



## **International Conference Multiple Temporalities in Research on War-, Violence-, and Crisis-Affected Societies**

02-04.02.2026,

Institute of Philosophy and Sociology, Polish Academy of Sciences (IFiS PAN),  
72 Nowy Świat Street, Warsaw

MONDAY, 02.02.2026

14:30-14:45 | **Conference opening**

**Anna Wylegała, Valentina Lepri**

(Institute of Philosophy and Sociology, Polish Academy of Sciences)

14:45-16:15 | **Session 1: (Im)possible engagement with the “field”:**

**Changing access to places and communities**

Chair: **Natalia Otrishchenko** (Center for Urban History of East Central Europe)

**Ioulia Shukan** (CERCEC – EHESS, School for Advanced Studies in the Social Sciences),  
Longitudinal Ethnography in Times of War: Insights from Research on Volunteer Care for  
Wounded Soldiers in the Russo-Ukrainian War (2014–present)

**Andrei Vazyanau** (European Humanities University), Multiple Temporalities of Inaccessible  
Fieldwork Sites: Making Sense of The Time Flows "Out There"

**Ignacy Jóźwiak** (Centre of Migration Research, University of Warsaw), Seasons of war and  
temporalities of peace: How (and why) to do ethnography among the perpetuating armed  
conflict and permanent state of exception.

16:15-16:30 | break

16:30-18:15 | **Session 2: Communities and institutions responding to crises:**

**Temporality of action**

Chair: **Anna Wylegała** (Institute of Philosophy and Sociology, Polish Academy of Sciences)

**Piotr Toczyski** (Maria Grzegorzewska University), Temporalities of Implementation: Five  
Waves of PHQ-8 and the Rhythms of a Digital Mental Health System

**Britton Buckner** (Institute of Philosophy and Sociology, Polish Academy of Sciences),  
Scaling as Temporality: Polish NGOs' response to assist Ukrainian refugees





**Maria Gryshchenko** (Institute of Sociology, National Academy of Sciences of Ukraine), How to study grassroots initiatives aimed at rebuilding Ukrainian communities in the circumstances of ongoing war

**Michał Fedorowicz** (Institute of Philosophy and Sociology, Polish Academy of Sciences), Three temporalities in educational research in the face of social crisis and threats of war

TUESDAY, 03.02.2026

(all sessions with simultaneous translation between English and Ukrainian)

10:00-11:45 | **Session 3: Experiences of time in war narratives:**

**Connections and disruptions**

Chair: **Olena Kondratiuk** (Institute of Philosophy and Sociology, Polish Academy of Sciences)

**Nadia Pastukh** (Independent researcher), “I didn't believe it until the very end...”: the image of an “impossible” war in early narratives of the 2022 full-scale Russian invasion of Ukraine

**Yulia Yurchuk** (Södertörn University), Beyond war presentism? Temporalities of war in war-time writing

**Alona Tron** (Institute of Philosophy and Sociology, Polish Academy of Sciences), Embodied Memory of War and Migration: Potentials and Challenges of Longitudinal Oral History Interviews

**Oleksandr Kolomyichuk** (M. Rylskyi Institute of Art Studies, Folkloristics and Ethnology of the National Academy of Sciences of Ukraine), “Are you ready to share what was taken from you, and I will just listen to you?”: Ethical challenges of realization of the oral history project in Kyiv region

11:45-12:00 | break

12:00-13:30 | **Session 4: Surviving multiple crises:**

**Research on people and communities affected more than once**

Chair: **Olha Krasko** (Institute of Philosophy and Sociology, Polish Academy of Sciences)

**Qianrui Hu** (University College London), What Can We Learn about War Temporality from People Who Are from ‘Donbas’ and Have Been Experiencing the War since 2014?





**Svitlana Makhovska** (Institute of History of Ukraine, National Academy of Sciences of Ukraine), Chornobyl Zone between Two Historical Crimes (1986/2022): Oral History of Two Disasters with Different Temporalities

**Emina Zoletic** (University of Warsaw), Ethical Dilemmas and Methodological Reflections in War-Time Fieldwork: How Global Conflicts Shape Research in Bosnia and Beyond

13:30-14:30 | lunch

14:30-16:00 | **Session 5: Temporality of forced migration: Conceptual and methodological insights**

Chair: Artem Kharchenko (I. P. Kotlyarevsky Kharkiv National University of Arts)

**Inna Chernikova** (H.S. Skovoroda Kharkiv National Pedagogical University), Exploring the lived experience of war: the analytical value of longitudinal interviews with refugees in contexts of instability

**Jakub Gałęziowski** (University of Warsaw), Lives on Hold: The Uncertain Futures of Polish Unaccompanied Children in Postwar Germany and Austria

**Kamila Fiałkowska** (Centre of Migration Research, University of Warsaw), “I hope that everything is good with you?” – Methodologies of Uncertainty: Ethics, Reciprocity, and Research Amid Ongoing War

16:00-16:15 | break

16:15-18:00 | **Session 6: Right space and time to disclose: Curating and preserving war-related materials**

Chair: **Valentyna Shevchenko** (Center for Urban History of East Central Europe)

**Iryna Yeroshko** (C2DH - University of Luxembourg), Curating Contemporary Conflict: Ethics of Exhibiting Personal War Testimonies

**Lesia Kovalska** (State University of Information and Communication Technologies), Temporality and Permanence: Challenges of Long-Term Archiving of Evidence from Russia’s War Against Ukraine

**Nataliya Karageorgos** (Wesleyan University), Preserving the Legacy of the Mariupol Greeks: Scholarship in the Aftermath of Apocalypse





**Yuliia Krykun** (State Scientific Center for the Protection of Cultural Heritage from Man-Made Disasters), Closed and open information when publishing wartime interviews

WEDNESDAY, 04.02.2026

10:00-11:45 | **Session 7: Professional communities' reactions to rupture(s): Reassessment of timelines**

Chair: **Elżbieta Kwiecińska** (Institute of Slavic Studies, Polish Academy of Sciences)

**Svitlana Telukha** (GWZO and National Technical University “Kharkiv Polytechnic Institute”), Memory of the Holocaust in Ukraine: mapping, teaching after 24.02.2022

**Jan Claas Behrends** (ZZF and Viadrina University), Zeitenwende? Germany and “the Ukraine conflict”. Reflections on temporalities from Maidan to the full-scale invasion

**Yulia Kiselyova** (V.N. Karazin Kharkiv National University), “Moving West”: Temporalities of War and the Narratives of Displaced Ukrainian Academics (2014–2024)

**Valentyna Stolyarchuk** (Poltava University of Economics and Trade), Through suffering towards socio-economic growth and prosperity: changes in perception and mood as an opportunity for successful development in times of uncertainty

11:45-12:00 | break

12:00-13:30 | **Session 8: Post-war and possible futures: Lessons learned from the past**

Chair: **Machteld Venken** (C2DH - University of Luxembourg)

**Lidia Kuzemska** (Forum Transregionale Studien), Temporal dynamic of attitudes towards the displaced groups in Ukraine

**Jeta Rexha** (University of Münster), Navigating Disappointment: A Narrative Analysis of Post-War Kosovo

**Małgorzata Wosińska** (University of Warsaw), Rwanda as an Epistemic Laboratory: Temporalities of Mass Violence Research

13:30 | **Closing remarks**

**Natalia Otrishchenko** (Center for Urban History of East Central Europe),

**Machteld Venken** (C2DH - University of Luxembourg)

