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NEWS FROM CKPIS

3rd Socialism on the Bench

The 3rd International Conference *Socialism on the Bench* with the topic *Communists and Communist Parties: Policies, Actions, Debates* was successfully held at the University of Pula on September 28-30, 2017. The programme included around 90 participants, work in numerous sections, round tables and three invited speakers: Stephen A. Smith (University of Oxford), Jens Gieseke (ZZF Potsdam) and Pavel Kolář (EUI Florence). Please find out more in the [Photo album](#) or in the [Book of abstracts](#).



Round table in Belgrade

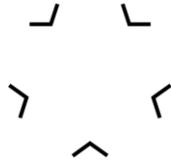
After Pula, the edited volume *Stvaranje socijalističkoga čovjeka* was presented by Ana Petrov, Ivana Dobrivojević, Srđan Radović and Igor Duda, the editor, at a round table in Belgrade on October 9, 2017. Zagreb and Ljubljana will follow in November.



New website launched

University of Pula has just launched its new web-pages, so CKPIS has also been transferred to the new site, which is still under construction: <https://www.unipu.hr/ckpis>. Our complete old site can be found at: <http://arhiva.www.unipu.hr/index.php?id=ckpis>.

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CONFERENCES

- Broadcasting health and disease. Bodies, markets and television, 1950s-1980s – London: 19-21 February 2018
The three-day conference aims to investigate how television programmes in their multiplicity approached issues like medical progress and its limits, healthy behaviour or new forms of exercise by adapting them to TV formats and programming. A telling example of this is the US born aerobics... ([Read more](#))
Application deadline: 1 November 2017.
- Global War, Global Connections, Global Moments – Zurich: 31 January - 2 February 2018
A century after the First World War, this conference wants to reflect on international relations and entanglements during the global conflict. The aim is to bring together an international group of scholars working on transnational and international fields and aspects of the war, such as diplomacy, rivalry between war partners, secret ... ([Read more](#))
Application deadline: 5 November 2017.
- Remembering Europe - Civil Society Under Pressure Again – Budapest: 8-9 December 2018
Our purpose is to foster knowledge exchange among academic researchers, civil society leaders, policy makers and journalists to: bring up the memory, knowledge and analyses of these historical legacies; and generate ideas for effective practical and policy responses to today's growing pressure against critical... ([Read more](#))
Application deadline: 5 November 2017.
- BHC Doctoral Colloquium in Business History – Baltimore: 4-5 April 2018
Typically limited to ten students, the colloquium is open to doctoral candidates who are pursuing dissertation research within the broad field of business history, from any relevant discipline (e.g., from economic sociology, political science, cultural anthropology, or management, as well as history). ([Read more](#))
Application deadline: 15 November 2017.

- The 12th Annual Graduate Conference in European History (GRACEH): People and Ideas on the Move: Interaction, Interconnection and Entanglement – Vienna: 26-28 April 2018

We perceive movement as an omnipresent phenomenon, not limited to people. It also embraces ideas, technology, scientific concepts, concepts of the state and governance, the circulation of goods, cultural practices, and more. In order to establish a space for a productive discussion... [\(Read more\)](#)

Application deadline: 1 December 2017.
- Echoes of Revolution 1848, 1918. Revolution, Nationalism, and Socialism – Norwich: 17-18 February 2018

This conference will look at and compare movements for radical social and political change of those revolutionary years. We are seeking papers of 5000 to 10000 words to be presented at the conference on any aspects of revolution, nationalism and socialism anywhere around the world during, around or across the years 1848 and 1918. [\(Read more\)](#)

Application deadline: 15 December 2017.
- Workers beyond Socialist Glorification and Post-Socialist Disavowal. New Perspectives on Eastern European Labour History – Vienna: 24-27 May 2018

Aiming to creatively contribute to a common body of knowledge about varieties of labour practices and working class subjectivities (during socialism and beyond), the conference pursues two goals: Firstly, it seeks to map out the state of the art with regard to the study of labour in different countries of Eastern Europe... [\(Read more\)](#)

Application deadline: 15 January 2018.



PUBLICATIONS

- CfP - Special Issue of Canadian Slavonic Papers / Revue canadienne des slavistes: Health Sciences in Communist Europe

Mental health, sexual health (i.e. abortion, contraception, STDs), gendered notions of health, medical science and childcare (infant mortality, pregnancy, notions of healthy

children, childcare systems), public health, disability, healthcare system in general, traditional medicine and socialist modernity, transnational collaboration... ([Read More](#))

- [Journal of Contemporary History 52 \(2017\), 4.](#)
The Journal of Contemporary History (JCH) is a quarterly peer-reviewed international journal publishing articles and book reviews on twentieth-century history (post-1930), covering a broad range of historical approaches including social, economic, political, diplomatic, intellectual and cultural. ([Read more](#))
- [European History Quarterly 47 \(2017\), 4](#)
European History Quarterly has earned an international reputation as an essential resource on European history, publishing articles by eminent historians on a range of subjects from the later Middle Ages to post-1945. European History Quarterly also features review articles by leading authorities, offering a comprehensive survey of recent literature... ([Read More](#))

[Labor History 58 \(2017\), 5](#)

Labor History is the pre-eminent journal for historical scholarship on labor. It is thoroughly ecumenical in its approach and showcases the work of labor historians, industrial relations scholars, labor economists, political scientists, sociologists, social movement theorists, business scholars and all others who write about labor issues. ([Read More](#))



POSITIONS, GRANTS AND STIPENDS

- [Postdoctoral Research Fellows \(3 Posts\) - Leeds](#)
Do you have experience in multi-sited and cross-national ethnography of workplaces, unions or labour activism? Would you like to investigate the emerging hybrid areas of work, and to join an exceptional transdisciplinary research project? Do you want to further your career in one of the UK's leading research intensive Universities? ([Read More](#))
Application deadline: 6 November 2017.



- Visiting Fellowships 2018/19 (Center for the History of Global Development) – Shanghai

The Center for the History of Global Development at Shanghai University invites applications for fellowships for visiting scholars working on projects related to the history of policies, concepts, practices or debates related to development on local, national, regional or global levels. ([Read More](#))

Application deadline: 15 December 2017.

Scholarship programmes (Graduate School in History and Sociology) - Bielefeld

Supported by the Excellence Initiative, the Bielefeld Graduate School in History and Sociology (BGHS) has been established as a joint institution of the Department of History and the Faculty of Sociology at Bielefeld University, Germany. The Graduate School is offering up to two Visiting Fellowships for international doctoral researchers... ([Read more](#))

Application deadline: 15 January 2017.