

Tuesday, November 19, 2013

9.00 to 9.30 Registrations of the participants
9.30 to 9.45 Opening of the Conference

9.45 to 11.30

1ST PANEL

WAVES AND MOTIVES OF POLITICAL EXILE. 3 KEYNOTES

Moderator: Ondrej PODOLEC (Slovakia)

- A Ross JOHNSON (USA):
The Media Activities from East European Political Emigrants through US Perspective
- Sławomir ŁUKASIEWICZ (Poland):
Cold War Central and Eastern European émigrés – main waves and dominant motives
- Róbert LETZ (Slovakia):
Slovak Political Exile in Czechoslovak and European Context

11.30 to 11.45 Coffee Break

11.45 to 13.30

2ND PANEL

IDEAS AND POLITICAL CONCEPTS IN EXILE

Moderator: Heike DÖRRENBÄCHER (Germany)

- Peter JAŠEK (Slovakia):
Activities of the Slovak World Congress in the years 1970–1989
- Milena PRZYBYSZ (Poland):
Jerzy Giedroyc, the Environment of Parisian “Kultura” and the conceptions about the role of Roman Catholic Church in Poland under Communism
- Mateja COH KLADNIK (Slovenia):
Slovene Emigration in Austria as Part of the Struggle against Communist Regime in Slovenia 1945–1949
- Miso DOKMANOVIC (FYR Macedonia):
National Statehood as the Primary Goal of the Macedonian Political Emigration: The Case of the Liberation Committee of Macedonia

Commentator: Jakub TYSKIEWICZ (Poland)

13.30 to 15.00 Break

15.00 to 16.45

3RD PANEL

RELATIONS BETWEEN THE EXILE ORGANISATIONS

Moderator: Burkhard OLSCHOWSKY (Poland/Germany)

- Filip-Lucian IORGA (Romania):
The Descendants of the Romanian Nobility facing Repression and Exile during the Communist Regime
 - Adam KOLA (Poland):
Always in Minority. Polish Left-wing Exile Intellectuals against Communism and Emigrants Majority
 - Andrzej MIETKOWSKI (Poland):
Reflection about the Polish Exile
 - Bernd FLORATH (Germany):
German Special Case of Emigration
- Commentator: Raphael KRÜGER (Germany)

16.45 to 17.00 Coffee Break

17.00 to 18.30

ROUNDTABLE TALK WITH WITNESSES

Participants: Włodek GOLDKORN (Italy), František MIKLOŠKO (Slovakia), Dušan TÓTH (Slovakia/Canada)

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9.30 to 11.00

4TH PANEL

INFORMATION CHANNELS AND SUPPORT FOR THE ANTI-COMMUNIST OPPOSITION IN HOME COUNTRIES

Moderator: Tomáš KLUBERT (Slovakia)

- Pavol HOLEŠTIK (Slovakia):
Slovak Media Abroad in Exile
 - Prokop TOMEK (Czech Republic):
Reflexion of the Broadcasting of Radio Free Europe
 - Jan CHOLÍNSKÝ (Czech Republic):
National Democrat Rudolf Kopecký – Central Person of the Czech Nonsocialist Exile Journalism and Ideological Counterpart of the Director of the Czechoslovak Desk at RFE Ferdinand Peroutka
- Commentator: Alexandar JAKIR (Croatia)

11.00 – 11.15 Coffee Break

11.15 to 13.00

5TH PANEL

RESPONSES AND PERCEPTIONS ON POLITICAL EXILE

Moderator: Peter JAŠEK (Slovakia)

- Beatrice SCUTARU (France/Romania):
“Romania, enemy of its own people!” Romanian Exile Groups’ Role in Changing the View of Romania in France and Western Europe during the 1980s
- Anna SIWIK (Poland):
Ideological Dilemmas of Polish Socialists 1945–1989
- Bernd ROBIONEK (Germany):
Outsiders of the Cold War? Changing Attitudes towards Communism within the Croatian Political Emigration 1945–1980s
- Yevgen ROGOVYY (Ukraine):
Political Activities of the Ukrainian Political Exile in the West in the Second Half of 20th Century

Commentator: Filip-Lucian IORGA (Romania)

13.00 – 14.30 Break

14.30 to 16.15

6TH PANEL

POLITICAL EXILE AND ROLE OF THE SECRET SERVICES

Moderator: Michal MIKLOVIČ (Slovakia)

- Richard CUMMINGS (USA/Germany):
“Fighting the Big Lie with the Big Truth”
- Zsuzsanna BORVENDÉG (Hungary):
Target on the Horizon. The Hungarian State Security and the Political Emigration
- Alexandar JAKIR (Croatia):
Political Emigration from Croatia and the Role of the Yugoslav Secret Service
- David SVOBODA (Czech Republic):
Cain Syndrome: Ukrainian Nationalist Exil in the after War Germany through the View of CIA 1945–1959

Commentator: Matej MEDVECKÝ (Slovakia)

16.15 to 16.30

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Historical Building of the National Council of the Slovak Republic on Župné námestie 1 in Bratislava

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