy"  
*Disc.:* Marie-Alice L'Heureux, U of Kansas

**12-38 Women's & Gender Studies and SEES: Transgressions and Creative Synergy - (Roundtable) - O'Hare, 10th**

*Chair:* Betsy Jones Hemenway, Loyola U Chicago  
*Part.:* Alexander Kondakov, European U at St. Petersburg (Russia)  
Marianna Georgievna Muravyeva, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)

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Alexandra Novitskaya, Stony Brook U

**12-39 Natural and National Resources: Narratives of Water, Soil, and Minerals - Ohio, 6th**

*Chair:* Alyssa DeBlasio, Dickinson College

*Papers:* Anna Graber, Harvard U

"A Scientific Salon?: The Mineral Science of the Kheraskov Circle"

Mieka Erley, Colgate U

"Virgin Soil in the Russian Cultural Imagination"

Maria Hristova, DePauw U

"Ecological Problems and Disability in Hamid Ismailov's The Dead Lake"

*Disc.:* Mark Bassin, Södertörn U (Sweden)

**12-41 Russian Monastery Labor, Operation, and Concepts of Work during the later Muscovite Period: New Research - Printers Row, 2nd**

*Chair:* Janet L. B. Martin, U of Miami

*Papers:* Jennifer B. Spock, Eastern Kentucky U

"Monastery Labor Systems Beyond Serfdom: Monks and Labor in Russia's Far North in the 16th and 17th Centuries"

Isaiah Gruber, Hebrew U of Jerusalem (Israel)

"Conventions and Transgressions: Concepts of Work in the Monastic Tradition"

Peter B. Brown, Rhode Island College

"Land Tenure on Russian Monasteries: 1550-1750"

*Disc.:* Georg B. Michels, UC Riverside

**12-42 Sasha Sokolov (I) - Purdue, 6th**

*Chair:* Sabina Amanbayeva, McNeese State U

*Papers:* Martina Napolitano, U of Udine (Italy)

"Indeterminacy in Sasha Sokolov's Works: An Issue of Deixis, Language, and Content"

Jose Vergara, Swarthmore College

"The Body of Language in Sokolov's Shkola 'Dlia Durakov'"

Olga Matich, UC Berkeley

"Sokolov's Neo-Baroque Palisandriia: Alternative History and Literary Legacy"

*Disc.:* Sabina Amanbayeva, McNeese State U

**12-43 Unheard Voices: Roma, Memory, and the Holocaust - River North, 2nd**

*Chair:* Michelle Kelso, George Washington U

*Papers:* Michael Benjamin Thorne, Wingate U

"The Memory Archipelago: Roma, the Holocaust, and the Limits of Collective Memory"

Ioanida Costache, Stanford U

"Representations of the Holocaust in the Lăutari Folk Canon"

Krista Hegburg, US Holocaust Memorial Museum

"Unknown Holocaust: Czech Roma, Memory, and Restitution"

*Disc.:* Jill Marie Massino, UNC at Charlotte

**12-44 Russia's New/Old Policy in the Middle East - (Roundtable) - Salon 1, 7th**

*Chair:* Yuval Weber, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)

*Part.:* Peter Clement, Columbia U

Robert Owen Freedman, Johns Hopkins U

Carol R. Saivetz, Harvard U

**12-46 "Soviet Nonconformists, Dissidents, and their Allies at Home and Abroad" - Scottsdale, 5th**

*Chair:* Denis Kozlov, Dalhousie U (Canada)

*Papers:* Benjamin I Nathans, U of Pennsylvania

'From the Other Shore: Amnesty International and Soviet Dissidents'

Barbara Martin, Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies (Switzerland)

"Allies in an Anti-Stalinist Crusade: Anton Antonov-Ovseenko's Use of Old Bolsheviks' Testimonies in His Historical Works"

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- Kathleen Elizabeth Smith, Georgetown U  
 "An Anti-Stalinist Novel and its Allies: Children of the Arbat's Long Road to Publication"  
*Disc.:* Steven A. Barnes, George Mason U
- 12-47 Displacement, Population Movement, and Refugee Crises in Russia and Eastern Europe during and after the Great War: The "New Normal?"** - *Sheffield, 4th*  
*Chair:* Jo Laycock, Sheffield Hallam U (UK)  
*Papers:* Asya Darbinyan, Clark U  
 "Confronting the Refugee Crises in Imperial Russia: Mass Population Movement and the Armenian Relief Work"  
 Andrew Robert Basso, U of Calgary (Canada)  
 "War and Displacement: Synthesizing Theory and Empirics"  
 Péter Pál Kránitz, Pázmány Péter Catholic U (Hungary)  
 "Between Humanitarian and Revisionist: Discourses on Refugees in Hungary and Bulgaria after the First World War"  
*Disc.:* Jo Laycock, Sheffield Hallam U (UK)
- 12-48 The Cultural Consequences of the October Revolution and the Civil War in Siberia** - *State Avenue, 4th Floor*  
*Chair:* Irina Aleksandrovna Ayzikova, Tomsk State U (Russia)  
*Papers:* Valeriya Esipova, Tomsk State U (Russia)  
 "The Manuscripts from Collections Owned by Russian Orthodox Church in the Collection of Department of Manuscripts and Rare Books of Tomsk State University Research Library"  
 Tatiana Demeshkina, Tomsk State U (Russia)  
 "The Concept 'Exile' in Siberian Speech Culture"  
 Irina Aleksandrovna Ayzikova, Tomsk State U (Russia)  
 "The October Revolution and the Civil War in Siberian Literature of the 1920s and 1930s"  
*Disc.:* Valentina Gorenintseva, Tomsk State U (Russia)
- 12-49 The Westernization of Russian Culture in the 18th Century** - *Streeterville, 2nd*  
*Chair:* Paul Alexander Bushkovitch, Yale U  
*Papers:* Marina Swoboda, McGill U (Canada)  
 "Dimitrii Tuptalo, Archbishop of Rostov, His Educational Initiatives, and School Dramas"  
 Alexander Iosad, U of Oxford (UK)  
 "Barefoot Muses: Antiochus Cantemir's Politics of Learning and Science"  
 Michael A. Pesenson, U of Texas at Austin  
 "Francesco Araia's 'Russian' Opera Seria: the 1755 Premiere of Tsefal and Prokris and the Internalization of Italianate Musical Culture at the Court of St. Petersburg"  
*Disc.:* Eve Levin, U of Kansas
- 12-50 Vocabulary and Names in Caucasian Languages** - *Water Tower, 10th*  
*Chair:* Bert Beynen, Osher Lifelong Learning Institute/ Temple U  
*Papers:* Rusudan Asatiani, Ivane Javakhishvili Tbilisi State U (Georgia), and Marine Ivanishvili, Ivane Javakhishvili Tbilisi State U (Georgia)  
 "What did a Human Being 'Look Like' in Kartvelian Linguistic Space"  
 John Colarusso, McMaster U (Canada)  
 "Ancient Ethnonyms from the Caucasus and the Eurasian Steppes"  
 Helen Giunashvili, Giorgi Tsereteli Institute of Oriental Studies (Georgia)/ Ilia State U (Georgia)  
 "Pre-Christian Georgia and Pre-Islamic Iran: Issues of Cultural-Linguistic Interference"  
*Disc.:* Michael Long, Baylor U
- 12-51 Tolstoy: Biology and Morality** - *Wisconsin, 6th*  
*Chair:* Vadim Shneyder, UCLA  
*Papers:* Laurel Schmuck, U of Southern California  
 "The Origin of Species According to Tolstoy: The Bible, Darwin, and Rousseau in 'The Kreutzer Sonata'"

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Lily Tarba, U of Toronto (Canada)

"Honour in Anna Karenina"

Ekaterina Alexeevna Chelpanova, U of Kansas

"Gothic Aesthetics as a Tool for Portraying Female Transgression in 'War and Peace'"

*Disc.:* Vadim Shneyder, UCLA

**12-52 Interwar Eastern European Jurists and the Origins of International Criminal Law - Wrigleyville, 2nd**

*Chair:* Anton Weiss-Wendt, Norwegian Holocaust Centre (Norway)

*Papers:* Douglas Irvin-Erickson, George Mason U

"Crises of Nations and Peoples: The Response to Militant Right Wing Movements in Polish and Romanian Legal Philosophy in the 1930s"

Dietmar Müller, Leibniz Institute for the History and Culture of Eastern Europe

"The Politics of International Law and the League of Nations: Experts, Institutions and Networks"

Mark A. Lewis, CUNY College of Staten Island

"The Plan to Create a Global Penal Code in the 1930s: Romanian and Polish Contributions"

*Disc.:* David Petrucci, Diplomatic Academy of Vienna (Austria)

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## Session 13 – Sunday – 10:00-11:45 am

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**Association for Diversity in Slavic, East European, and Eurasian Studies (ADSEEEES) - (Meeting) - Lakeview, 2nd**

**Committee on Libraries and Information Resources Membership Meeting - (Meeting) - Halsted, 4<sup>th</sup>**

**ASEEEES Working Group on Philosophy and Intellectual History - (Meeting) - Huron, 10th**

**13-01 A Path to and from Soviet Identity: Perceptions and Encounters - Addison, 4th**

*Chair:* T. Clayton Black, Washington College

*Papers:* Igor Borisovich Orlov, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)

"Sovietness' vs 'Non-Sovietness': Transformation of Soviet Tourists' Perceptions of the Foreign Countries"

Alexander Livshin, Moscow State U (Russia)

"Foreign Visitors in Soviet Russia: Perceptions and Reality 1920-1930s"

Olga V. Velikanova, U of North Texas

"Anti-clerical and Anti-enfranchisement Voices in the Mass Discussion of the Constitution of 1936"

*Disc.:* Shoshana Keller, Hamilton College

**13-02 The Great Patriotic War and the Problem of Representation in the USSR: 1941-1960s - Armitage, 4th**

*Chair:* Mark Von Hagen, Arizona State U

*Papers:* Yan Mann, Arizona State U

"The Khrushchev Thaw: Criticizing the Official History of the Great Patriotic War"

Roberto Jose Carmack, U.S. Army

"Strength in Unity: Soviet Identities in Kazakhstan during World War II"

Jonathan Brunstedt, Utah State U

"Memorialization before Memorials: The Russian Question during the Formative Years of the Soviet War Cult"

*Disc.:* Lisa A. Kirschenbaum, West Chester U

**13-03 Documenting, Legitimizing, and Interpreting the Russian Revolution: 1917-2017 - Belmont, 4th**

*Chair:* Rex A. Wade, George Mason U

*Papers:* Semion Lyandres, U of Notre Dame

"Spontaneity vs. Leadership Debate in Post-Soviet Russian Scholarship on the February

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- Revolution"  
 Dina Moyal, Tel Aviv U (Israel)  
 "Legal Idealism and Revolutionary Realism: The Provisional Government's Extraordinary Commission of Inquiry"  
 Vera Kaplan, Tel Aviv U (Israel)  
 "Documenting the Russian Revolution: 1917-1918"  
*Disc.:* Michael C. Hickey, Bloomsburg U
- 13-04 New Opportunities in the Russian Archives - (Roundtable) - Chicago Ballroom A, 5th**  
*Chair:* Nadia G. Boyadjieva, Balkan Studies Institute BAS (Bulgaria)  
*Part.:* Mark Nathan Kramer, Harvard U  
 Sergey Radchenko, London School of Economics and Political Science (UK)  
 Peter Ruggenthaler, Ludwig Boltzmann Inst for Research of War Consequences (Austria)  
 Joseph Torigian, Stanford U
- 13-05 1917-2017: A Century of Radical Changes and the Bolshevik Legacy - (Roundtable) - Chicago Ballroom B, 4th**  
*Chair:* Francine Friedman, Ball State U  
*Part.:* Stefano Bianchini, U of Bologna (Italy)  
 Julie Mostov, Drexel U  
 Robert Craig Nation, US Army War College  
 James M. Nyce, Ball State U
- 13-06 Making Connections: The Economy and Power in Russia and Ukraine - Chicago Ballroom C, 5th**  
*Chair:* Grigore Pop-Eleches, Princeton U  
*Papers:* Arturas Rozenas, New York U  
 "How Manipulating Economic News Shapes Government Reputation: Evidence from Russia's State Controlled Media"  
 Delgerjargal Uvsh, U of Wisconsin-Madison  
 "Reversal of the Curse?: Negative Revenue Shocks and Economic Development in Russia"  
 John S Earle, George Mason U, Scott Gehlbach, U of Wisconsin-Madison, Anton Shirikov, U of Wisconsin-Madison, and Solomiya Shpak, George Mason U  
 "Political Connections and Economic Outcomes: Oligarchs and the Orange Revolution"  
*Disc.:* Grigore Pop-Eleches, Princeton U
- 13-07 The Trajectory of Russian Science - (Roundtable) - Chicago Ballroom D, 5th**  
*Chair:* Harley D. Balzer, Georgetown U  
*Part.:* Irina Dezhina, Skolkovo Institute of Science and Technology (Russia)  
 Rita S. Guenther, National Academy of Sciences (Ukraine)  
 Zinfer R. Ismagilov, Russian Academy of Sciences (Russia)  
 Sergey Victorovich Netesov, Novosibirsk State U (Russia)  
 Asif A. Siddiqi, Fordham U
- 13-08 Russian Elections 2016-2018: Political Change and Regime Stability - (Roundtable) - Chicago Ballroom E, 5th**  
*Chair:* Gulnaz Sharafutdinova, King's College London (UK)  
*Part.:* Ben Noble, U of Oxford (UK)  
 Sarah A Oates, U of Maryland, College Park  
 Ora John Edward Reuter, U of Wisconsin-Milwaukee  
 Regina Smyth, Indiana U Bloomington  
 Rostislav Turovsky, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)
- 13-09 The Foreign Relations of Post-Soviet De Facto States - Chicago Ballroom F, 5th**  
*Chair:* Magdalena Dembinska, U of Montreal (Canada)  
*Papers:* Urban Jaksa, U of York (UK)  
 "Multi-vector Foreign Policy and Engagement without Recognition: Abkhazia's Interactions with the West"

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Pål Kolstø, U of Oslo (Norway)  
"Abkhazia: Russia's Obstreperous Client State"  
Konstantinas Andrijauskas, Vilnius U (Lithuania)  
"Secondary Separatism and the Ukrainian Crisis: The Quest for 'Foreign' Relations with Post-Soviet Unrecognized Entities"

*Disc.:* Edward Christian Holland, U of Arkansas

**13-10 Reflections on the Conflicts in the East Slavic Triangle - Chicago Ballroom G, 5th**

*Chair:* Andrei Vladimir Korobkov, Middle Tennessee State U

*Papers:* David Roger Marples, U of Alberta (Canada)

"Memory Laws and Current Conflicts: Politics and the Past in Ukraine, Belarus, and Russia"  
Oleg Manaev, U of Tennessee / Independent Institute of Socio-Economic and Political Studies (Belarus)

"Reshuffling Social Stratification and Its Consequences in the East Slavic Triangle"

Arkady Moshes, Finnish Institute of International Affairs (Finland)

"The Impact of the Ukraine Crisis on the Allied Relationship between Russia and Belarus"

*Disc.:* Grigory Ioffe, Radford U

**13-11 Women in Black and Beyond: Women's Activism as an Agent of Political and Social Change in Eastern Europe - (Roundtable) - Chicago Ballroom H, 5th**

*Chair:* Wendy Bracewell, U College London (UK)

*Part.:* Bojan Aleksov, U College London (UK)

Irena Grudzinska Gross, Princeton U

Anna Di Lellio, The New School

Shana Penn, Graduate Theological Union Center for Jewish Studies

Joanna M. Regulska, UC Davis

**13-12 The Communist Party Apparatus: The Party Organs Department and Leadership in the Soviet Republics in the Khrushchev and Brezhnev Eras - Clark, 4th**

*Chair:* Neringa Klumbyte, Miami U of Ohio

*Papers:* Alexander Titov, Queen's U Belfast (UK)

"The Central Committee Department of Party Organs under Khrushchev: Structure, Staff, Functions and Reorganisations"

Mike Loader, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)

"The Department of Party Organs for the Union Republics and the Purges in the Soviet Periphery, 1958-1961"

Saulius Grybkauskas, Lithuanian Institute of History (Lithuania)

"The Brezhnevists' Balance System in Ruling the Soviet Empire: Evidence from the Soviet Republics"

*Disc.:* Martin J. Blackwell, U of North Georgia

**13-13 Left Histories, Left Readings: Gender, State Power, and the Women's Struggles in Socialist Bulgaria - Cook, 3rd**

*Chair:* Boryana Dragoeva, Syracuse U

*Papers:* Nikolay Raykov Karkov, Michigan State U

Stanimir Panayotov, Central European U (Hungary)

"Within yet against the State: Women's Struggles in Socialist Bulgaria"

Zhivka Valiavicharska, Pratt Institute

"Gender and Social Reproduction in Post-Stalinist Bulgaria"

Boryana Dragoeva, Syracuse U

"State Feminism and Gender Performances in Bulgarian Film from the Socialist Period"

*Disc.:* Piro Rexhepi, Max Planck Institute for the Study of Religious and Ethnic Diversity (Germany)

**13-14 Translating Race in Eurasia IV: Race and the (Fe)male Body - Denver, 5th**

*Chair:* Marcos Antonio Cisneros, American U of Central Asia (Kyrgyzstan)

*Papers:* Samuel Roman Buelow, Indiana U Bloomington

"Rethinking Racial Beauty: South Korean Influence on Crossdresser Fashion in Kyrgyzstan"

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Kristin Torres, U of Missouri  
"Billboards and Burqas: The Politics of Womenswear in Bishkek"  
Erin K Krafft, U of Massachusetts Dartmouth  
"American, Soviet, and Post-Soviet Women Defining and Defying Femininity"

*Disc.:* Feruza Aripova, Northeastern U  
Susanna Weygandt, Dalhousie U (Canada)

**13-15 On Mobility in/from Southeastern Europe - Dupage, 3rd**

*Chair:* Nada Petkovic Djordjevic, U of Chicago  
*Papers:* Evguenia N. Davidova, Portland State U  
"Women Nurses as Mobile Workers in Bulgaria (1880s-1920s)"

Angelina Emilova Ilieva, U of Chicago  
"Figurations of Home in Recent Bulgarian Émigré Writing"

Robert Edward Niebuhr, Arizona State U  
"Expanding Influence: Yugoslavs in the Cold War World"

*Disc.:* Nicholas John Miller, Boise State U

**13-16 Rethinking Asceticism: Asceticism, Russia, and Orthodoxy (1861-1924) - Grace, 4th**

*Chair:* Roy Raymond Robson, Pennsylvania State U  
*Papers:* Patrick Lally Michelson, Indiana U Bloomington  
"Orthodox Asceticism and Narratives of Russian History and Culture"

Francesca Silano, U of Toronto (Canada)  
"Clothe yourselves in sackcloth': Asceticism as an Orthodox Challenge to Revolutionary Ideals (1917-1919)"

Scott M. Kenworthy, Miami U of Ohio  
"The Crisis of Asceticism in Revolutionary Russia"

*Disc.:* Paul Richard Valliere, Butler U

**13-17 Uncommon Responses to the Holocaust - Great America 1, 6th**

*Chair:* Jennifer Ryan Tishler, U of Wisconsin–Madison  
*Papers:* Rachel F. Brenner, U of Wisconsin-Madison  
"Zofia Kossak: An Antisemite Who Rescued Jews"

Aurimas Svedas, Vilnius U (Lithuania)  
"Irene Veisaite: Life Should be Transparent"

Teryl L Dobbs, U of Wisconsin-Madison  
"Josima Feldschuh: Music Behind the Ghetto Walls"

*Disc.:* Eliyana R. Adler, Pennsylvania State U

**13-18 A Genealogy of Dostoevsky's Underground - Great America 2, 6th**

*Chair:* Lynn E. Patyk, Dartmouth College  
*Papers:* Baktygul A. Aliev, Williams College  
"Intersubjective Recognition in Dostoevsky's 'The Double'"

Tetyana Shlikhar, U of Pittsburgh  
"Between Hysteria and Obsession: Analyzing the Underground Man's Neurosis in 'Notes from the Underground'"

Alina Wyman, New College of Florida  
"A View from Underground: Ressentiment in the 'Brothers Karamazov'"

*Disc.:* Carol Apollonio, Duke U

**13-20 With Music and Image: Transgressive Modernism in Czechoslovakia - Houston, 5th**

*Chair:* Esther Peters, U of Chicago  
*Papers:* David Vondracek, Ludwig-Maximilians-U Munich (Germany)  
"Jazz as Transgression? Jaroslav Ježek's Music in the First Czechoslovak Republic"

Nicholas Hudac, Charles U in Prague (Czech Republic)  
"Slovak Traditions, Modern Techniques: Martin Frič, Karel Plicka, and the Search for a Modernist (Czecho)Slovak Identity"

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- Barbara E Dietlinger, U of Chicago  
 "Transgressing the Opera Stage – Television Opera in and from Czechoslovakia"  
*Disc.:* Cheryl Stephenson, U of Chicago
- 13-22 Public Gey – Private Colors? Realms of Agency in Late Socialist Czechoslovakia - Illinois, 6th**  
*Chair:* Rosamund Johnston, New York U  
*Papers:* Michal Pullmann, Charles U in Prague (Czech Republic)  
 "Privacy and Self-expression. Spheres of 'New Individualism' in Post-1968 Czechoslovakia"  
 Martina Winkler, U of Bremen (Germany)  
 "Who's the Real Expert Here? Pedagogy, Parenthood and the State in Socialist Czechoslovakia"  
 Peter Bugge, Aarhus U (Denmark)  
 "'Grey Zones' and the Study of Social Actors in Post-1968 Czechoslovakia"  
*Disc.:* Paulina Bren, Vassar College
- 13-23 Co/producing Dialogue: Film, Society, Transgressions in South Eastern Europe - (Roundtable) - Indiana, 6th**  
*Chair:* Nikica Gilic, U of Zagreb (Croatia)  
*Part.:* Dijana Jelaca, Fordham U  
 Vida T. Johnson, Tufts U  
 Pavle Levi, Stanford U  
 Sanjin Pejkovic, Linnaeus U (Sweden)
- 13-24 Politics of Transgression and Aesthetics of Espionage: Popular Representations of the 'Enemy Within' in Soviet Russia and Socialist Cultures - Iowa, 6th**  
*Chair:* Yukio Nakano, Doshisha U (Japan)  
*Papers:* Valery Vyugin, Institute of Russian Literature (Pushkin House) RAN (Russia)  
 "Espionage and Conspiracy on Stage and Screen: The Case of the USSR in the 1930s"  
 Jan Levchenko, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)  
 "Whose Motherland and What For: The Spy Movies of the Baltic Studios in the USSR"  
 Lyubov Bugaeva, St. Petersburg State U (Russia)  
 "On the Socialist Front: A Bulgarian Detective Against Bio-Terrorists and 007"  
*Disc.:* Jurij Murasov, U of Konstanz (Germany)  
 Elena V. Prokhorova, College of William & Mary
- 13-25 Poland on the Move: Settlers, Scientists, and New States - Kane, 3rd**  
*Chair:* Winson Chu, U of Wisconsin-Milwaukee  
*Papers:* Katrin Steffen, Hamburg U (Germany)  
 "Transnational Lives: Scientists, Migration and Expertise in the Polish Territories and Beyond (19th and 20th Centuries)"  
 Jan Musekamp, European U Viadrina (Germany)  
 "Between the Russian Empire, Poland, Canada, and Germany: The History of Volhynian Germans as a Transnational History of Migration and Integration"  
 Agata Zborowska, U of Warsaw (Poland)  
 "Objects of Refuge: Material Culture and the Experience of Migration in Post-World War II Poland"  
*Disc.:* Katharina Matro, Stone Ridge School of the Sacred Heart
- 13-26 Economics and Defense in Putin's Russia - Kansas City, 5th**  
*Chair:* Steven Shelley Rosefielde, UNC at Chapel Hill  
*Papers:* Masaaki Kuboniwa, Hitotsubashi U (Japan)  
 "Mission: Impossible (The Impact of the Russian Military Industry on GDP Growth)"  
 Johan Norberg, Swedish Defence Research Agency (Sweden)  
 "Russia's Military Capability in 2017"  
 Steven Shelley Rosefielde, UNC Chapel Hill  
 "Trump and Putin: New Directions in US/Russian Economic and Security Policy"  
*Disc.:* Stephen Jerome Blank, American Foreign Policy Council

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- 13-28 Political Discourses in Interwar Polish Literature - *Lincolnshire I, 6th***  
*Chair:* Michal Pawel Markowski, U of Illinois at Chicago  
*Papers:* Stanley Bill, U of Cambridge (UK)  
 "Bruno Schulz's Ukrainian Drawings"  
 Michal Pawel Markowski, U of Illinois at Chicago  
 "Witkacy: Aesthetics as Politics"  
 Andrzej Brylak, U of Illinois at Chicago  
 "Literary Representations of Interwar Poland as a Biopolitical Project"  
*Disc.:* Karen Underhill, U of Illinois at Chicago
- 13-29 Remembering the Past in Korlenko's (Auto)Biographies and Letters - *Lincolnshire II, 6th***  
*Chair:* Radha Balasubramanian, U of Nebraska, Lincoln  
*Papers:* Jane Tussey Costlow, Bates College  
 "Retrieving and Re-Imagining Korolenko: Soviet Biographies and Notes Toward a Future Life"  
 Nadja Berkovich, U of Arkansas  
 "Scripting the Empire in Korolenko's 'The History of My Contemporary'"  
 Mark Conliffe, Willamette U  
 "Vladimir Korolenko's 'Letters to Lunacharskii': Explaining Tragedy"  
*Disc.:* Gina Pacht Kovarsky, Virginia Commonwealth U
- 13-30 Against the State: Anarchism and Russian Cultural Life, 1917-2017 - (Roundtable) - *Los Angeles, 5th***  
*Chair:* Leah Michele Feldman, U of Chicago  
*Part.:* Ania Aizman, Harvard U  
 Allan W Antliff, U of Victoria (Canada)  
 James Frank Goodwin, U of Florida  
 Nina Gourianova, Northwestern U  
 Daniil Leiderman, Princeton U
- 13-31 Czechoslovakia: The Radically Changing Status Quo: Clementis, Patočka, and Czech Exile Publishing - *McHenry, 3rd***  
*Chair:* Katalin Kadar-Lynn, Eötvös Loránd U (Hungary)  
*Papers:* Francis D. Raska, Charles U in Prague (Czech Republic)  
 "Sixty-Eight Publishers and INDEX: Relations between the Most Significant Post-1968 Czechoslovak Exile Publishers"  
 Josette A Baer, U of Zurich (Switzerland)  
 "Vladimir Clementis - Victim or Perpetrator of Czechoslovak Stalinism?"  
 Zdenek Vaclav David, Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars  
 "Jan Patočka on Karl Marx and Socialism: From People's Democracy to the Aftermath of the Prague Spring"  
*Disc.:* A Ross Johnson, Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars
- 13-32 Religious Actors and Conservatism in Contemporary Russia: Convergence or Conflict? - *Miami, 5th***  
*Chair:* Michael Rochlitz, Ludwig-Maximilians-U Munich (Germany)  
*Papers:* Christian Fröhlich, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)  
 "The Conservative Side of Civil Society: Religious Actors and Activism in Contemporary Russia"  
 Lili Di Puppò, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)  
 "Muslim Actors in Russia's Conservative Landscape"  
 Kristina Kovalskaya, GSRL-EPHE (France), CETOBAC (France)  
 "Who is Conservative? Pro-Orthodox Criticism of Islam in Russia"  
*Disc.:* Philipp Casula, U of Zurich (Switzerland)
- 13-33 Transgressive Masculinities: Contemporary Russian Queer Visual Culture - *Michigan, 6th***  
*Chair:* Volha Isakava, Central Washington U  
*Papers:* Brian James Baer, Kent State U  
 "The Bildungsroman Gone Wild: Genre and Gender in Post-Soviet Visual Media"

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Maria Engström, Dalarna U (Sweden)  
"From Sexual Revolution to 'Sexual Sovereignty': Queer-Art Exhibitions in Post-Soviet Russia"  
Vlad Strukov, U of Leeds (UK)  
"Un-Queer Men: Re-tooling Queer Visual Aesthetic in Russian Grassroots Media"

*Disc.:* Helena Goscilo, Ohio State U

**13-34 Multiple Feminisms 6: Re-reading Power, Gender and Desire in Russian Literature - Michigan State, 6th**

*Chair:* Anni Irmeli Lappela, U of Helsinki (Finland)

*Papers:* Kornelije Kvas, U of Belgrade (Serbia)  
"Power and Guilt in Tolstoy's 'Anna Karenina'"

Emily Kanner, Harvard U

"Hippolytus, Interrupted: Revisiting the Classical in Tsvetaeva and Hilda 'H.D.' Doolittle"

Giulia Dossi, Harvard U

"Breaking the Bonds of Narrative: the Case of Evprakseiuska in Saltykov-Shchedrin's 'The Golovlyovs'"

*Disc.:* Maria N Corrigan, Concordia U (Canada)

**13-35 Always Historicize! Soviet-Jewish History and Memory in Global Post-Soviet Literature - Minnesota, 6th**

*Chair:* Andrea Zink, U of Innsbruck (Austria)

*Papers:* Alex Moshkin, U of Pennsylvania  
"Dissent after Dissidents: Narrating Soviet-Jewish Past in Israeli-Russian Literature, 1991-2016"

Sasha Senderovich, U of Washington

"Exhaustive Historical Narratives in Russian Jewish American Fiction"

Miriam Finkelstein, U of Innsbruck (Austria)

"The Migrant Remembers Back. Soviet-Jewish History in Contemporary Russian-German Fiction"

*Disc.:* Ann Komaromi, U of Toronto (Canada)

**13-36 Translating Between the Universal and the Particular: Late Soviet and Post-Soviet Perspectives - Navy Pier, 10th**

*Chair:* Anatoly Pinsky, European U at St. Petersburg (Russia)

*Papers:* Eleonory Gilburd, U of Chicago  
"The Language of Culture"

David Ilmar Beecher, UC Berkeley

"Third Worlds in Third Languages: Tartu University in the Age of Official Soviet Bilingualism"

Dace Dzenovska, U of Oxford (UK)

"Language Sacred, Language Injurious: Translating Liberalism through Tolerance Promotion in Latvia"

*Disc.:* Anatoly Pinsky, European U at St. Petersburg (Russia)

**13-37 Biography and Political Analysis: The Role of Narrative in Examining Key Political Events - Northwestern, 6th**

*Chair:* Andreea Deciu Ritivoi, Carnegie Mellon U

*Papers:* Vladimir Tismaneanu, U of Maryland, College Park  
"Hannah Arendt and Stalinism"

Marius Stan, U of Bucharest (Romania)

"Rosa Luxemburg, Hannah Arendt, and Some Intricacies of the Biographical Method"

Andreea Deciu Ritivoi, Carnegie Mellon U

"Narrating Lives, Narrating Times: Arendt's Biographical Method and Its Lessons for the European Left"

*Disc.:* Bogdan Cristian Iacob, New Europe College (Romania)

**13-38 Teaching in the Digital Age: Techniques and Technology in the Classroom - (Lightning Round) - O'Hare, 10th**

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*Chair:* Krista Goff, U of Miami  
*Papers:* Katherine Zubovich, Ryerson U (Canada)  
"Visualizing the Past"  
Vojin Majstorovic, U of Toronto (Canada)  
"Digital Media in the Classroom"  
Benjamin Warren Sawyer, Middle Tennessee State U  
"Teaching Fundamentals through Technology"  
Kelly A. Kolar, Middle Tennessee State U  
"Digital Information Literacy in the Classroom"  
Christopher I. Stolarski, Oberlin College  
"Other Ways of Doing History: Undergraduate Coding Projects and Digital Assessments"  
Kitty Lam, Illinois Mathematics and Science Academy  
"Computer Modeling and Simulation Games for the Soviet History Classroom"  
Krista Goff, U of Miami  
"Storymaps as a Teaching Tool"

**13-39 Catastrophe and Modern Culture - (Roundtable) - Ohio, 6th**

*Chair:* Jenifer Presto, U of Oregon  
*Part.:* Anindita Banerjee, Cornell U  
Go Koshino, Hokkaido U (Japan)  
Colleen McQuillen, U of Illinois at Chicago  
Jenifer Presto, U of Oregon

**13-41 Zakon and Predanie: Law and Orthodox Tradition in Early Modern and Modern Russia - Printers Row, 2nd**

*Chair:* Olga Tsapina, The Huntington Library  
*Papers:* Olga Tsapina, The Huntington Library  
"Swear Not At All: Feofan Prokopovich, Markel Rodyshevskii and the Debate on the Synodal Oath"  
Elena Marasinova, Russian Academy of Sciences (Russia)  
"Punishment by Penance in 18th–Century Russia"  
Elena Naumovna Penskaya, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)  
"The Penance Discourse in the Russian Literature and Journalism of the Early 21st Century"  
*Disc.:* Nikolaos A. Chrissidis, Southern Connecticut State U

**13-42 Moscow and St. Petersburg: Urban Allusions - Purdue, 6th**

*Chair:* Karen Link Rosenflanz, College of St. Scholastica  
*Papers:* Sidney Dement, Binghamton U  
"Setting Allusion in Time and Space: Opekushin's Monument to Pushkin in the Twenty-First Century"  
Kathleen Scollins, U of Vermont  
"Taking a Stroll Down 'Nevsky Prospect': Gogolian Allusion in Alexei Uchitel's 'Progulka'"  
Clint Walker, U of Montana  
"Monuments in Platonov's Moscow Text"  
*Disc.:* Andrew Reynolds, U of Wisconsin-Madison

**13-43 Book Discussion: "Ordinary Jews: Choice and Survival during the Holocaust" by Evgeny Finkel - (Roundtable) - River North, 2nd**

*Chair:* Monika Nalepa, U of Chicago  
*Part.:* Michael H. Bernhard, U of Florida  
Kathryn Ciancia, U of Wisconsin-Madison  
Michael David-Fox, Georgetown U  
Jason Wittenberg, UC Berkeley

**13-44 University Consortium Roundtable: Perspectives on US-EU-Russia Relations in the Current International Disorder - (Roundtable) - Salon 1, 7th**

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*Chair:* Malcolm Lyndon Gareth Spencer, U of Oxford (UK)  
*Part.:* Timothy James Colton, Harvard U  
Alexander A. Cooley, Barnard College / Columbia U  
Julie Newton, U of Oxford (UK)  
Dmitry Suslov, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)

**13-46 Soviet Liberalism Revisited - *Scottsdale, 5th***

*Chair:* Kåre Johan Mjør, Uppsala U (Sweden)  
*Papers:* Ilya Kalinin, New Literary Observer (Russia)  
"Perestroika Representations of Soviet Liberalism of the Thaw Period"  
Dirk Uffelmann, U of Passau (Germany)  
"Mikhail Ryklin's Soviet Liberalism in Confrontation with Post-Soviet Post-Liberalism"  
Sanna Turoma, U of Helsinki (Finland)  
"Citizen Poet (Grazdanin Poet): Nostalgia for Soviet Liberalism?"  
*Disc.:* Mark N. Lipovetsky, U of Colorado at Boulder

**13-47 Empire, Political Economy, and Urban Life in the Russian Far East: Past and Present - *Sheffield, 4th***

*Chair:* Yanni Kotsonis, New York U  
*Papers:* Sergey Glebov, Smith College / Amherst College / Ab Imperio  
"Before the 'Yellow Peril': Russian Administrators Views of Chinese Labor and Commerce in the Far East, 1860s-1890s"  
Chia Yin Hsu, Portland State U  
"The Porto-Franco Debate in the Russian Far East and the Crisis of Statistical Knowledge, 1900-1910"  
Vasileios Kitsos, Södertörn U (Sweden)  
"Vladivostok in Search of a New Urbanity"  
*Disc.:* Nathaniel Knight, Seton Hall U

**13-48 Transgressions and Conflicts in Georgia - *State Avenue, 4th Floor***

*Chair:* J. Daniel Humphries, US Department of Defense  
*Papers:* Julie Ann Christensen, George Mason U  
"Transgressions in the Films of Otar Ioseliani"  
Ia Grigalashvili, Tbilisi State U (Russia), and Ivane Javakhishvili Tbilisi State U (Russia)  
"Transgressions in Georgian Ecclesiastic Literature from the Second to the Ninth Century CE"  
Paul Crego, Library of Congress  
"The Canon on Sodomy from the Ruisi-Urbnisi Synod"  
*Disc.:* Mary Evelynne Childs, U of Washington

**13-49 Creating Ethnophobias in Russia and the Balkans (1848-1920) - *Streeterville, 2nd***

*Chair:* John Athanasios Mazis, Hamline U  
*Papers:* Victor Taki, King's U (Canada)  
"The Russian Other in Romanian Politics, 1848-1914"  
Denis V. Vovchenko, Northeastern State U  
"In the Shadow of Black Hundred: the Russian Radical Right's Views of the Near East (1905-1917)"  
John Athanasios Mazis, Hamline U  
"Fascism in the Cradle of Democracy: The Proto-fascist Ideas of Ion Dragoumis, 1900-1920"  
*Disc.:* Gregory Lynn Bruess, U of Northern Iowa  
Maria Falina, U College Dublin (Ireland)

**13-50 Forum on Art of Teaching Russian: An Edited Volume by Slavica Publishers - (*Roundtable*) - *Water Tower, 10th***

*Chair:* Evgeny Dengub, Amherst College  
*Part.:* William J. Comer, Portland State U  
Thomas J. Garza, U of Texas, Austin

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Tatiana Smorodinska, Middlebury College  
Rachel Stauffer, Independent Scholar

**13-51 Cognitive Approaches to Russian Literature I: Theories of Mind - (Roundtable) - Wisconsin, 6th**

*Chair:* Polina Dimcheva Dimova, Oberlin College

*Part.:* Brett Cooke, Texas A&M U

Kelly Knickmeier Cummings, U of Kansas

Tom Dolack, Wheaton College

Lisa Zunshine, U of Kentucky

**13-52 Urban Sensecapes - Wrigleyville, 2nd**

*Chair:* Karla Huebner, Wright State U

*Papers:* Andrew Behrendt, U of Pittsburgh

"The Wild Water-Folk of the Danube: Carnival versus Control in Interwar Budapest"

Stephanie Weismann, U of Vienna (Austria)

"Urban Scents and Sensibilities: The Smellscapes of Interwar Lublin"

Olena V Leipnik, Sam Houston State U

"Living the Street: the Sensecapes of a City in Eastern Ukraine"

*Disc.:* Alexander I. Vari, Marywood U

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## Session 14 – Sunday – 12:00-1:45 pm

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**14-01 The Cultural Politics of Jewish-Russian Identity during the Late 1950s-1980s - Addison, 4th**

*Chair:* Zvi Y. Gitelman, U of Michigan

*Papers:* Victoria M. Khiterer, Millersville U

"Broken Silence: Jewish Themes in the Plays of Alexander Galich"

Maxim D. Shrayner, Boston College

"Lev Ginzburg: Jewish Germanophile, Soviet Investigator of Nazi Crimes"

Alexandar Mihailovic, Hofstra U

"Aleksandr Rozenbaum and the Jewish Avtorskaia Pesnia"

*Disc.:* Alice Stone Nakhimovsky, Colgate U

**14-02 Strangers in a Strange Land: Foreigners and Evacuees in the Soviet Union - (Roundtable) - Armitage, 4th**

*Chair:* Karl D. Qualls, Dickinson College

*Part.:* Natalie Belsky, U of Minnesota Duluth

Seth Bernstein, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)

Jo Laycock, Sheffield Hallam U (UK)

Matthias Neumann, U of East Anglia (UK)

Karl D. Qualls, Dickinson College

**14-03 Concepts of Legitimacy in State Building in Early Revolutionary Russia - Belmont, 4th**

*Chair:* Mikhail Nakonechnyi, U of Oxford (UK)

*Papers:* Lara Douds, U of York (UK)

"Soviet 'Democracy' or Vanguard Party Leadership?: Sovnarkom, the Politburo and the Problem of Legitimacy, 1917-23"

Matthew Rendle, U of Exeter (UK)

"Corruption on Trial: Crimes of Office, Law, and Legitimising State Power"

Joseph Nicholson, U of Nottingham (UK)

"Corruption and Legitimacy in the Early Soviet State: a Foreign Trade Perspective"

*Disc.:* James W. Heinzen, Rowan U

**14-04 Commemoration and Historical Memory of the October Revolution in Poland and the Soviet Union - Chicago Ballroom A, 5th**

*Chair:* Chris J. Chulos, Roosevelt U

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*Papers:* Bartłomiej Gajos, Centre for Polish-Russian Dialogue and Understanding (Poland)  
"Transgression of Memory. The Day of the October Revolution in the Polish People's Republic, 1957-1967"  
Brian Kilgour, U of Wisconsin-Madison  
"Angels in Almaty and Demons on the Steppe: Reflections on the Revolution in Kazakh Cinema"  
Zachary Rewinski, U of Wisconsin-Madison  
"How to Write the Enemies of the Revolution: Facts and Fictions in Narrative Poems of the Ten Year Anniversary of October"  
*Disc.:* Karen Petrone, U of Kentucky

**14-05 The State and Big Business in Putin's Russia - Chicago Ballroom B, 4th**

*Chair:* Rachel Anne Polonsky, U of Cambridge (UK)  
*Papers:* Holly Nielsen, Baring Vostok Capital Partners (Russia)  
"The Russian Investment Climate, Post-Crimea"  
Yuko Adachi, Sophia U (Japan)  
"Developments in State-Owned Business under Putin"  
Tina Jennings, U of Oxford (UK)  
"The Impact of Western Sanctions on Russia, Post-Ukraine"  
*Disc.:* Peter Rutland, Wesleyan U

**14-06 Moving Bodies, Border Moves: Transgression and the Performance of National (Un)Belonging in Hungary, Belarus, and Poland - Chicago Ballroom C, 5th**

*Chair:* Maya Nadkarni, Swarthmore College  
*Papers:* Margarita Kompelmakher, U of Minnesota  
"Belarusian Theater and Border-Crossing in the Digital Age"  
Maya Nadkarni, Swarthmore College  
"Remembering 1956 and Forgetting Migration?: Performing National Memory in Hungary"  
Dominika Laster, U of New Mexico  
"Foreign Bodies, Forced Migration, and Performances of Exile in Central-Eastern Europe"  
*Disc.:* Aniko Szucs, New York U

**14-07 Transgressions in Post-Soviet Prisons: Explorations Inside and Outside the Boundaries of Penal Power - Chicago Ballroom D, 5th**

*Chair:* Laura Francesca Piacentini, U of Strathclyde (UK)  
*Papers:* Laura Francesca Piacentini, U of Strathclyde (UK)  
"The Virtual Reality of Russian Prisons: Social Media and Transformations in Prisoner Agency and Prison Structure in a Contested Penal Landscape"  
Lyuba Azbel, London School of Hygiene & Tropical Medicine (UK)  
"Heroin in Kyrgyz Prisons: the Other Methadone Treatment"  
Gavin Slade, U of Glasgow (UK)  
"Prison Violence and Subculture: The Case of Moldova"  
*Disc.:* Judith Pallot, U of Oxford (UK)

**14-08 Contemporary Post-Soviet Legislative and Constitutional Processes - Chicago Ballroom E, 5th**

*Chair:* Sharon Werning Rivera, Hamilton College  
*Papers:* Shuhei Mizoguchi, Chukyo U (Japan)  
"The Politics of Constitutional Amendments in the Authoritarian Russia"  
Julian Gordon Waller, George Washington U  
"Mimicking the Mad Printer: Isomorphic Diffusion in Contemporary Post-Soviet Legislation"  
Lauri Malksoo, U of Tartu (Estonia)  
"Russia and the European Court of Human Rights: the Strasbourg Effect?"  
*Disc.:* Philip J. Howe, Adrian College

**14-09 "Transgressions" of the Cultural Cold War in US-Soviet Academic and Cultural Exchanges: Personal Experience and Academic Research (1955-1991) - (Roundtable) - Chicago Ballroom F, 5th**

*Chair:* David Maurice Goldfrank, Georgetown U

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*Part.:* Seymour Becker, Rutgers, The State U of New Jersey  
Denise J. Youngblood, U of Vermont  
Sergei Ivanovich Zhuk, Ball State U  
Andrei Znamenski, U of Memphis

**14-10 The “Silenced” Conflicts of the Post-Soviet Space - *Chicago Ballroom G, 5th***

*Chair:* Irina Morozova, Leibniz Institute for South and Southeast European Studies (Germany)

*Papers:* Konstanze Juengling, Leibniz Institute for East and Southeast European Studies (Germany)

"Silencing Conflicts in the Post-Soviet Space: Sources, Dimensions, Consequences"

Stephan Rindlisbacher, U of Bern (Switzerland)

"The Pro-Russian Secessionist Movement in Crimea Between 1991 and 2014"

Bogdan Zawadewicz, Leibniz Institute for East and Southeast European Studies (Germany)

"The 'Silenced' Conflict Zones in a World-Systems Perspective – The Case of Eastern Ukraine"

*Disc.:* Cécile Druey, Swisspeace / U of Basel (Switzerland)

**14-11 Slovenia, the Baltics, and Beyond: Comparing Small State Foreign Policy in the EU - *Chicago Ballroom H, 5th***

*Chair:* Carole Rogel, Ohio State U

*Papers:* Peter Rozic, U of Ljubljana (Slovenia)

"A Home-Grown Culture of European Foreign Policy?: Small States' International Relations Between the Demands (or Reality) of Domestic and EU Environments"

James Gow, King's College London (UK)

"Small States in the Not-So-New Europe: Sovereignty and Security"

Mark A. Cichock, U of Texas at Arlington

"The Baltic States and Small-State Alliance Behavior: Sovereignty Constrained or Boundaries that Don't Chafe?"

*Disc.:* Charles Bukowski, Bradley U

**14-12 The Limits of Soviet Anti-Imperialism: Friendship, Language, and (In)Equality across the USSR - *Clark, 4th***

*Chair:* Jeremy Johnson, U of Michigan

*Papers:* Benjamin Bamberger, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

"Mountains of Discontent: Georgian Alpinists and the Meaning of Soviet (In)Equality in the Caucasus, 1932-1953"

Anna Marie Whittington, U of Michigan

"Russian Language, Soviet People: The Place of Russian after the 1958-59 School Reform"

Markian Dobczansky, U of Toronto (Canada)

"Official and Unofficial Critiques of Russification in Ukraine after the 1989 Language Law"

*Disc.:* Zbigniew Adam Wojnowski, Nazarbayev U (Kazakhstan)

**14-13 The City: Collective Memory and Soviet Legacy - *Cook, 3rd***

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

*Papers:* Adam Michael Brode, U of Pittsburgh

"Collective Memory and Urban Space in Multiethnic Riga, 1918-1934"

Matthew Cotton, U of Washington

"From Stalingrad to Volgograd: Transgression and Memorialization in the City of Stalin"

Aleksandra Simonova, UC Berkeley

"Cities of Science: From a Scientific Experiment to Search for New Governmentality in Russia"

*Disc.:* Guido Hausmann, U of Regensburg (Germany)

**14-14 Disability and Bodily Transgressions: Before and After the Soviet Union - (*Roundtable*) - *Denver, 5th***

*Chair:* Natalia Pamula, U at Buffalo

*Part.:* Charles Mohan Beacroft, U of East Anglia (UK)

Frances Lee Bernstein, Drew U

Cassandra Hartblay, UC San Diego

Elena R. Iarskaia-Smirnova, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)

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Claire L Shaw, U of Bristol (UK)

**14-15 Intervention, Identity, and State Consolidation in the Yugoslav Successor States (1990-2005) - Dupage, 3rd**

*Chair:* Dragana Cvetanovic, U of Helsinki (Finland)

*Papers:* Chris Jones, U of East Anglia (UK)

"France and the Fall of Srebrenica"

Elliot Short, U of East Anglia (UK)

"The Orao Affair: The Key to Unifying the Armies of Post-Dayton Bosnia and Herzegovina"

Ivana Polic, UC San Diego

"The Making of Young Patriots: Children's Magazines in Post-Yugoslav Croatia (1991-1999)"

*Disc.:* David Pettigrew, Southern Connecticut State U

**14-16 Russian "Relay Duty:" Transnational Networks and Advocacy in the Long 19th Century - Grace, 4th**

*Chair:* Faith C. Hillis, U of Chicago

*Papers:* John Wyatt Randolph, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

"Salon Populism: On the Imperial Origins of a Populist Cliché"

Lynn E. Patyk, Dartmouth College

"The Voice of Russia: Olga Novikoff between Moscow and London"

Stuart D. Finkel, U of Florida

"For Martyrs or for Guns?: Russian Revolutionaries and Western Publics, 1900-14"

*Disc.:* Susan K. Morrissey, UC Irvine

**14-17 Metastases of Poiesis in View of World War I and Revolutionary Trauma - Great America 1, 6th**

*Chair:* Andrei Gorkovoi, U of Illinois at Chicago

*Papers:* Dag Alexander Lindskog, U of Illinois at Chicago

"Witkacy's A(na)esthetics of Trauma"

Emma-Lina Löflund, Stockholm U (Sweden)

"And They were Judged Every Man According to Their Works': Maximilian Voloshin's Anno Mundi Ardentis and the Apocalypse"

Yelena Zotova, Pennsylvania State U

"Language Lost and Found: Ambivalence towards Linguistic Change in the Works of Broadly Defined 'Fellow-Travelers' (Olesha, Platonov, Zoschenko, etc.)"

*Disc.:* Stephen Alexander Tullock, Harvard U

**14-18 "Angels of Revolution" (2014) by Alexey Fedorchenko - (Roundtable) - Great America 2, 6th**

*Chair:* Rimgaila E. Salys, U of Colorado at Boulder

*Part.:* Anthony Anemone, The New School

Tatiana Mikhailova, U of Colorado at Boulder

Alexander V. Prokhorov, College of William & Mary

Thomas Lee Roberts, U of Colorado

**14-20 From RuNet with <3: State Politics and Sexual Publics on the Post-Socialist Internet - Houston, 5th**

*Chair:* Alexandra Novitskaya, Stony Brook U

*Papers:* Anastasia Ioanna Kayiatos, Macalester College

"Are you there, Elton? It's me, Putin!: Or, the Digital Politics of Sexual Identity and New (Media) Cults of Personality"

Katja Kahlina, U of Helsinki (Finland)

"In the Name of the Family and Democracy: Anti-LGBT Organising, Digital Media, and Transgression of Democracy in Croatia"

Zosha Winegar-Schultz, U of Minnesota

"Selfie Stickin' it to the Man: Creating the Self(ie) in Post-Soviet Russia"

*Disc.:* Alexandra Novitskaya, Stony Brook U

**14-21 Transgressions in Library Metadata - (Roundtable) - Huron, 10th**

*Chair:* Larisa Walsh, U of Chicago

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*Part.:* David Bade, U of Chicago  
Thomas Mark Dousa, U of Chicago  
Ksenya I. Kiebusinski, U of Toronto (Canada)  
Ellen R. Langer, UC, Berkeley  
Jeannette A Moss, Northwestern U

**14-22 A Revival of Jewish Culture? East-Central Europe under Late Socialism - Illinois, 6th**

*Chair:* Eliyana R. Adler, Pennsylvania State U

*Papers:* Peter Hallama, Ecole des Hautes Etudes en Sciences Sociales (EHESS)  
"All virtual?: Re-defining Jewishness in Late-Socialist Czechoslovakia: Generational Conflicts, Dissident Appropriations, and Nostalgia for 'Mitteleuropa'"  
Katerina Capkova, Institute of Contemporary History ASCR (Czech Republic)  
"Shifting Centers of Jewish Social Life in Poland and Czechoslovakia in Late Socialism"  
Agnieszka Wierzcholska, Freie U (Germany)  
"Palimpsest Tarnów: Facing the Town's Jewish Past"

*Disc.:* Michal Kopecek, Institute for Contemporary History, ASCR (Czech Republic)

**14-23 Emir Kusturica: Cinema of Transgression - Indiana, 6th**

*Chair:* Vladislav Beronja, U of Texas at Austin

*Papers:* Miranda Jakisa, Humboldt U (Germany)  
"Andricgrad: Precarious Transgressions with Filmic Devices"  
Nikica Gilic, U of Zagreb (Croatia)  
"Transgressions of Early Kusturica: A Director in Yugoslav and European Context"  
Aida Vidan, Harvard U  
"Mythology and Ethics in Kusturica's Time of the Gypsies and On the Milky Road"

*Disc.:* Dijana Jelaca, Fordham U  
Sanjin Pejkovic, Linnaeus U (Sweden)

**14-24 Film, Philosophy, and Ignored Histories - Iowa, 6th**

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*Chair:* Marie Gasper-Hulvat, Kent State U at Stark

*Papers:* Alla Baeva, St. John's U  
"'Sculpting in Time' Experiments in Tarkovsky's Mirror and Stalker"  
John R. Givens, U of Rochester  
"The Anxiety of Belief in Tarkovsky's Films"  
Lora Wheeler Mjolsness, UC Irvine  
"Wom-an-imation: Was there a Soviet Women's Animation?"

*Disc.:* Michele Leigh, Southern Illinois U, Carbondale

**14-25 Migration, Minorities, Religion, and the State in East and Southeast Europe - Kane, 3rd**

*Chair:* Petia A. Kostadinova, U of Illinois at Chicago

*Papers:* Markus Wien, American U (Bulgaria)  
"Between Integration and Migration: Re-Defining Sephardic-Jewish Group Identities in Bulgaria, 1878-1950"  
Benedict Edward DeDominicis, Catholic U of Korea (Korea)  
"Southeast European Religiosity and Diaspora Political Polarization: the Impact of Homeland Sectarian Minority Catholic Identity on National Diaspora US Political Activism"  
Tatiana Rizova, Christopher Newport U  
"Security Considerations in Crafting Responses to the European Migrant Crisis: Evidence from Bulgaria and Hungary, 2015-2017"

*Disc.:* Petia A. Kostadinova, U of Illinois at Chicago

**14-26 The Russian Economy - Kansas City, 5th**

*Chair:* William Henszey Pyle, Middlebury College

*Papers:* Michael V. Alexeev, Indiana U Bloomington  
"A Tale of Two Crises: Federal Transfers and Regional Economies in Russia in 2009 and 2015"

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Richard E. Ericson, East Carolina U  
"The Growth and Marcescence of the 'System of the Optimal Functioning of the Economy'"  
Barry William Ickes, Pennsylvania State U  
"Lessons from 25 Years of Transition in Russia"

*Disc.:* James A. Leitzel, U of Chicago

**14-28 Transgressions in Croatian History, Politics, and Culture (Literature) - *Lincolnshire I, 6th***

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*Chair:* Nicholas Ivan Novosel, US Department of the Army

*Papers:* Nives Rumenjak, Webster U Leiden (Netherlands) / U of Pittsburgh

"Politics of Memory and Autobiography as an Act of Transgression in Late 19th Century Croatia"

Vjekoslava Jurdana, Juraj Dobrila U of Pula (Croatia)

"Between History and Hysteria: Transgressions in the Novel 'Danuncijada' by Viktor Car Emin"

Ivo Soljan, Grand Valley State U

"Transgression, Punishment, Forgiveness, and Redemption in Croatian Poetry (16th-21st Century)"

*Disc.:* Ellen Elias-Bursac, Independent Scholar

**14-29 Crises of Self and Conflicts of Genre in Goncharov's 'Oblomov' - *Lincolnshire II, 6th***

*Chair:* Volha Seliazniova, U of Southern California

*Papers:* Brian Oches, Indiana U Bloomington

"The Pastoral as a Form of Suicide in Oblomov"

Elvira Godek-Kirylyuk, U of Illinois at Chicago

"Emotion Seldom Crystallized into the Form of a Definite Idea: Ivan Goncharov's 'Oblomov' and the Trajectory of Realism"

Thomas McGarvie Watson, U of Southern California

"Feeling Like a Mountain: 'Oblomov' as Empire's Dead End"

*Disc.:* Greta Nicole Matzner-Gore, U of Southern California

**14-30 Transgression, Decline, Rebirth?: The Anthropology of Fins de Siècle in Europe - (*Roundtable*) - *Los Angeles, 5th***

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

*Part.:* Liudmila Alyabyeva, New Literary Observer Publishing House (Russia)

Ilya Kalinin, New Literary Observer Publishing House (Russia)

Olga Matich, UC Berkeley

**14-31 New Perspectives on Sport Under Socialism: Sport Diplomacy, Athletes, and Lower-League Football - *McHenry, 3rd***

*Chair:* Alan McDougall, Uof Guelph (Canada)

*Papers:* Jenifer L. Parks, Rocky Mountain College

"Sports Diplomacy and Conflicting Priorities in the Struggle to Spread Socialism in the 'Third World'"

Johanna Leigh Mellis, U of Florida

"Hungarian Athletes after 1956: Adapting to Become Beneficiaries of the Socialist Sport System"

Richard Mills, U of East Anglia (UK)

"On the Rocks: Lower League Football and the Internal Complexities of Socialist Yugoslavia in the 1950s"

*Disc.:* Robert S. Edelman, UC San Diego

**14-32 Buddhism in Russia: Revolution, Repression, Reaction, and Revival - *Miami, 5th***

*Chair:* Ivan Sablin, NRU Higher School of Economics (Russia)

*Papers:* Nikolay Tsyrempilov, Nazarbayev U (Kazakhstan)

"The Death of White Tara: The Reaction of the Buryat Buddhists to the Demise of the Monarchy in 1917 Russia"

Justine Buck Quijada, Wesleyan U

"Once and Future Buddhists: Etigelov and the Production of a Buddhist Chronotope"

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Helen Sharon Hundley, Wichita State U  
"Agvan Dorzhiev: The 'Heart' of Early 20th Century Buriat Buddhism and His Post-Soviet Revival"

*Disc.:* Melissa Andrea Chakars, Saint Joseph's U

**14-33 Art and Architecture: Made by Women - Michigan, 6th**

*Chair:* Anna P. Sokolina, International Archive of Women in Architecture

*Papers:* Hanna Chuchvaha, U of Alberta (Canada)

"Ekaterina Dashkova and Anna Jablonowska, the Eighteenth-Century Proto-Feminists, and Collectors: Two Portraits"

Ievgeniia Gubkina, Center for Urban History of East Central Europe (Ukraine)

"Slavutyich: The Role of Female Architects in Planning of the Last Soviet City"

Mariann Simon, Szent Istvan U (Hungary)

"Bridging the Cold War Divide: Hungarian Women Architects in the UIFA"

*Disc.:* Margaret Samu, The New School

**14-34 Space and Gender in Silver Age Thought - Michigan State, 6th**

*Chair:* David M. Bethea, U of Wisconsin-Madison

*Papers:* Kristin Edwards, U of Wisconsin-Madison

"Creating Sacred Space: Vladimir Solovyov's Literary Hierotopy"

Megan Kennedy, U of Wisconsin-Madison

"Sophia or a Sensation of the Abyss?: Unity and Duality in Bely and Solovyev"

Lev Nikulin, Princeton U

"Say My Name: Linguistic Omission and Spatial Transgression in Tsvetaeva's Molodets"

*Disc.:* Olga Simonova Partan, College of the Holy Cross

**14-35 The Past's Future, the Future's Past: Reframing Formalism in Russian and Abroad - Minnesota, 6th**

*Chair:* Nicholas Kyle Kupensky, Yale U

*Papers:* Michael Alexander Brinley, U of Pennsylvania

"The Return of the Native: Roman Jakobson and the Diplomacy of Structural Linguistics, 1956-1968"

Helen R Stuhr-Rommereim, U of Pennsylvania

"Social Progress/Aesthetic Innovation: Continuities in Belinsky and Formalism"

Jessica E Merrill, Columbia U

"The American Reception of Russian Formalism in the Context of the Cold War"

*Disc.:* Michal Mrugalski, U of Tübingen (Germany)

**14-36 Russian Dictionaries as Cultural Models - Navy Pier, 10th**

*Chair:* Lindsay Marie Ceballos, Lafayette College

*Papers:* D. Brian Kim, Stanford U

"Totius Orbis: Catherine II's Imperial Lexicography"

Geoff Cebula, U of Southern California

"Leonid Lipavsky's 'Left' Lexicon: Compiling a post-OBERIU Dictionary"

Ilya Vinitsky, Princeton U

"Lord of the Words: Vladimir Dahl's Explanatory Dictionary of Living Russian Language as a National Epic"

*Disc.:* Gabriella Safran, Stanford U

**14-37 Thinking Eighteenth Century: Between Repulsion and Attraction - Northwestern, 6th**

*Chair:* Alexander Averbuch, U of Toronto (Canada)

*Papers:* Anastasia Tsyлина, Brown U

"Linguistic Purism and Transgression in Russia and the Czech Lands: Enunciating the National Identity and Domesticating the World Literature"

Irina Avkhimovich, St. Olaf College

"The Polemics on Russian Identity in the 18th Century Journals: Catherine II, Fonvizin,

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- Plavilshchikov"  
Igor Vishnevetsky, Carnegie Mellon U  
"Stepan Shevryyov and the Creation of a Myth of the Eighteenth-Century Russia"  
*Disc.:* Valeria Sobol, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
- 14-39 Eastern European Science Fiction: From Utopian Dreams to Post-Communist Searching - Ohio, 6th**  
*Chair:* Stephanie Ahrang Chung, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign  
*Papers:* Meagan Kathleen Smith, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign  
"Looking through the Glass"  
Anya L. Hamrick, New York Institute of Technology  
"From Heart to Brain: Early Soviet Neurology and Bulgakov's 'Heart of a Dog'"  
Alexandra Melnikova, U of Wisconsin-Madison  
"Bifurcation Point–Revolution: National Self-Identification through Reconsidering the Past"  
*Disc.:* Matthias Schwartz, Center for Literary and Cultural Research Berlin (Germany)  
Richard V. Tempest, U of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
- 14-41 War and Transformation on the Ukrainian Borderlands (1660s- 1860s) - Printers Row, 2nd**  
*Chair:* Heather J. Coleman, U of Alberta (Canada)  
*Papers:* Zenon E. Kohut, U of Alberta (Canada)  
"Maneuvering among Poland, Muscovy, Crimea, and the Ottoman Empire: Hetman Petro Doroshenko's Ottoman Alliance (1660s-1675)"  
Brian L. Davies, U of Texas at San Antonio  
"From Hetmanate to Malorossiiia: Catherine II's Policy towards Ukraine, 1762-1775"  
Mara Veronica Kozelsky, U of South Alabama  
"Crimea in War and Transformation"  
*Disc.:* Victor Taki, King's U (Canada)  
Frank Edward Sysyn, U of Alberta (Canada)
- 14-42 Sasha Sokolov (II) - Purdue, 6th**  
*Chair:* Anthony James Qualin, Texas Tech U  
*Papers:* Mariya Donska, Paris Lodron U of Salzburg (Germany)  
"...but how to begin, with what words?": On Metareference in Sasha Sokolov's Works from 'A School for Fools' to 'Triptych'  
Christina Schwartz, UC Berkeley  
"Stepping out of Historical Time: Narrating Bezvremen'e in Sokolov's Palisandriia"  
Alexander Markov, Russian State U for the Humanities (Russia)  
"Sokolov's Triptych, Genre, and Rhetorical Topoi"  
*Disc.:* Anthony James Qualin, Texas Tech U
- 14-43 Jews Between Peoples and Parties: Renegotiating Political and National Ties after WWII - River North, 2nd**  
*Chair:* Natalya Lazar, Clark U  
*Papers:* Jeffrey Koerber, Chapman U  
"Palestine or Birobidzhan?: Young Polish Jews Search for a Homeland"  
Kateřina Králová, Charles U in Prague (Czech Republic)  
"Jews, Greeks or Communists?: Greece's Relations with Israel after Its Establishment"  
Jacob Ari Labendz, Pennsylvania State U  
"My Brother-Party's Keeper?: The Communist Parties of Czechoslovakia and Israel"  
*Disc.:* Natalia Aleksium, Touro College
- 14-46 Perspectives on Power and Shifting Boundaries: The View from Above, Below and Outside - Scottsdale, 5th**  
*Chair:* Laurie S. Stoff, Arizona State U  
*Papers:* Heather Leigh Bailey, U of Illinois at Springfield

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- "Is a 'Tsar' a 'Caesar'?: Perspectives from Nineteenth-Century France"  
Greta Bucher, U.S. Military Academy, West Point
- "Power and Resistance in the Countryside: An 'Outsider's' View"  
Kate Transchel, California State U Chico
- "Distilling Opposition: Temperance as a Challenge to Autocratic Power"  
*Disc.:* Christine Diane Worobec, Northern Illinois U
- 14-47 Russian Far East: Historical Lessons from Migration Policies, Relocation and Consolidation of the Population - Sheffield, 4th**
- Chair:* Irina Gorbunova-Ford, American Public U System
- Papers:* Lauren Woodard, U of Massachusetts Amherst
- "The Politics of Return: Repatriation and Development in Russia's Far East"  
Liao Zhang, Michigan State U
- "Mapping Russia's Northeast Asian Borderlands: 1880s-1920s"  
Irina Gorbunova-Ford, American Public U System, and Liudmila Gorbunova, Far Eastern Institute of Management RANHiGS (Russia)
- "Social Assistance to the Population of the Priamurskoe Governor-Generalship (1884-1917)"  
*Disc.:* Yuexin Rachel Lin, National U of Singapore (Singapore)
- 14-48 Siberian Rock: Cultural Appropriation and Authenticity in the Deep Soviet Union - (Roundtable) - State Avenue, 4th Floor**
- Chair:* Mikhail Yu. Nemtsev, Independent Scholar
- Part.:* Mikhail Yu. Nemtsev, Independent Scholar
- Sergei A Samoilenko, George Mason U
- Mark Simon, Moscow School of Social and Economic Sciences (Russia)
- Mark Yoffe, George Washington U
- 14-49 Beyond Nationalism: Religion, Migration, and Hybridity in Southeastern Europe - Streeterville, 2nd**
- Chair:* Elidor Mehilli, Hunter College
- Papers:* Stella Ghervas, U of Alabama at Birmingham
- "The 'Orthodox Commonwealth': A Russo-Hellenic Utopia for the Balkans, 1815-1856"  
James N. Tallon, Lewis U
- "Struggling with Empire and Independence: Albanians and Hyphenated Identities"  
Tobias Weger, Federal Institute for Culture and History of the Germans in Eastern Europe (Germany)
- "Muslims and Christians in a Contested Area: Dobrudja, 1877-2017"  
*Disc.:* Mate Rigo, Cornell U
- 14-50 Applied Georgian Linguistics - Water Tower, 10th**
- Chair:* Julie Ann Christensen, George Mason U
- Papers:* Tamar Makharoblidze, Ilia State U (Georgia)
- "Current Research on Georgian Sign Language (GESL)"  
J. Daniel Humphries, US Department of Defense
- "A New Basis for an On-Line Dictionary of Georgian Verbs"  
Etheri Soselia, Ivane Javakhishvili Tbilisi State U (Georgia)
- "Phonotactical Regularities of Modern Georgian Consonants"  
*Disc.:* John Colarusso, McMaster U (Canada)
- 14-51 Cognitive Approaches to Russian Literature II: Reading, Memory, and Transformation - (Roundtable) - Wisconsin, 6th**
- Chair:* Lisa Zunshine, U of Kentucky
- Part.:* Denis Akhapiin, St. Petersburg State U (Russia) / Smolny College (Russia)
- Amina Gabrielova, Purdue U
- Katherina Boicheva Kokinova, Independent Scholar
- Sarah Beth Mohler, Truman State U
- Jerry Piven, Columbia Death Seminar
- 14-52 Diaspora, Empire, and Nation State: Armenians in East-Central Europe in the Modern Period -**  
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*Chair:* Ronald Grigor Suny, U of Michigan

*Papers:* Balint Kovacs, Leibniz Institute for the History and Culture of Eastern Europe (Germany)  
"Armenians in Transylvania"

Hakob Matevosyan, U of Leipzig (Germany)

"Establishment and Transformation of the Armenian Diasporic Field in Hungary"

Stefan C. Troebst, U of Leipzig (Germany)

"Armenians in Eastern Europe"