7th Changing Europe Summer School

“Central Eastern Europe and the CIS between post-socialist path-dependence, Europeanization and globalization”

National Research University - Higher School of Economics
& Research Centre for East European Studies (University of Bremen)

Moscow, 29 July – 05 August 2012

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Location: National Research University - Higher School of Economics, 20 Myasnitskaya Street, room 327K
Accomodation: students’ hall of residence (double rooms), 7 Vavilova Street
Lunch and dinner: at the university canteen
Monday, 30 July 2012

Welcome
Leonid Kosals (National Research University – Higher School of Economics, Moscow, Russia)
Heiko Pleines (Research Centre for East European Studies at the University of Bremen, Germany)

Introduction to the National Research University - Higher School of Economics
Vadim Radaev (National Research University – Higher School of Economics, Moscow, Russia)

Opening speech
Vadim Radaev (National Research University – Higher School of Economics, Moscow, Russia):
Where Does Demand for Regulation Come From? The State’s Return to the Retail Trade in Russia

Simulation game “Forest economy in Fontania. Path dependence and sustainable development”
organized by Christopher Haarbeck and Annegret Schneider (Planpolitik, Berlin, Germany)

(Simulating conflicts and negotiations provides a playful way of learning and understanding the political dynamics behind them. This is the exact goal of simulation games. After a negotiation or conflict situation has been chosen, the participants of the game proceed to assume the roles of the different parties and agents relevant to that situation. They have to represent their “character’s” interests convincingly and aim to make them prevail in negotiations. In order to achieve this, they must determine any existing scope for negotiation, use it to their advantage and recognise situations which call for compromise. www.planpolitik.de)
Tuesday, 31 July 2012

Panel 1: Getting rid of planned economies (1). Towards global markets and/or the EU? (chair: Heiko Pleines, Research Centre for East European Studies at the University of Bremen, Germany)

Sandro Steinbach (Humboldt University of Berlin, Germany)
The Baltic Free Trade Area as a First Step in the EU-Accession Process of Estonia, Latvia and Lithuania: Did It Pay-Off for the Baltic States?

Vera Jotanovic (University of Rome “La Sapienza”, Italy)
Are the post-socialist Balkan countries economically prepared for Europe and the global financial system?

Elena Georgieva (European Centre for International and Strategic Research - CERIS, Brussels, Belgium)
The Two-Way Relationship between Health and the Economy: The Case of Injuries in Transition Countries

Discussant: Alexei Belianin (National Research University – Higher School of Economics, Moscow, Russia)

Panel 2: Urban Spaces. Path-dependence built in stone (chair: Leonid Kosals, National Research University – Higher School of Economics, Moscow, Russia)

Mary Hartshorn Dellenbaugh (Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, Germany)
Spatial Appropriation for Cultural Production. Two Case Studies in East Berlin after German Reunification

Roman Matoušek (Charles University in Prague, Czech Republic)
Shaping new paths of social housing in Czechia: national program and local interests

Discussant: Christopher Swader (National Research University – Higher School of Economics, Moscow, Russia)

Info 1: How to get access to information?

Pavel Arefiev (Scientific Electronic Library "eLIBRARY.RU", Moscow, Russia)
Panel 3: Authoritarian tendencies in the CIS. Post-Soviet path-dependence or universal mechanisms of power struggles (chair: Heiko Pleines, Research Centre for East European Studies at the University of Bremen, Germany)

Nele Quecke (Ludwig-Maximilians-University Munich, Germany)
Change in the functions of autocratic parties: the development of ruling parties in Russia and Kazakhstan

Discussant: Andrey Melville (National Research University – Higher School of Economics, Moscow, Russia)

Wednesday, 01 August 2012

Panel 4: Moral transformations? Anomie and new values (chair: Leonid Kosals, National Research University – Higher School of Economics, Moscow, Russia)

Evgeniya Golman (National Research University – Higher School of Economics, Moscow, Russia)
Female body practices as an object of sociological research

Natalia Gavrilova (National Academy of Sciences Ukraine)
Religious practices as a Result of Ukraine’s Post-Socialist Path of development in the Socio-Cultural Sphere: A Case Study of the Orthodox Youth

Štěpánka Busuleanu (European Viadrina University of Frankfurt/Oder, Germany)
Profiling today’s activists in Russia

Discussant: Christopher Swader (National Research University – Higher School of Economics, Moscow, Russia)

Info 2: How to get published?

Part 1: Publishing in academic journals. A short introduction
Heiko Pleines (Research Centre for East European Studies at the University of Bremen, Germany)

Part 2: The academic journal “Mir Rossii” (published by the Higher School of Economics)
Michail Chernysh (deputy chief editor, journal Mir Rossii, Moscow, Russia)

Guided city tour (afterwards: free time, no common dinner)
Thursday, 02 August 2012

Panel 5: Getting rid of planned economies (2). Developing market ties (chair: Boris Kuznetsov, National Research University – Higher School of Economics, Moscow, Russia)

Zoya Kotelnikova (National Research University – Higher School of Economics, Moscow, Russia)
Formation of Embedded Ties through Durable Exchanges in Retailer-Supplier Relationships in Russia

Anastasiya Shtaltovna (University of Bonn, Germany)
Different forms of path dependency in the transition period. Machine-Tractor park and Agrarian Change in Post-Soviet Uzbekistan

Alexander Rozhkov (National Research University – Higher School of Economics, Moscow, Russia)
Building and Developing Customer Relations in the Emerging Russian Market. The Case of Finnish Companies

Margarita Zobnina (National Research University – Higher School of Economics, Moscow, Russia)
The Voice of Customers in Europe and BRICS: Analyzing the Difference in the Hospitality Sector

Discussant: Ksenia Gonchar (National Research University – Higher School of Economics, Moscow, Russia)

Panel 6: Europeanizing the CIS? The impact of the EU’s neighbourhood policy (chair: Lili di Puppo, National Research University – Higher School of Economics, Moscow, Russia)

Vanessa Boas (University of Cologne, Germany and Charles University, Prague, Czech Republic)
Normative Power Europe in Central Asia: an inevitable culture clash?

Vasile Rotaru (National School of Political Studies and Public Administration, Bucharest, Romania)
The Eastern Partnership - a common neighbourhood, different approaches

Katharina Illiushchenia (Universität Hamburg, Germany)
Constructing its Neighbourhood Policy in terms of liberal internationalism. Energy security policy of the European Union towards Ukraine

Discussant: Michail Il'in (National Research University – Higher School of Economics, Moscow, Russia)
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Info 3: How to get funded?
Heiko Pleines (Research Centre for East European Studies at the University of Bremen, Germany)
Gregor Berghorn (head of the Moscow Branch Office, German Academic Exchange Service – DAAD)

Panel 7: Memories and identities. Linking past and present (chair: Michail Il'in, National Research University – Higher School of Economics, Moscow, Russia)
Gintare Malinauskaite (Humboldt University of Berlin, Germany)
The Paradoxes of Europeanization: (De)Colonization of Cultural Memories in the Post-Soviet Lithuania from a Transnational Perspective
Leyla Safta-Zecheria (Humboldt University, Berlin, Germany)
Path dependency in the Romanian psychiatric system
Lisa Bonn (Georg August Universität, Göttingen, Germany)
Ethno-centred Populism in Poland today
Discussant: Rafael Mrowczynski (National Research University – Higher School of Economics, Moscow, Russia)

Friday, 03 August 2012

starting at 10:30

Info 4: Giving advice to policy-makers: Changing things for the better or talking to the deaf? (chair: Heiko Pleines, Research Centre for East European Studies at the University of Bremen, Germany)
Keynote: Andrey Yakovlev (National Research University – Higher School of Economics, Moscow, Russia)
Participants: Alexander Chepurenko, Leonid Kosals, Andrey Yakovlev (all National Research University – Higher School of Economics, Moscow, Russia)

Concluding round table + Evaluation of the Summer School