



Memory and Forgetfulness

Blagoevgrad
15-17 February 2008

- Memory Policies
- Women and Minority's Archives
- Ways to Forget
- Long memory

PROGRAMME

15 February (Friday)
Conference Hall 114

9⁰⁰ – 9³⁰ – Registration

9³⁰ – 10⁰⁰ -OPENING OF THE ROUND TABLE

Section “Memory Policies”

10⁰⁰ -12³⁰ Session One, Chairperson: Elena Tacheva, Petar Vodenicharov
Working language: English, Bulgarian

Karl Kaser, Graz

The Handling of Previous Dictatorial Regimes in Democracies: An International Comparison

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Timothy Ashplant, Liverpool

The Debated Lands: British and American Representations of the Balkans

Lilyana Deyanova, Sofia

"Laws about Memory" as a Form of Forgetfulness

Georgeta Nazarska, Sofia

Policies of Remembrance, Policies of Forgetfulness: The Anniversaries of Bulgarian Cultural Figures (the 1920s-1930s)

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13³⁰-18³⁰ Session Two, Hall 412, Chairperson: Doncho Georgiev

Borjana Buzhashka, Sofia

Attempts of Forming Macedonian National Identity in the Contemporary Greece

Nenad Lajbensperger, Zemun

Glorification, Forgetfulness and Memory on the Soldiers Fallen in the Battle on Drina (1914)

Grigor Grigorov, Blagoevgrad

The Recollection and the Oblivion about the Migration in Bulgarian Communities in Bessarabia

Michal Svoboda, Pilzen

One Past, Two Histories: the Collective Memory on the Czech Settlement of the Bulgarian Village of Belinci

15³⁰-16⁰⁰ – Coffee break

Bojan Colak, Belgrade

The Poetic Reinterpretation of the Kosovo Myth in Milan Rakic`s Poems

Nadezhda Galabova, Sofia

The Image of the Teacher in Sofia English Language School: Alumni`s Reminiscences

Dejan Ciric, Pirot

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Advantage and Shortage of Memory. Fotije and Vladimir Stanojevic between Tran, Pirot and Belgrade

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Section “Women and Minority’s Archives”

Working language: English, Bulgarian

**Project: Women and Minority Documentation and Digital Presentation - from
Fragmented Data to Integration in the Information Society**

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13³⁰-18³⁰ Session Three, Hall 114, Chairperson: Daniela Koleva

Marijana Piskova, Nurie Muratova, Blagoevgrad

Women and Minorities: Ways of Archiving

Mari Firkatian, Hartford

Memory and Forgetfulness: Family Memoirs, Biographies. Autobiographies and Constructing the Past into the Future

Nikola Langreiter, Vienna

The Diary of Wetty Teuschl. A Tool to Remember? A Tool to Forget?

15³⁰-16⁰⁰ – Coffee break

Margareth Lanzinger, Vienna

Negotiating Marriage Contracts: Legal Records as a Source for Gender History

Anastasia Pashova, Blagoevgrad

“There were not any Divorces”. A Half-True Statement about the Divorce Cases in Nevrokop Eparchy (1894-1900)

Krasimira Daskalova, Sofia

Women's and Gender History and the Topographic Places of Memory: The Need of Women's History Archives

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Gergana Georgieva, Blagoevgrad
Women in the Court of Gorna Dzhumaja

Sergej Vuchkov, Blagoevgrad
“The Revival Process” in the 1970-es - 1980-es (the Case of Valkosel)

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19⁰⁰ Cocktail

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9³⁰-12³⁰ Session One, Hall 114, Chairperson: Mari Firkatian
Working language: English

Slobodan Mandich, Jovana Pavlovich, Belgrade
The University Educated Women Association in Yugoslavia (1927-1941)

Daniela Koleva, Sofia
Daughters’ Stories: Memory, Generation and “Being Jewish”

Andrej Mentel, Bratislava
Frozen Memories. Authority and Dynamics of the Mountain Peasant Family on Family
Snapshots and Drawings

Li Gerhalter, Vienna
Collection of Women’s Estates, University of Vienna

Roxana Cheschebek, Bucharest
Following Archival Traces in Europe. Nationalist and Internationalist Activism of Women in
Central Eastern Europe: The Little Entente of Women

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Anelia Kasabova, Sofia

The Emphasized and the Silenced in the Archives of Mother and Child Homes

Doncho Georgiev, Milena Angelova, Blagoevgrad

“Tenderness and Steel”- Thematic Accents in “Women Today” Magazine (1980-es)

Kristina Popova, Blagoevgrad

Touching the Poverty. The Social Workers Reports in the 30-es as Women’s History Documents

Biljana Ristovska-Josifovska, Skopje

Women in Macedonia between Political Programs and Legislation (through Documentation)

Tamaz Phutkaradze, Batumi

Women’s Rights and the Conflict on Psychological Stereotypes in the Isolated Communities of Georgian Coastlines

Merab Megrelishvili, Nikoloz Megralishvili, Batumi

Islam and Social-Legal Status of Adjarian Woman in the 1920-ies

DISCUSSION

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Dragomira Valcheva, Sofia

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Caranus' Golden Spoons: Manipulated Historical Memory in Stefan Zahariev's Translation of Athenaeus' *Deipnosophistae IV, 128c-130d*

Ilka Petkova, Plovdiv

Dimitar Angelov about the Role of Byzantium in the Formation of the Bulgarian Ethnic Identity

Yanko Hristov, Blagoevgrad

Memory, Remembering, Oblivion: Aspects of the Cult to King Petar in the Medieval Age

Snezhana Rakova, Blagoevgrad

Historical Memory and History among the East Orthodox Slavs: the Situation in Serbia, Turkey and Russia

Mila Krusteva, Sofia

Memory – Oblivion in “Slav - Bulgarian History” of Paisii Hilendarski

Nadezhda Dragova, Blagoevgrad

Two Different Mnemotops in the Bulgarian Memoir Prose

Svetlozar Eldarov, Sofia

The Celebration of Cyril and Methodius in Croatia and the Oppressed Memory for the Croats' Slavic Identity

Jasmina Mojsieva-Guseva, Skopie

Between History and Pseudo History – The Great Topic for Alexander the Great

DISCUSSION

13³⁰-17⁰⁰ Session Four, Hall 412, Chairperson: Milena Angelova

Tanya Kazandzhieva, Sofia

The Place of Memory in the Refugees' Newspapers from the Beginning of the 20th Century

Gergana Doncheva, Sofia

Ways of Representing the Memory about the War in the Post-Yugoslavian Cinema (Serbia, Croatia, Bosnia)

Ivelina Eftimova, Shumen

Have Been the Prejudices Forgotten? Changes in Birth Giving Rituals in the Beginning of 20th Century

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T. Gotovska-Henze, Sofia

Balkan War in the Political Lexica of the New Czech Slavic Studies Researches

15⁰⁰-15³⁰ – Coffee break

Evgenia Ivanova, Sofia

Inventing Traumatic Memory: the Case of Batak 2007

Ana Luleva, Sofia

Contested Memories. “The Socialism” as a Place of Memory Work

Valentina Vaseva, Sofia

Funerals and Commemoration of People of the Political Elite in the Post-Socialist Period in Bulgaria (the Example of Serbia and Bulgaria)

Petko Hristov, Sofia

Work Emigrants’ Memory

Daria Vasileva, Sofia

Strengthening of the Memory about the Economic Workers in the Town Lovech and its Region in the Third Decade of the 20th Century

Ketevan Svanidze, Batumi

Personal Ethnic Identity

Marina Aroshidze, Batumi

The Speech etiquette as a Reflection of the National History

Manuchar Loria, Marina Aroshidze, Batumi

Turning back to the Sources – the Problem of Ethnic Consciousness

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Ester Georgieva, Blagoevgrad

King's Family of Asen. New Approach to their Possible Genealogy

Petar Parashkevov, Blagoevgrad

Bulgarian Name – from the Memory about Yafet to the Oblivion about Sim

Veneta Yankova, Shumen

Place and Memory

Tatyana Shopova, Blagoevgrad

The Internet Revolution and the Culture Inheritance

Ekaterina Keremidarska, Mladen Tonev, Jordanka Angelova, Varna

Evolution in Personality Self-Identification of Women Offering Paid Love in Bulgaria from the End of 19th Century to the Beginning of 21st Century

Ana Martinoska, Loreta Georgievska-Jakovleva, Skopie

King Marko in the cultural memory of Macedonia (History-Myth-Contemporarity)

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13³⁰-17⁰⁰ Session Two, Hall 412, Chairperson: Stiliyan Stoyanov

Elena Tacheva, Blagoevgrad

Ekaterina Vasileva – the Forgotten One in the Mirror of the Own Memory

Atanaska Metodieva, Valentina Todorina, Bojan Popov, Blagoevgrad

Family Memory and Oblivion in a Small Town – Gotse Delchev, (1960-1980-es)

Stiliyan Stoyanov, Blagoevgrad

Memory and Remembrance in the Poetic and Reception of the Local Memoir Literature (Observation on the Literature of Gotse Delchev and the Region)

Natasha Avramovska, Skopie

Literary Myths: Colective Memory and Metanarrative Interplay between the Memory and Forgetting

Tanja Stojanova, Blagoevgrad

The Self Presentation of the Literature for Children according to the Memories of Child Literature Writers

Magdalena Panajotova, Blagoevgrad

Memory and Forgetfulness in the Novel “Hero and Leandar” of Milorad Pavich

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Evgenia Troeva, Sofia

Constructing Memory: Momchil or Enihan

Petar Vodenicharov, Blagoevgrad

“Macedonian Languages” – the Forgotten Ideas of Kosta Tsarnushanov

Petar Parvanov, Blagoevgrad

Stefan Bobchev and the Creating of the Image of G. Rakovski in the National Memory

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