

International Workshop

Provisioning Crisis and Transformation of East-Central Europe, 1918–1923

15–16 September 2022, Prague Villa Lanna, V Sadech 1, Prague, Czech Republic

Thursday, 15 September

09.00 **Welcome by the Organisers** (Václav Šmidrkal, Masaryk Institute and Archives of the CAS, Prague, Czechia – Rok Stergar, University of Ljubljana, Slovenia)

09.05-11.00 Panel 1: State Breakdowns and Economic Failures

Chair: Rok Stergar, University of Ljubljana, Slovenia

Marko Vukičević – Stipica Grgić (Croatian Institute of History, Zagreb, Croatia), Zagreb Between the Black Market and Rationalization 1918–1921

Ivan Smiljanić (Institute of Contemporary History, Ljubljana, Slovenia), Liquidation of the Nonessential: Bankruptcy Proceedings in Slovenia after the First World War

Friederike Kind-Kovács (Hannah Arendt Institute for Totalitarianism Studies, Dresden, Germany), Urban Gardening, Black Marketeering, and Bartering: Strategies of Survival in post-WWI Central Europe

Daša Ličen (ZRC SAZU, Ljubljana, Slovenia) – **Jernej Kosi** (University of Ljubljana, Slovenia), The Granary of Slovenia: Postimperial Prekmurje through the Lens of Nationalism and the Civilising Mission

11.00-11.30 Coffee Break

11.30-13.00 Keynote Lecture

Mary E. Cox (Central European University, Vienna, Austria)

13.00-14.00 Lunch

14.00-15.30 Panel 2: Food Shortage between Science and Administration

Chair: Maja Godina Golija (ZRC SAZU, Ljubljana – University of Maribor, Slovenia)

Vojtěch Pojar (Central European University, Vienna, Austria), Hunger Crisis and the Discourses of Eugenics in Imperial Austria, 1916–1918

Carolyn Taratko (University of Erfurt, Germany), Paths Out of Crisis: Managing the Food Supply in the Early Weimar Republic

J. Alexander Killion (Georgetown University, USA), The Right Man in the Right Place? Hans Loewenfeld-Russ and the Austrian Nutrition Office, 1914–1920

16.00-17.30 Panel 3: Food and Fuel in Diplomacy and International Politics

Chair: Daša Ličen (ZRC SAZU, Ljubljana, Slovenia)

Dagmar Hájková (Masaryk Institute and Archives of the CAS, Prague, Czechia), Promoting the State through Food Scarcity: Czechoslovakia and the U. S. after 1918

Balázs Juhász (Eötvös Loránd University, Budapest, Hungary), Italy and the Provisioning Crisis in Central-Europe (1918–1920)

Aliaksandr Piahanau (KTH Royal Institute of Technology, Stockholm, Sweden), War, Peace, Food and the European Coal Shortage in 1917–1921

18.00 Dinner

Friday, 16 September

09.30-11.30 Panel 4: Shortage, Revolution, and Violence

Chair: Ana Kladnik (Institute of Contemporary History, Ljubljana – University of Ljubljana, Slovenia)

Noel Carolan (Dublin City University, Ireland), Imperial Difficulties and Separatist Opportunities: Food Supply Struggles of Empire and Republic during the Irish Revolution, 1918–23

Ke-Chin Hsia (Indiana University Bloomington, USA), Food and Political Access in the Austrian Revolution, 1919

Dmitry Shlapentokh (Indiana University South Bend, USA), Food supply and the origins of the Bolshevik regime

Jan Kutílek (University of Pardubice, Czechia), Between Food and Religious Riot: Anti-Jewish Violence in Poland and Czechoslovakia, 1918–1919

11.30-12.00 Coffee Break

12.00-13.00 Concluding Remarks

Jiří Hutečka (University of Hradec Králové, Czechia)

13.00 Farewell





Univerza *v Ljubljani Filozofska* fakulteta





