II International “Go East” Summer School Prague – Szczecin: Border Regions in East Central Europe. Poland and Czech Republic
Szczecin, Liberec, Prague
September 15-29, 2013

Part 1: Szczecin

Sunday, 9/15
until 18.00 Arrival at the dormitory “Portowiec” in Szczecin
18.30 First meeting and welcome from the organizers
19.00 Dinner in the Old Town

Monday, 9/16
Venue: Faculty of Mathematics and Physics, ul. Wielkopolska 15, room 106
10.00 Opening ceremony of the Summer School
Welcome addresses by
Professor Dr. Jacek Styszyński, Vice Rector of the University
Professor Dr. Barabara Kromolicka, Dean of the Faculty of Humanities
Opening remarks
Prof. Dr. Jörg Hackmann, Szczecin
Dr. Torsten Lorenz, Prague
11.00 Border regions - an introduction into research concepts and topics
Prof. Dr. Jörg Hackmann
12.00 From conflict to cooperation. The German-Danish borderland as European model?
Prof. Dr. Steen Bo Frandsen, Sønderborg
13.30 Lunch
15.00 Guided tour through Szczecin
19.00 Grill organized by students from Szczecin

Tuesday, 9/17
8.00- 22.00 Bus tour through the German-Polish borderland
with stops and talks in:
Schwedt (Theater, director Reinhard Simon)
Siekierki and Stare Łysogórki (cemetery of the 1st Polish Army)
Lunch in Stare Łysogórki
Ośinów Dolny (market at the old cellulose factory)
Cedynia (meeting at the Regional Museum and dinner)

**Wednesday, 9/18**

9.30  Borderlands as a notion in belles lettres
      Talk with Prof. Dr. Brigitta Helbig-Mischewski, Słubice, and
      Krzysztof Niewrzęda, Berlin

13.00  Lunch

14.30  The German-Polish border region: Past and present
      Dr. Kazimierz Wóycicki, Warsaw
      Discussion with Dr. Pierre-Frédéric Weber, Szczecin

19.30  Szczecin and the German-Polish border in Polish documentary films
      from the 1950s to the 1990s: "Szczecin slawisch! - Szczecin słowiański!"

**Thursday, 9/19**

9.30  Cultural transformation of the border region:
      Slubfurt and Nowa Amerika
      Michael Kurzwelly, Frankfurt / Oder, and
      Dr. Bartosz Wójcik, Szczecin / Schwennenz

13.00  Lunch
      afternoon  Student working groups
      evening  Students’ presentations and evaluation of the Szczecin programme

20.00  Dinner

**Friday, 9/20**

10.16-17.55  Train transfer to Liberec
            (departure Szczecin Główny 10.16, arrival at Liberec 17.55)
Part 2: Liberec

Saturday, 9/21

9:30-10:30  Guided tour through Liberec  
Tereza Liepoldová

11.00-12.00 The problematic stone in a border town: between history and memory, between Czech borderland and Sudetenland  
Dr. Barbora Spalová

afternoon  Student working groups

Sunday, 9/22

Comparing Socialist Friendship with EUphoria on the German-Czech-Polish Border (with excursion)  
Mark Keck-Szajbel, Frankfurt (Oder)

Monday, 9/23

10.00-12.00 Ethnic relations in a borderland – the case of Birnbaum/Międzychód  
Dr. Torsten Lorenz, Prague

afternoon  Student working groups

afternoon  Film “Hra o kámen” (Stone games) and discussion with the director, Jan Gebert

Tuesday, 9/24

9:30 – 11:00 Philosophy of the landscape  
Václav Umlauf

afternoon  Student working groups

16:30-19:30 Guided tour through Liberec and hinterland  
Milan Svoboda

Wednesday, 9/25

morning  Train transfer to Prague
Part 3: Prague

afternoon  Borderland walk through Prague, part I
Piotr Gawliński
http://pragaprzewodnik.wordpress.com
http://lostandfoundinprague.tumblr.com

Thursday, 9/26
10.00  Removing the historical town of Most. Technocratic and humanistic ideas in the practice of state socialism
Dr. Matěj Spurný, Prague
12.00  Lunch
13.30  The Eastern border of the EU and the disappearing borders in the Schengen space
Prof. Dr. Ilkka Liikanen, Joensuu
15.30-17.00  Borderland walk through Prague, part II
Piotr Gawliński

Friday, 9/27
10.00  Border and nothing else? Some theoretical considerations on boundaries (on the example of Prague and Bohemia)
Prof. Dr. Manfred Weinberg, Prague
12.00  Lunch
13.30-15.00  (The Saxon-Bohemian borderland)
Dr. Martina Power
afternoon  Student working groups

Saturday, 9/28
10.00  Presentations of the working groups, closing discussion, evaluation of the Summer School
12.00  Lunch
19.00  Closing dinner
Sunday, 9/29

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