



UNIVERSITY OF WARSAW
XXVII
EAST EUROPEAN
SUMMER SCHOOL

Lectures – seminars – special sessions – visits to institutes – archives and libraries – academic tours

JULY 1- 21, 2017

LECTURES AND SEMINARS

LECTURES – ten lecturers from Poland and abroad

With closing lecture - prof. Zbigniew Kruszewski prof. em of the University of Texas El Paso

SEMINARS – one of four to choose according to participants' research interest

WITHIN THE SCHOOL: WARSAW EAST EUROPEAN CONFERENCE

Over 600 participants from 17 countries have received the Diploma of the East European Summer School

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EAST EUROPEAN SUMMER SCHOOL

The East European Summer School established in 1991, has been organized by the Centre for East European Studies, University of Warsaw, Poland since 1992. The School assembles annually ca. 20 students, who undertake research into the history and contemporary affairs of the region in a variety of humanistic disciplines. School's participants cannot be Polish. Lectures are given each year by a different group of experts, mainly from Poland, Western Europe and America.

The Summer School's program consists of series of lectures together with specialized sessions, seminars (a few to choose), academic tours, visits to institutes, libraries and archives.

Languages of instruction of the School, which candidates are obliged to know, are Polish and English.

Twenty six School's sessions have been held so far since 1992 till 2016. Lectures have been given by almost 100 professors. Almost 600 participants from 17 countries of East Central Europe, 3 from Central Asia and Caucasus and 6 from Western countries received East European Summer School diplomas.

Graduates have gone on to careers in their countries, holding posts in science (Lithuania, Belarus, Ukraine, Russia, Moldova, Slovakia, Czech Republic, Bulgaria, Sweden), in archival administration and museums (Lithuania, Ukraine), but also in non-governmental organizations (especially in Belarus), in public service and politics (Ukraine and Lithuania), in diplomacy (Ukraine, Bulgaria, Hungary) and in media (Ukraine, Belarus, Bulgaria).

Graduates and lecturers are assembled in International East European Summer School Union, appointed in 2000 during First Reunion of Graduates and lecturers in Warsaw. The Second Graduates' and Lecturers' Reunion, organized by the Czech graduates, took place in Brno in 2002. The third Reunion took place in Warsaw in July 2004 and the fourth was organized in Kaunas in 2005. The fifth Reunion took place in Kiev in 2007 and the sixth was organized in Jaremca, Ukraine, in 2008. Seventh Graduates' and Lecturers' Reunion was organized in Warsaw in 2010, eight in 2013 in Prague, and ninth in 2015 in Warsaw

For detailed programs of all East European Summer Schools please see www.studium.uw.edu.pl.

CONDITIONS OF PARTICIPATION

1. The Eastern Summer School is held on 1-21 July in Warsaw.
2. The School is intended for participants from countries of East Europe, Balkans, Central Asia and Caucasus. The School aim is to allow scholars to become acquainted with the latest research, new academic circles and prominent specialists in the field, as well as to become familiar with resources in Polish archives and libraries. The School does not provide an opportunity to conduct independent research, but rather prepares participants for longer, future stays in Poland.
3. Participants with full rights may be only university graduates from abroad, engaged in their own academic research, under the age of 35.
4. Candidates are required to know both languages of instruction of the School: Polish and English, at a level sufficient to understand the lectures.
5. The preference will be given to candidates specializing in the field of the history and contemporary problems of Eastern Europe, especially in 19th and 20th centuries and collapse of the communist system as well as the transformation of the region.
6. The program of the School consists of a series of lectures and seminars (one seminar to choose – according to subject of academic interests and researches of participants of School) and academic tours from such fields as art history and culture. It also contains presentation of some institutes, archives and academic libraries. Participants, who complete all requirements of the School, will receive a „Diploma of the East European Summer School”, University of Warsaw, Poland.
7. Candidates from Eastern Europe as well as from Caucasus and Central Asia, who meet the School essential requirements, are eligible to apply for scholarships to cover costs of accommodation, meals, lectures, materials and academic tours.

DOCUMENTS

1. Candidates should send following documents by mail wsl.studium@uw.edu.pl:
 - completed questionnaire,
 - application for admission, which include description of candidate's academic interests and the subject of the paper,
 - Curriculum Vitae including 1 photo,
 - complete list of the candidate's publications,
 - two letters of recommendation from prominent scholars in the candidate's field of specialization (if possible – one from Poland),
 - copy of university diploma.
2. The deadline for sending complete set of documents is **May 20, 2017**.
3. Only complete applications meeting the deadline will be considered. Questionnaire, application for admission and requests for scholarship should be submitted in Polish; the Curriculum Vitae should be written in English.

INVITATION

Only a formal invitation issued about **May 30, 2017** by the Centre for East European Studies, University of Warsaw, will permit the successful candidate to participate in the East European Summer School. The Polish Consulates will receive lists of qualified candidates to facilitate the visas formalities.

The School's poster and this flyer have been prepared in both the English and Polish versions.

Please make them available to anyone interested.

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