

Latin, National Identity and the Language Question in Central Europe

Conference Programme

Wednesday, 12.12.2012

19:00-21:00 **Reception** at the Ludwig Boltzmann Institute for Neo-Latin Studies (presentation of the institute by the director Stefan Tilg followed by an informal warm-up with wine and a small buffet).

Thursday, 13.12.2012

08:45-09:00 Conference opening

09:00-10:10 Language and Identity I

Chair: **László Kontler**

Margócsy, István (Eötvös Loránd University of Budapest): **Als Sprache zur Ideologie wurde: Ungarn im 18. Jahrhundert**

Hónich, Henrik (Eötvös Loránd University of Budapest): **How To Imagine Communities? - The Variety of Concepts about the Importance and Functions of Language in Making Collective Identities at the End of the 18th Century in Hungary**

10:10-10:20 Coffee break

10:20-11:30 Language and Identity II

Chair: **Neven Jovanovic**

Kamusella, Tomasz (University of St Andrews): **The History of the Opposition 'Language vs Dialect:' From Its Graeco-Latin Origin to Central Europe's Ethnolinguistic Nation-States**

Ristović, Nenad (University of Belgrade): **Latin-Vernacular Relation in the 18-19th Centuries: The Serbian Case**

11:30-11:40 Coffee break

11:40-12:50 Language in education

Chair: **Tomasz Kamusella**

Sipekiová, Nicol (University of Trnava): **Language Culture with insight to Latin and Vernacular Languages according to a handbook of elementary stylistics (Syntaxis ornata, Tirnaviae 1773)**

Gregl, Mislav (Croatian Institute of History, Zagreb): **The impact of political turmoil on professors and students of Academia Zagrabiensis in late 18th and early 19th century**

12:50-14:00 Lunch break

14:00-15:10 Catholicism vs. national identity

Chair: **Lav Šubarić**

Matasović, Maja and **Tvrčković, Tamara** (Croatian Institute of History, Zagreb): **Latin at the Crossroads of Identity**

Szabó, Ádám (University of Szeged): **Entwining of feudalism, Enlightenment and Catholicism in Hungary: The cultivation of language by Bishop Ferenc Barkóczy**

15:10-15:20 Coffee break

15:20-16:30 In defence of Latin

Chair: **Lav Šubarić**

Sikirić, Zvezdana (University of Zagreb): **In Defence of Latin Language and Homeland: Latin Speeches in 1832 Croatian Parliament**

Zavarský, Svorad (Slovak Academy of Sciences, Bratislava): **Early nineteenth-century defence of Latin: some thoughts on cultural continuity and discontinuity in the Kingdom of Hungary (with special regard to the Slovak national movement)**

16:30-16:40 Coffee break

16:40-17:50 Literature and identity

Chair: **Martin Korenjak**

Demo, Šime (University of Zagreb): **New Wine into Old Wineskins: Macaronic Poetry and National Identity**

Jovanovic, Neven (University of Zagreb): **Profiling cultural literacy of Croatian Latin writers**

Friday, 14.12.2012

09:00-10:45 The language question in journalism

Chair: **István Margócsy**

Balogh, Piroska (Eötvös Loránd University of Budapest): **Latin, National Identity and the Language Question in Hungarian Journalism: Cultural Intentions of Ephemerides Budenses (1790-1793)**

Seidler, Andrea (University of Vienna): **The Impossibility of Abandoning Latin: The Learned Journals in German Language in the Kingdom of Hungary during the Late Enlightenment Period**

Tóth, Sándor Máté (University of Szeged): **Lateinische Staatssprache – ungarische Nationalsprache: Zeitschriften auf Latein um die Jahrhundertwende des 18-19. Jahrhunderts für die Sache der ungarischen Sprache**

10:45-11:00 Coffee break

11:00-12:45 The politics of language use in scholarship I

Chair: **Gábor Almási**

Kontler, László (Central European University, Budapest) and **Aspaas, Per Pippin** (University of Tromsø): **Before and after 1773: Central European Jesuits and the politics of the Latin language in the late eighteenth century Habsburg Monarchy**

Sechel, Daniela (University of Vienna): **The Politics of Medical Translations in the Habsburg Monarchy 1770-1830**

Török, Zsuzsanna (University of Konstanz): **Disciplining the political space: Staatenkunde in Hungary around 1800**

12:45-14:00 Lunch break

14:00-15:10 The politics of language use in scholarship II

Chair: **Per Pippin Aspaas**

Juríkova, Erika (Trnava University): **Multilanguage works of the Hungarian scientist Matthias Bel**

Stefanek, Paweł (Maria Curie-Skłodowska University in Lublin): **Roman Law and Latin terminology at the Faculty of Law at the University Dorpat (1802-1914)**

15:10-15:20 Coffee break

15:20-17:05 Language and identity III

Chair: **Svorad Zavarský**

Lachner, Višnja and **Roškar, Jelena** (University of Osijek, via Skype): **Latin Language as a Constitutive Part of the Identity of the Croatian Nobility**

Klint, Paweł (University of Wrocław): **The Process of Supplanting Latin with Polish Language in Gentry Court Registers in the 17th and 18th Century**

Coroleu, Alejandro (ICREA-Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona): **Latin and National Identity in eighteenth-century Catalunya**

17:05-17:15 Coffee break

17:15-17:45 Closing discussion

19:00-22:00 Conference dinner (informal)