

## **Hungarian-Bulgarian History Conference**

### **POLITICAL, SOCIAL, ECONOMIC AND CULTURAL ELITES IN THE CENTRAL- AND EAST-EUROPEAN STATES IN 19<sup>TH</sup>-20<sup>TH</sup> CENTURIES**

**Budapest, 14–15 May 2009**

## **WORK PROGRAM**

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### ***ORGANIZERS***

Hungarian-Bulgarian Joint Academic History Commission  
Institute of History at the Hungarian Academy of Sciences  
Institute of History at the Bulgarian Academy of Sciences

### ***CO-ORGANIZERS***

Center for Balkan Studies - Budapest  
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Europa Institute Budapest  
Hungarian National Archives  
Institute of History at the Pécs University  
Research Center for Social Studies of the HAS  
Thallóczy Lajos Foundation

**VENUE**

Institute of History at the HAS, Conference Hall (Úri u. 53)

**SCHEDULE**

14 May, Thursday		
9.00	<p><b>Opening</b></p> <p>IKONOMOV, Dimitar Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary</p> <p>CSORBA László Institute of History, HAS Deputy Director</p>	
9.20	<p>STOJANOW, Valery Institute of History, BAS</p>	<p>On the Early History of the Movement for Rights and Freedoms. The Change in the Minority elites.</p>
9.40	<p>RESS Imre Institute of History, HAS</p>	<p>The National Awareness of the Dynastic Scientific Elite of the Austro-Hungarian Monarchy. The Archivist Example.</p>
10.00	<p>PANDULA Attila Eötvös Loránd University</p>	<p>The Research of the Bulgarian Ruling Elite in the Light of the Honors. Tsar Ferdinand Saxe-Coburg-Gotta's Decorations and Orders.</p>

10.20	<i>Coffee Break</i>	
10.50	SZABÓ Dániel Institute of History, HAS	Changes in the Hungarian Political (Parliamentary) Elite in the Age of Dualism.
11.10	ZAPRYANOVA, Antoaneta Institute of History, BAS	"The Birth" of the Bulgarian Political Elite at the End of the 19 <sup>th</sup> C. and Its Consequences till the Beginning of the 21 <sup>st</sup> C.
11.30	<i>Discussion</i>	
12.00	<i>Lunch Break</i>	
13.00	CSORBA László Institute of History, HAS	Aristocracy and Elite in the 19th-century Hungary.
13.20	Jr. BERTÉNYI Iván Pázmány Péter Catholic University	"Conflict or Cooperation?" The Elite of the Multiethnic Bachka in the Age of Dualism.
13.40	BAGDI Róbert–DEMETER Gábor Debrecen University	"Advancement and Declassation." Statistical Examination of the Social Transformation in a County in the Age of Dualism.

14.00	<i>Coffee Break</i>	
14.30	HRISTOVA, Marina Institute of History, BAS	Der Familienstamm als Faktor bei der Formierung der gesellschaftspolitischen Elite im Bulgarien.
14.50	SERES Attila Institute of History, HAS	The Moldavian Csángós. Historical Reasons for the Emergence of a Non-elite Ethnic Group.
15.10	KOLONTÁRI Attila Pécs University	Management Changes in the Soviet Foreign Policy in the Interwar Period.
15.30	<i>Discussion</i>	
16.00		The Online Edition of the Papers of the Second Bulgarian-Hungarian Scholarly Forum – Sofia, 16-18 May 2007. Presentation.
16.30		<i>Meeting of the Hungarian-Bulgarian Joint Academic History Commission</i>
<b>15 May, Friday</b>		
9.30	EGRY Gábor Politikatörténeti Intézet, HAS	„Front, no-man's land or a fortress ?” The Hungarian Minority Elite in Romania between the National and Regional identity in 1918-1944

9.50	NJAGULOV, Blagovest Institute of History, BAS	Bulgarian Minority Elites in Greater Romania (1918-1940).
10.10	<i>Coffee Break</i>	
10.40	PEYKOVSKA, Penka Institute of History, BAS	Minority Elite of the Bulgarians in Hungary in the Interwar Period
11.00	HORNYÁK Árpád Pécs University	A Self-styled Leader. Szántó Gábor, the "First man" of the Hungarians in Yugoslavia
11.20	<i>Discussion</i>	
11.50	<i>Lunch Break</i>	
13.00	RITTER László Institute of History, HAS	Transformations of the Yugoslav Communist Party Elit in the 1940s and 1950s.
13.20	GJUROV, Alexander Historian, Budapest	The Bulgarian and the Hungarian Red Party Elites Common Palliumban 1956-1989. Identities and Differences.

13.40	<i>Coffee Break</i>	
14.10	KŐSZEGI Margó Pázmány Péter Catholic University	From Being a Power to Being a Minority. Situation and Change of the Ethnic Turks in Bulgaria in 19 <sup>th</sup> – 20 <sup>th</sup> C. from Ethnogeographical Point of View.
14.30	WATANABE Tomoki Institute of History, BAS	The Rock Opera 'Stephen, The King' as a Source for the Opposition of the Cultural Elite in Hungary in the 1980s.
14.50	MARCHEVA, Iliana Institute of History, BAS	The Bulgarian Model of Transition: Privatization and the Emergence of the New Economic Actors.
15.10	JOBBÁGY István Selye János University	Political Elite and Institutional System in Slovakia (1990–2004).
18.30		<b>BULGARIA AFTER THE ACCESSION TO THE EU.</b> Round table discussion organized by the Center for Balkan Studies
<b>16 May, Saturday</b>		<i>Visit to Pécs</i>
11.30		Meeting of the Bulgarian delegation with the head of the Institute of History at the Pécs University

12.30		<i>Lunch</i>
14.00		Visit to the Klimó University Library collection