



Institute for the
Danube Region
and Central Europe

“(In-)Equality – Political, Economic, Gender and Spatial Aspects”

Thursday, December 6th

- 9.30 Welcome Address by Andreas BREINBAUER, Rector (FH) University of Applied Sciences bfi Vienna and Secretary General of the Institute for the Danube Region and Central Europe (IDM)
- 9.35 Welcome Address by Karl-Heinz TÖCHTERLE, Federal Minister for Science and Research (BMWF)
- 9.45 Keynote Speech: Klaus ROTH, Institute of European Ethnology LMU, Munich
- 10.20 Preliminary remarks: Peter JORDAN, Austrian Academy of Sciences (ÖAW)

10:30 Panel I – “Social disparity equalisation as an political agenda item in Central and Southeast European countries”

Chair: Wim VAN MEURS, History Department, Radboud University Nijmegen, Netherlands

The politicization of public administration as a resource of inequity in Albania during the transition period

Belina Bedini, Aleksander Moisiu University, Durres, Albania

The hidden face of Europeanization. Raise of nostalgia for nation narration in Central Europe and the Western Balkans embodied in an image of an eternal ally of enemies, bordering with neo-panslavist symbolization (Kosovo as a model case)

Andrea Rusnáková, Department of Culture studies, University of Constantine The Philosopher, Nitra, Slovakia

Western Balkans – Building the self by erasing the other?

Miruna Troncota, National School for Political and Administrative Studies, Bucharest, Romania

“Western Mirror on the Wall/Give me what I’m looking for”: Romanian Post-EU Integration. Old Identity Motives in New Media Discourse

Iulia Micu, Babeş-Bolyai-University, Andrei Simut, Cluj-Napoca, Romania

The effect of EU enlargement on immigration to old EU states

Hovsep Patvakanyan, Central European University (Budapest)

13.00 Lunchbreak

14.00 Panel II – “Gender equality in Central and Southeast Europe?”

Chair: Doris WASTL-WALTER, Institute of Geography, University of Bern, Switzerland

Gender (in)equality in post-conflict regions - Reconstruction of daily life of women in the North of Kosovo (Analysis of family life, work, consumer culture and free time)

Ivana Artonović, Faculty of Philosophy, Institute for Serbian Culture, University of Novi Sad; Serbia

Farmer's Wives Associations: a short story of (in)equality in rural Poland (or how “traditional” organizations negotiate gender roles and offer new solutions for civil society in the rural areas)

Magda Biejat, Polish Academy of Sciences, Warsaw, Poland

Gender perspectives in family socialization in Serbia and Montenegro

Jelena Ceriman, Center for Ethics, Law and Applied Philosophy, Belgrade, Serbia
Verica Pavić Zentner, Serbia

Gender mainstreaming in the Republic of Macedonia: Promoting work-family balance through employment policies

Bojana Jovanovska, Alice Salomon University of Applied Sciences, Berlin, Germany

Communist female writers: Confessions read in postcommunist Key: Case study: Constanța Buzea's diary (2009)

Andrada Pintilescu-Fatu, Transilvania University, Brașov, Romania

Neo-traditionalism vs. gender policy: The Ukrainian context

Olena Strelnyk, Institute of Economics and Law of Poltava University, Ukraine

16.15 Break

16.30 Panel III – “The widening social gap in Central and Southeast Europe”

Chair: Mladen LAZIĆ, Department of Sociology, Belgrade University, Serbia

Inequality and politics of return in the post-Yugoslav republics

Biljana Đorđević, University of Belgrade, Serbia

“To somebody a brother, to others the war”: Economic crimes, social inequalities and transitional justice in Bosnia and Herzegovina

Elma Demir, Goldsmiths University of London, Great Britain

New social housing construction in Czechia: diminishing or (re)producing social and spatial inequalities?

Roman Matoušek, Charles University in Prague, Czech Republic

The production of new socio-spatial inequalities in Eastern European cities

Christian Smigiel, University of Leipzig, Germany

How (un)equal gender contract work-family policies promote in post-Communist countries? Comparison of Croatia, the Czech Republic and Slovenia

Ivana Dobrotić, Faculty of Law, University of Zagreb, Croatia

Governing poverty and homelessness: The case of Budapest

Maria Gkretsa, IMT Institute for Advanced Studies Lucca, Italy

19.00 Dinner at Wohlmutstüberl

Friday, December 7th

10.00 Panel IV – Urban/rural and other spatial disparities in Central and Southeast Europe

Chair: Peter JORDAN, Austrian Academy of Sciences (ÖAW)

How does location of region influence its development? Concept of geographical rent.
Lenka Čermáková, Faculty of Humanities and Natural Sciences, University of Prešov, Slovakia

Macedonian post-Socialist migration
Irena Avirović, Institute of National History, Skopje, Macedonia

Restructuring the industrial brownfield sites as a territorial resource for urban poverty alleviation in Bucharest, Romania
Mirela Paraschiv, Faculty of Geography, University of Bucharest, Romania

Long-term socio-demographical effect of the Chernobyl disaster on rural areas of Belarusian, Russian and Ukrainian Polesie
Dávid Karácsonyi, Geographical Institute of Hungarian Academy of Sciences, Hungary

Labor migration and entrepreneurship: Current situation and prospects for Ukraine
Iryna Maidanik, National Academy of Sciences of Ukraine, Ukraine

Rural development at the Ukraine-EU border: Case study of a low mountain village
Anatoliy Smaliychuk, Department of Physical Geography, Ivan Franko National University Lviv, Ukraine

The new legitimating of the rural culture and rural economy as a component for a sustainable development of some regions in the Republic of Macedonia
Nada Karaivanova, Cestas – ONG, Bologna, Italy

Intra-urban spatial changes of the business women population during the transition period in a large city– Bucharest
Alexandru Gavris, The Bucharest University of Economic Studies, Romania

12.30 Lunchbreak

14.00 Panel V – The socio-economic NW-SE gap in Europe – can a secular phenomenon be changed?

Chair: Vladimir GLIGOROV, Vienna Institute for International Economic Studies (WiiW)

Economic inequality and political instability measuring by DEA and alternative indices: State of the art and research perspectives for cross-regional studies
Goryushina Evgeniya, Mesropyan Karine, Russian Academy of Sciences, Southern Scientific Centre; Southern Federal University

The effectiveness and stability of interest rate pass-through in South East Europe: An empirical analysis
Jane Bogoev, Staffordshire University, UK, and National Bank of the Republic of Macedonia

How do return and volatility spillover effects from US and European developed markets drive the stock returns of developing European countries?
Abdulla Alikhanov, Department of Economics, Lund University, Sweden

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Austria**

The determinants of the labour market segmentation in transition countries with particular reference to Macedonia

Dimitar Nikoloski, Faculty of Economics – Prilep, University “St. Kliment Ohridski”, Bitola, Macedonia

Distributional and poverty effects of income tax reform in Serbia

Saša Randjelović, Faculty of Economics and Foundation for the Advancement of Economics (FREN), University of Belgrade, Serbia

The situation of small-scale farming in Romania

Teresa Nöbauer, University of Vienna, Austria

Résumé and final address by Erhard BUSEK, Chairman IDM

19.30 Dinner at “s’Pfiff” (Sponsored by the City of Vienna and IDM)

Saturday, December 8th

9.30 Excursion to Lower Austria

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