

Webinar

Of the German-Ukrainian Historians' Commission

The German War of Aggression in Ukraine:
Victims and Perpetrators.

In Remembrance of the German Invasion of the Soviet Union on June 22, 1941

June 2, 2021

16:00-20:00 CET / 17:00-21:00 Kyiv time

Program

Introduction: Martin Schulze Wessel (Munich), Yaroslav Hrytsak (Lviv)

Panel 1: The Perpetrators

Chair: Yaroslav Hrytsak (Lviv)

Dieter Pohl (Klagenfurt): The German war against the Soviet Union 1941/42: The Ukrainian Aspect. *ENG*

Oleksandr Lysenko (Kyiv): 'They promised us that the war would end in two months...': the *Eastern Campaign* soldiers' spirits (second half of 1941). *UKR*

Discussion

Chair: Martin Schulze Wessel (Munich)

Kai Struve (Halle/Saale): The Germans, the Ukrainian nationalists, and the German-Soviet War - historical complexities and Cold War simplifications. *ENG*

Thomas Bohn (Gießen): Holocaust and death zones. SS cavalry in Polesia. *ENG*

Discussion

Panel 2: The Victims

Chair: Tanja Pentter (Heidelberg)

Gelinada Grinchenko (Kharkiv): Mass extermination of mentally ill patients in Ukraine in the first war year. *UKR*

Ihor Shchupak (Dnipro): The German Invasion of the Soviet Union and the Beginning of the Holocaust in the occupied territories of Ukraine. *UKR*

Discussion

Chair: Anna Veronika Wendland (Marburg)

Yuri Shapoval (Kyiv): Eye Witnesses about the Situation in Ukraine after the June 22, 1941 (case study of Fedor Pigido-Pravoberezhny's memoirs). *UKR*

Vladyslav Hrynevich (Kyiv): September 1, 1939 & June 22, 1941 as Important Components in European Models of Historical Memory of the Second World War. *UKR*

Concluding Discussion

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