



## NEWS FROM CKPIS

### Book launch in Zagreb

After Pula and Belgrade, the edited volume *Stvaranje socijalističkoga čovjeka* (Making of the Socialist Man) was presented in Zagreb on November 2, 2017. Four speakers took part in the presentation: Damir Agičić (publisher), Željko Krušelj, Snježana Koren and Igor Duda (editor). The event was organised by Srednja Europa and Kiofest, and held at the Bogdan Ogrizović Library.



### Round table in Pula

Co-founders of CKPIS Igor Duda, Boris Koroman and Andrea Matošević (Lada Duraković was excused) talked about the first five years of the Centre, its activities and their own work at the round table titled *How to do research on socialism?*, which was held at the Rojc Social Centre in Pula on November 6, 2017. Conversation was hosted and moderated by Vedran Stanić, and the event organized by the Rojc Union of Associations.





## CONFERENCES

### **Uncertainty: Perspectives from Central and Eastern Europe and the Former Soviet Union – London: 12-14 February**

We are, therefore, interested in uncertainty—attempts to prevent it, designs to embrace it, and efforts to overcome it. We want to stimulate discussions that identify and reflect upon forces of change. However, we do not wish to limit uncertainty to descriptions of the (historical) present. [\(Read more\)](#)

Application deadline: 24 November 2017

### **Doctoral Workshop: The concept of the State-society relationship in comparative perspective – Paris: 9 February 2018**

The goal of this workshop is to bring together doctoral students at any stage in their research project (those in early stages are expressly encouraged to participate) to explore the state-society distinction/relationship as a theoretical or heuristic framework for their research. [\(Read more\)](#)

Application deadline: 4 December 2018.

### **Diaspora, Transnationalism, Transculturalism and Inter-Cultural communications as new forms of social capital – Skopje: 17-19 January 2018**

On researching of diaspora context, there are studies of the second generations and their successful integrational trajectories based on the various forms of transculturalism and inter-cultural interactions and communication. Other empirical data, however, show that the second generation... [\(Read more\)](#)

Application deadline: 14 December 2017

### **The Resilience of European Port Cities: Crisis and Reinvention (XVIth-XXIth Century) – Dunkirk: 17-18 May 2018**

Port cities have often radically reinvented themselves, a testament to their resiliency (i.e. their capacity of resistance and their ability to recover from disruptive events). Port cities have withstood major disruption such as wars, natural disasters, political revolutions, technological innovation, and globalisation. [\(Read more\)](#)

Application deadline: 15 December 2018.

**Workers beyond Socialist Glorification and Post-Socialist Disavowal: New Perspectives on Eastern European Labour History – Wien: 24-27 May 2018**

Firstly, it seeks to map out the state of the art with regard to the study of labour in different countries of Eastern Europe and provide a platform for the presentation of recent and on-going research in an expanding field of study. It encourages comparative and transnational approaches, whether they compare different socialist countries... [\(Read more\)](#)

Application deadline: 15 January 2018.

**54th ITH Conference Workplace Democracy Revisited: Labour and Practices of Participation, Workers' Control and Self-Management in Global Perspective – Linz: 06-08 September 2018**

Conference goals: To unpack and categorise the often interchanging terms and conceptualizations of workplace democracy such as self-management, control, participation, co-determination and autogestion (in different languages)... [\(Read more\)](#) Application deadline: 28 January 2018.

**Gender and the State. 100 years of the fight for equality in Central-Eastern Europe – Warsaw: 27-29 November 2018**

The goal of the conference is to take stock of the political, social and cultural changes that have been the result of the equal rights movement in Poland and Europe. We also seek to reflect on women's struggle for recognition, their role as citizens and the dynamics of processes of citizen-forming. [\(Read more\)](#)

Application deadline: 31 January 2018.

**9th InASEA Congress - Emotions, Senses and Affects in the Context of Southeast Europe - Zadar: 27-30 September 2018**

The conference seeks to explore the affective dimensions of everyday life in the context of Southeast Europe. In our world that has, for the last decades, been dominated by the impact of rationality and technical progress, of transformation and economic efficiency, of globalization and migration... [\(Read more\)](#)

Application deadline: 31 January 2018

**Transcending Borders? Redrawing Perspectives - Graz: 4-6 May 2018**

Due to contemporary developments, such as migration and flight movements as well as ensuing political debates that demand stricter border policies and surveillance, the topic of borders has recently (re-)gained political momentum. We, however, want to transcend these narrow political definitions... [\(Read more\)](#)

Application deadline: 4 February 2018

**Boom - Crisis - Heritage. King Coal and the energy revolutions after 1945 - Bochum: 14-16 March 2018**

It is our aim to consider the multi-layered processes of social, economic and cultural change triggered by transitions of energy regimes from international and comparative perspectives. Rather than restricting our scope to a study of coal mining, the conference will also cover coal's competitors... [\(Read more\)](#)

Application deadline: 16 February 2018.

**Fifty Years of Revolution: Gender, Race and Resistance 1968-2018 - York: 21-22 May 2018**

2018 marks the fiftieth anniversary of 1968, a year that has gone down in history, certainly in the Western context, as synonymous with revolution and protest. It also marks seven years since the Arab uprisings which revealed an image of Arabs, contrary to Orientalist stereotypes, as progressive, politically... [\(Read more\)](#)

Application deadline: 28 February 2018.



## PUBLICATIONS

**Labor History 59 (2018), 1**

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. [\(Read More\)](#)

**Moving the Social - Journal of Social History and the History of Social Movements 58 (2017)**

Moving the Social: Journal of Social History and the History of Social Movements is an international and peer-reviewed journal rooted in the discipline of history but with an explicit interest in work produced on social affairs and social movements [\(Read More\)](#)

**Contemporary European History 26 (2017), 4**

Contemporary European History covers the history of Eastern and Western Europe, including the United Kingdom, from 1918 to the present. By combining a wide geographical compass with a relatively short time span, the journal achieves both range and depth in its coverage. [\(Read more\)](#)

### **Central European History (CEH) 50 (2017), 3**

Central European History offers articles, review essays, and book reviews that range widely through the history of Germany, Austria, and other German-speaking regions of Central Europe from the medieval era to the present. All topics and approaches to history are welcome, whether cultural, social, political, diplomatic...[\(Read More\)](#)

### **VIEW Journal of European Television History and Culture 6 (2017), 11**

The history of European televisions' commercialization is interesting and complex. In many European countries, early attempts to launch some form of private television took place on a local, national, or even supra-national basis. The process of television commercialization in Europe didn't just start during the 1980s. [\(Read More\)](#)



## **POSITIONS, GRANTS AND STIPENDS**

### **Summer Fellowships - Potsdam**

Leibniz Summer Fellowships "German and European History in the 20th century" for the academic year 2018 to study German and European History in the 20th century. These two-month fellowships provide an opportunity to pursue individual research in Germany while participating in the academic life of one of Germany's major historical... [\(Read More\)](#)

Application deadline: 30 November 2017.

### **Postdoctoral research fellow (Balkans and Lower Danube) PATRIMONIVM - Bordeaux**

The project PATRIMONIVM - Geography and Economy of the Imperial Properties in the Roman World, funded by the ERC for the period 2017-2022 and hosted by the Bordeaux Montaigne University, recruits a postdoctoral fellow for 36 months, starting from 1st march 2018 (a different starting date can be negotiated). [\(Read More\)](#)

Application deadline: 30 November 2017.

### **Research Associate "Modern European History (Germany and Austria)" - London**

The Research Associate (PDRA) will work closely with Professor Mary Fulbrook, Professor Stephanie Bird and Dr Stefanie Rauch on an AHRC-funded three-year collaborative research project entitled 'Compromised Identities? Reflections on Perpetration and Complicity under Nazism', more information about which... [\(Read More\)](#)

Application deadline: 7 December 2017.

### **CFA Polonsky Postdoc Fellowship - Jerusalem**

The Polonsky Academy at the Van Leer Jerusalem Institute will award up to six Polonsky Postdoctoral Fellowships in the humanities or social sciences for up to five years, beginning October 1, 2018. The Fellowship offers an annual stipend of \$40,000 and other benefits. Yearly renewal will be contingent upon demonstrated progress in research. ([Read More](#))

Application deadline: 7 January 2017.