Beyond Nationalism?
20th Century East-Central European Cultural Processes

WORKSHOP PROGRAMME

L’VIV CENTER FOR URBAN HISTORY OF EAST-CENTRAL EUROPE
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THURS FEB 25 2010

Morning

9:30am Registration and coffee in Center conference room

10:00 Welcome by Tarik Cyril Amar (L’viv Center) and Robert Pyrah
(Oxford / CEELBAS)

10:10 INTRODUCTION: THE POLITICAL FRAMING OF ‘CULTURE’

Alex Woell (Greifswald - Ukrainicum)
‘Havel and Yuschchenko’

Andrij PORTNOV (Kyiv; editor ‘Ukraina Moderna’)
‘Translating “Nationalism”: Western Categories and Post-Soviet
History Writing in Ukraine’ - cancelled due to illness

10:40 Questions + discussion

11 Coffee / refreshments

11:30-13:00 FIRST SESSION: AESTHETIC FACTORS

Kateryna RUBAN (Kyiv)
‘Reconstructing National City as the Post-Soviet Market
Aesthetics in Kyiv and L’viv’

Uilleam BLACKER (SSEES-UCL, London)
‘Carnival, the City and the Creation of a Ukrainian Urban
Literature and Identity in the Work of the Bu-Ba-Bu’

13-14:00 Buffet Lunch in the reception area
14:00-15:30  SECOND SESSION: POLITICS OF PERFORMANCE

Robert PYRAH (Oxford)
‘Majority Marginality? The Polish City Theatre in Interwar L’viv’

Mayhill FOWLER (Princeton)
‘Imperial Loss, Imperial Gain: The Transformation of Theatre in Lviv 1939-1941’

15:30  Coffee

16-19:00  FILM SCREENING AND DISCUSSION with wine reception, conference room

FRIDAY FEB 26 2010

9:30-11  THIRD SESSION: CULTURAL CONSTRUCTIONS OF URBAN SPACE

Oksanna VYNNUK (Kyiv)
‘The Notion of the ‘Other’: The Image of the East among City-Dwellers in L’viv during the Russian Occupation (1914-15)’

Oleksandr NADTOKA (Kyiv)
‘In-between, or To be the Same on Both Sides: Narrating Space of Socialist Belgrade’

11-11:30  Coffee

11:30-13  FOURTH SESSION: MEMORIAL PRACTICE

Agnieszka KUDELKA (Potsdam)
‘Monuments in L’viv in view of the national memory constructs and city policy of remembrance between 1867 and 1939’

Julya Kysla (Budapest / Kyiv)
‘Lialia Ubyyvovk: the creation of a new Soviet Ukrainian hero/ine’

13-14:00  Buffet Lunch

14:00-16:00  PLENARY DISCUSSION: CULTURE BEYOND NATIONALISM?
Prof. Jacek PURCHLA (Jagiellonian University and International Cultural Center, Kraków)
Yaroslav HRYTSAK (L’viv)
Nelly BEKUS (Warsaw / Minsk)

17:00 Wine in the reception area