GERMANY AND UKRAINE IN THE SECOND WORLD WAR

During the Second World War the criminal character of Germany’s warfare manifested itself clearly on the territory of Ukraine. About 1.5 million of the approximately 2.7 million Ukrainian Jews fell victim to the Holocaust. Another three to four million people died because of German occupation policies. 1.4 million Red Army soldiers from Ukraine died fighting against the Wehrmacht. Almost 2.3 million of the 2.8 million Soviet forced workers who were deported to Germany were from Ukraine.

The fourth annual conference of the German-Ukrainian Historical Commission deals with various aspects of occupation policies in Ukraine during the Second World War. The participants of the conference will discuss both the political history of the occupation and its implications for everyday life. The history of interethnic relations between Ukrainians and Jews will also be among the topics discussed. Other topics include questions of collaboration, cooperation and resistance as well as the history of Ukrainian forced labor in Germany.

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MONDAY, 22 OCTOBER 2018

19.00 – 20.00
Project Presentation

The Interdisciplinary Graduate Program for East European Studies of Ludwig-Maximilian-Universität München and Universität Regensburg invites all conference participants to a project presentation: A Leap in the Dark: The Prague Spring in the International Press.

The presentation will be followed by a reception.

TUESDAY, 23 OCTOBER 2018

9.00 – 9.15
Welcome Speech
Martin Schulze Wessel (Munich)

Panel 1
Violence and Occupation Policies
Chair Martin Schulze Wessel (Munich)

Oleksandr Gladun (Kyiv): Украина во Второй мировой войне: демографическое измерение
Johannes Spohr (Hamburg): Turning Points: Ukraine During German Retreat in Second World War
Vladyslav Hrynevych (Kyiv): Война, нации, национальности: украинское измерение

Panel 2
Collaboration, Cooperation and Resistance
Chair Ricarda Vulpius (Munich)

Elena Korzun (Vinnytsya): Сотрудничество украинских и немецких ученых в вопросах изучения проблем сельского хозяйства украинских земель в годы Второй мировой войны
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Comment Ihor Shchupak (Dnipro)
10.45 – 11.15
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Olha Marmilova (Vinnytsya): Everyday History of Forced Labourers from Donetsk Region During Second World War on the Materials of Their Correspondence
Iryna Koval-Fuchylo (Kyiv): Between Propaganda and Truth: A Woman in the Diaries of Olexandr Dovzhenko During the Second World War
Comment Tanja Penter (Heidelberg)
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Lunch Break
14.30 – 15.00
Concluding Remarks
Tanja Penter (Heidelberg)

WEDNESDAY, 24 OCTOBER 2018

9.00 – 10.00
Book Presentation
Traitors, Collaborators and Deserters in Contemporary European Politics of Memory: Formulas of Betrayal
Gelinada Grinchenko (Kharkiv) & Eleonora Narvsélius (Lund)
Chair Guido Hausmann (Regensburg)
10.00 – 10.15
Coffee Break

Panel 3
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Matthias Kaltenbrunner (Vienna): Agency and Social Space: Western Ukrainian Villagers in WWII
Yuliya Krykun (Kyiv): Украино-немецкие взаимоотношения в сельском быте в период немецкой оккупации (на экспедиционных материалах)
Comment Kai Struve (Halle/Saale)
11.15 – 11.45
Discussion
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