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International Conference
Post-Communism and the New European Identity
Oradea, 5-7 November 2009

Conference Program

| THURSDAY, November 5th | FRIDAY, November 6th | SATURDAY, November 7th |
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| <p>15.00-16.00: Registration of Participants and handing out the conference materials, “Gheorghe Sincai” Library, Armatei Romane street, No. 1/A, C Building</p> <p>16.00-17.00: Official opening of the conference at the conference room of Gheorghe Sincai Library. Guest speaker Professor Copesescu Silviu, (Transilvania University Brasov, Romania), <i>Identity Problems in the Era of Globalization</i></p> <p>17.00-18.30: <i>A Flavour of an Old City: Oradea in Images and Symphonic Concert</i></p> | <p>09.30-11.10: Workshops 11.10-11.30: Coffee break 11.30- 12.50: Workshops</p> <p>12.50-14.30 Organized Visit to the Main Touristic Objectives from Oradea</p> <p>14.30-15.00: Free time</p> <p>15.00-16.50: Workshops 16.50- 17.10: Coffee break 17.10- 19.30: Workshops</p> | <p>09.30-11.10: Workshops 11.10-11.30: Coffee break 11.30-13.30: Workshops 13.30-14.00: Conclusions and closing remarks of the conference</p> |

Friday, November 6th

FIRST SECTION
IDENTITY AND MOBILITY IN EUROPE

09.30-09.50: Till Kathmann, University of Bremen Germany, *Identity formation through mobility? The case of German workers migration in Europe*

09.50-10.10: Alexandru Ilies, Professor, **Vasile Grama**, Assistant Professor, University of Oradea, *Human Mobility at the New Eastern Border of the EU Migration to the EU: Romania in the Process of Fostering Integration*

10.10-10.30: Katalin Prajda, Researcher, European University Institute, Italy, *Florence: a multicultural city as destination for Romanians*

10.30-10.50: Radu Cinpoes, Lecturer, Kingston University, UK, *Temporary Labour Migration within the European Union: Between the Methodological Rock and the Empirical Hard Place*

10.50-11.10: Karmen Medica, PhD researcher, University of Primorska, Koper, Slovenia, *European Identity (European Security) in the Light of Contemporary Migrations across Mediterranean*

11.10-11.30 Coffee Break

11.30-11.50: Florica Chipea, Professor, University of Oradea, *Children left Home*

11.50-12.10: Delia Stefanel, Cultural Society „Contemporary Balkania”, Athens, Greece, *How do we want them to live? Understanding intergroup relations and acculturation demands towards Romanian immigrants*

12.10-12.30 Enis Sulstarova, University of Tirana, Albania, *Escaping from the East: The Idea of Europe in Contemporary Albanian Orientalism*

12.30-12.50: Razvan Ostroveanu, PhD Student, The National School of Political Studies and Public Administration, Bucharest, *Identity, Autonomy and the Problem of Gender Equality*

12.50-14.30: Organized Visit to the Main Touristic Objectives from Oradea

14.30-15.00 FREE TIME

15.00-15.20: Violeta Cvetkovska Ocokoljic, PhD, Assistant Professor, **Tatjana Cvetkovski**, PhD, Associate Professor, Megatrend University, Belgrade, Serbia, *Influence of The Religion in the Creation of National Identity in Serbia*

15.20-15.40: Adrian Hatos, PhD, Senior Lecturer, **Sergiu Baltatescu**, PhD, Senior Lecturer, University of Oradea, Romania, *Migration for labor of parents, well-being and school performance of high school students.*

15.40-16.10: Marius – Cristian Neacsu, PhD Lecturer, Academy of Economic Studies, Bucharest, Romania, *Immigration: The Case of Romania*

16.10-16.30: Constantin Hlihor, Professor, University of Bucharest, *Geopolitics of Migration in XXIst Century*

16.30-16.50: Dorin Popa, Professor, Al. I. Cuza University, Iasi, Romania, *On the Identity De-construction through Mass-media - when Identity Kills (Comparative Study on the Imagine of the Romanians from Abroad in the Romanian and Foreign Media)*

16.50-17.10: Coffee break

17.10-17.30: Alina Popa, Assistant Professor, Al. I. Cuza University, Iasi, Romania, *The Dynamic of the Collective Imaginary in the Short and Medium Term. Stereotypes regarding the Romanians from Italy disseminated in the Contemporary Press and in the Press from the end of the XXth century*

17.30.-17.50: Lia Pop, Professor, **Ioan Laza**, Lecturer, University of Oradea, *Migration to the EU: Romania in the Process of Fostering Integration*

17.50-18.10: Lucian-Stefan Dumitrescu, Ph.D. Student, Researcher at the Institute of Sociology of the Romanian Academy **Ovidiana Bulumac**, M.A. Student, University of Bucharest, Faculty of Sociology, Romania, *The European Identity: A New Fractured Identity?*

18.10-18.30: Oana Stanciu, Jacobs University Bremen, Germany, *Jacobs University Bremen – the Romanian perspective*

18.30-18.50: Andra Pana, PhD student, The National School of Political Studies and Public Administration, Bucharest, Romania, *Multilingualism and the European Identity*

18.50-19.10: Diana Carmaciu, lecturer, University of Oradea, **Eugen Carmaciu**, Economist, *Consideration Regarding Juridical Labour Relation through the Temporary Agency Work in the Cross-Border Context*

19.10-19.30: Yousef Awad, PhD student, University of Manchester, *“The Other-Others? hidden Arabs” Fadia Faqir's My Name is Salma and the Experience of the Arab Female Immigrants to Britain*

Saturday, November 7th **Second and Third Sections**

INSTITUTIONAL CHANGES AND DEMOCRATIC REFORMS AFTER THE FALL OF COMMUNISM

THE IMAGE OF THE NEW EUROPE IN THE MASS MEDIA

09.30-09.50: Lidis Garbovan, MA Student, Central European University, Budapest, *The Role of Media in the European Identity Formation*

09.50-10.10: Dumitru Catalin Rogojanu, PhD student, Babes-Bolyai University, Romania, *A Clash of Civilizations: Turkey and the EU?*

10.10-10.30: Irina Pop, Assistant Professor, University of Oradea, *Comparison of Polish media with Russian media in times of transition*

10.30-10.50: Octavian Haragos, Assistant Professor, University of Oradea, *Local Televisions in the Context of the Electoral Campaigns. Case Study: Transilvania TV Oradea in the 2008 electoral year.*

10.50-11.10: Alina Iosifescu, MA Student, Catholic University of Leuven, Belgium, *The Europeanization of the Regional Development and Cohesion Policy in Romania*

11.10-11.30: Coffee break

11.30-11.50: Cristina Matiuta, Senior Lecturer, University of Oradea, *Civil Society and Democratic Attitudes in Former Communist Countries. Romania: A Case Study.*

11.50-12.10: Gabriela Goudenhoft, Lecturer, PhD, University of Oradea, *The Constitutional revisions. Some aspects of institutional illness, between inheritance and attainment*

12.10-12.30: Alina Brihan, Assistant Professor, University of Oradea, *Action Learning as a Means of Promoting Active Citizenship*

12.30-12.50: : Irina Pop, Assistant Professor, University of Oradea, *The Main Weaknesses of Post-Communist Politics and Political Participation in Romania*

12.50-13.10: Marius Tatar, Assistant Professor, University of Oradea, *The Democracy-Political Participation Nexus and Its Implications for Governance in Post-Communist Romania*

13.10-13.30: Dan Apateanu, Assistant Professor, University of Oradea, *The Educational Policy in Romania*

13.30-14.00: Closing Remarks