Baltic Borderland Conference 2018

The Power of Borderland(s): In media's res

Thursday, 28 June 2018

9.00 Keynote

Vlad Strukov

10.00 Coffee

10.15 Panel I Border Challenges

Chair: Michael North (Greifswald), Discussant Tatsiana Astrouskaya (Marburg)

Olga Dorokhina (Tbilisi)

Evolution of the Description of New Dividing Lines in Mass Media (on the Example of Georgia)

Barbara Törnquist-Plewa (Lund)

Stereotypes and Bordering - The Image of Poland in Sweden

Per Rudling (Singapore)

The Belarusian People's Republic at 100 - Europe's Last Government-in-Exile: Communicating Nationalism and Migrating Memory

Veronica Castillo-Munoz (Santa Barbara)

A Transnational Revolution? U.S. Investors, Rebels, and Workers across the U.S.-Mexico Borderlands

12.00 Lunch

13.00 Panel II Border Crossings

Chair: Joachim Schiedermair (Greifswald), Discussant Philipp Wagner & Franziska Sajdak (Greifswald)

Margot Damiens (Paris)

From the same to the other: crossing the border(s) between Denmark and the Holy Roman Empire in the 18th century

Linda Kinstler (Berkeley)

The Phenomenology of the Contact Line

Claire M Massey (Greifswald)

Proclamation! Poetry as Resistance in the US Mexico Borderlands

14.30 Coffee

15.00 Panel III Border Exhibitions

Chair: Michelle Facos (Bloomington IN), Discussant Paul Spickard (Santa Barbara)

Alexander Schwanebeck (Cologne)

African Americans in Contact Zones. US-Museums and Representations of 19th Century South-western Borderlands

Kamil Bembnista/ Thorsten Heimann (Erkner)

Discursive Borders and the Construction of Memory. Different Orders of Knowledge in Slubice and Frankfurt(Oder) 20 years after the Odra Flood from 1997

Andrey Makarychev (Tartu)

Narva as a Cultural Borderland: From the 1993 Referendum to the 2024 European Cultural Capital

19.00 Conference Dinner

Friday, 29 June 2018

9.00 Keynote

Kazimierz Musiał (Gdansk)

10.00 Coffee

10.15 Panel IV Mediating Borders

Chair: Margit Bussmann (Greifswald), Discussant: Martin Kerntopf (Greifswald)

Mykola Makhortykh (Amsterdam)

Charting the conflicted borders: Narrating the conflict in Eastern Ukraine through digital maps

Dmitry Savchenko (St. Petersburg)

The border between Russia and Belarus: cross or transgress

Paweł Migdalski (Szczecin)

Polish Border Posts on Oder River. Symbolic View of Polish-German Border in Pomerania during Polish People's Republic Period

11.45 Lunch

12.30 Panel V Depicting Borders

Chair: Cynthia Osiecki (Oslo), Discussant: Marta Grzechnik (Gdansk)

Kari Alenius (Oulu)

The "Wild East" of Estonia. The New Border Areas Depicted by the Estonian Media, 1918-1940

Małgorzata Dąbrowska (Szczecin)

The Loss of the Lubusz Land in the Middle Ages as Narrative of Constructing the Post-war Ziemia Lubuska

Anti Selart (Tartu)

Humble and despised Latvians. The Chronicle of Henry of Livonia and the good and evil peoples in Livonian history

14.00 Final Remarks

Peter Borschberg (Singapore)

Reception at the Pomeranian State Museum

15.00 Baltic Borderlands - Nine Years PhD-Research in and about the Baltic Sea Region

Career Talks

Heta Hurskainen (Joensuu), Theology Olga Sasunkevich (Gothenburg), History and Gender Studies Cynthia Osiecki (Oslo), Art History Stefan Herfurth (Leipzig), History Tatsiana Astrouskaya (Marburg), Philosophy and History

17.00 Reception Food and Wine