



Hungarian Studies Association

HSA Newsletter, Spring/Summer 2018

HSA News & Notes

ASEEES Convention, Dec. 6-9, Boston

The annual convention of the Association for Slavic, East European, and Eurasian Studies (ASEEES) will be held on the theme of "Performance" at the Boston Marriot Copley Place hotel. See pages 2-3 for a list of panels relevant to Hungarian studies. Additional information about the convention can be found at <http://aseees.org/convention>.

Hungarian Studies Association Annual Meeting

A meeting of HSA will take place during the ASEEES convention on Saturday, December 8 from 5:30 to 6:30 pm at the Boston Marriott Copley Place, 3, Brandeis. Come and meet fellow scholars who are engaged in Hungarian studies. This is an excellent opportunity for networking, socializing, sharing news, and learning about publication opportunities. Refreshments will be provided. We look forward to seeing you there!

Please do not forget to pay your **annual dues!** You can pay online through Paypal on our website (<https://hungstudiesassoc.com/>) or by check (\$25) to HSA, c/o Mark Trotter, Indiana University/REEI, 355 North Jordan Ave., Bloomington, IN 47405. Institutional memberships are also now available for \$100, payable by the same means.

Congratulations to our **newly elected executive committee members** Katalin Fabian and Leslie M. Waters! Remaining on the executive board in 2018 are Arpad von Klimo, president; Steven Jobbit, vice-president; Mark Trotter, now serving as secretary-treasurer, and Board Members Karl W. Brown and Emily Gioielli. We thank outgoing secretary-treasurer Kristina Poznan and board member Jeffrey Pennington for their outstanding contributions to HSA!

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Selected Panels Relevant to Hungarian Studies at the 2018 ASEES Convention

Full convention program with more information about panels & individual papers is available online at https://convention2.allacademic.com/one/aseees/aseees18/index.php?click_key=1&obf_var=6711190&PHPSESSID=to5a2qubomstdb116kduin2dt0

(Note: listing may not be comprehensive. See the Convention Program for complete details.)

Thursday, December 6th

"Dilemmas of Identity: First World War Veterans in Interwar Czechoslovakia" 12:00 to 1:45pm, Boston Marriott Copley Place, 3, Clarendon

"Capital, Money, and Labor: Critical Histories of 20th Century Eastern Europe" 2:00 to 3:45pm, Boston Marriott Copley Place, 2nd, St. Botolph

"The Influence of Literature and Literary Publishing in the Formation and Transformation of Identity in Central Europe and the Baltics" 12:00 to 1:45pm, Boston Marriott Copley Place, 1, Columbus 1

"Czechoslovakia at 100 I: Envisioning and Imaging Subcarpathian Rus'" 4:00 to 5:45pm, Boston Marriott Copley Place, 3, Clarendon

"Dialectics of Disenchantment: The Fate of Marxism in Central and Eastern Europe" 4:00 to 5:45pm, Boston Marriott Copley Place, 3, Regis

"The Burden of Triumph: Violence and the "Problem" of War Victory in East-Central Europe after 1918" 4:00 to 5:45pm, Boston Marriott Copley Place, 3, Tufts

"The Rites of Nations: Performing Identities on Soviet and Post-Soviet Screen" 4:00 to 5:45pm, Boston Marriott Copley Place, 3, Wellesley

Friday, December 7

"Hungarian-Soviet Relations: 1935–1989" 2:30 to 4:15pm, Boston Marriott Copley Place, 1, Columbus 1

"Suffering on Display: Memorialization of Victims of

Totalitarian Regimes" 12:30 to 2:15pm, Boston Marriott Copley Place, 4, Grand Ballroom Salon K

"Performing Hungarian Sports: Challenging Historical and Political Stereotypes" 4:30 to 6:15pm, Boston Marriott Copley Place, 1, Columbus 1

"When Populists Govern: Policies, Promises, and Norms" 12:30 to 2:15pm, Boston Marriott Copley Place, 4, Grand Ballroom Salon C

Book Discussion: "Hungarian Religion, Romanian Blood: A Minority's Struggle for National Belonging, 1920–1945" by R. Chris Davis; "Stalin's Legacy in Romania: The Hungarian Autonomous Region: 1952–1960" by Stefano Bottoni 10:00 to 11:45am, Boston Marriott Copley Place, 2nd, St. Botolph

Book Discussion: "Warsaw Pact Intervention in the Third World" Edited by Philip Muehlenbeck and Natalia Telepneva 8:00 to 9:45am, Boston Marriott Copley Place, 2nd, St. Botolph

"Populism on the Rise" 8:00 to 9:45am, Boston Marriott Copley Place, 4, Grand Ballroom Salon C

"Revisiting the Cold War: Formal and Informal Exchanges across the Iron Curtain in the Long 1970s" 8:00 to 9:45am, Boston Marriott Copley Place, 1, Columbus 1

"The Making and Unmaking of Boundaries in Late Socialist East Central Europe" 4:30 to 6:15pm, Boston Marriott Copley Place, 3, Tufts

"Transcending Bodies, Crossing Diplomatic Borders: Launching Cold War Ideology with the Unheard, Unseen, and Undone" 8:00 to 9:45am, Boston Marriott Copley Place, 1, Tremont

ASEEES Panels 2018 (cont.)

CONTRIBUTED ANNOUNCEMENTS

Saturday, December 8

"Performing Violence in Central Europe: 1918–1921" 3:30 to 5:15pm, Boston Marriott Copley Place, 3, Tufts

"Demise of Autocracy and Democracy in Eastern and Central Europe"

10:00 to 11:45am, Boston Marriott Copley Place, 4, Grand Ballroom Salon C

"Performing Homophobia in Twentieth-Century East-Central Europe" 1:30 to 3:15pm, Boston Marriott Copley Place, 4, Yarmouth

"The Performance of Political and Military Leadership: Cold War Activities of Political Exiles, Political Leadership of Hungary and Czechoslovakia

Examined" 3:30 to 5:15pm, Boston Marriott Copley Place, 5, Connecticut

"Trajectories of Mass Violence in Central and Southeastern Europe"

10:00 to 11:45am, Boston Marriott Copley Place, 1, Columbus 1

Book Discussion: "Rebellious Parents: Parental Movements in Central-

Eastern Europe and Russia" by Katalin Fábián and Elzbieta Korolczuk 3:30 to 5:15pm, Boston Marriott Copley Place, 4, Yarmouth

"Cold War Controversies in the Library, the Theater, and the Studio"

8:00 to 9:45am, Boston Marriott Copley Place, 2nd, St. Botolph

"The Habsburg Empire in/and the World: Modern Habsburg Transnational History" 10:00 to 11:45am, Boston Marriott Copley Place, 3, Tufts

Sunday, December 9

"Interwar Eastern Europe, 1918-1941: The Failure of Democracy-building, the Fate of Minorities" 8:00 to 9:45am, Boston Marriott Copley Place, 3, Tufts

"New Explorations of Art and Politics under Socialism" 12:00 to 1:45pm,

Boston Marriott Copley Place, 3, Exeter

"Performing Power and Agency: Women's Biographies" 10:00 to 11:45am,

Boston Marriott Copley Place, 3, Simmons

"Folklore on the Border: Performance and Identity" 8:00 to 9:45am, Boston Marriott Copley Place, 4, Grand Ballroom Salon A

- A report on the conference "An Empire within the Empire? Habsburg Hungary in the 19th Century and after the Dissolution" that took place March 26-27 in Bratislava under the sponsorship of Miloslav Szabó and László Vörös, Institute of History, Slovak Academy of Sciences is available at:

<https://www.hsozkult.de/conferencereport/id/tagungsbericht-e-7736>

- Contributions are being solicited for a special issue of *Századok* under the title *A társadalmi mobilitás kérdései Magyarországon a középkortól 1989-ig* to appear in the second half of 2019 with deadline for submission of abstracts on September 30, 2018. More information is available at: Szazadok.

- We congratulate HSA president Arpad Klimó on the recent publication of two books: *Hungary since 1945* (Routledge History of Central and Eastern Europe Series, 2018: Hungary-since-1945) and *Remembering Cold Days. The Novi Sad Massacre and Hungarian Politics and Society* (Pittsburgh UP, 2018: <http://www.upress.pitt.edu/BookDetails.aspx?bookId=36782>).

Mark Pittaway Prize for Best Scholarly Article or Book Chapter in Hungarian Studies

The Hungarian Studies Association is pleased to announce the Mark Pittaway Prize for best scholarly article or book chapter in Hungarian studies, to be awarded in December 2018.

The award committee is seeking nominations or submissions of scholarly articles or book chapters in any field or discipline of Hungarian studies, published in English in 2016 or 2017. (Articles or books with a publication date of 2018 will be eligible in 2020.)

The goal of HSA prizes is to recognize quality scholarship in Hungarian studies. The prize committee particularly encourages submissions of new findings and original scholarship by junior scholars who expand the field and will benefit from the prize early in their careers. The prize is named in memory of historian Mark Pittaway, who passed away in 2010.

Send nominations or submissions, including a PDF of the article or book chapter if possible, to the award committee: Robert Nemes, Department of History, Colgate University (rnemes@colgate.edu); Alexander Vari, Department of Social Sciences, Marywood University (vari@marywood.edu); and Jeff Pennington, Institute of Slavic, East European, and Eurasian Studies, University of California, Berkeley (jpennington@berkeley.edu). In the e-mail with your nomination or submission, please include a full bibliographic citation of the work. All nominations and submissions should be sent to the award committee no later than September 1, 2018.

We understand that copyright rules apply, and we will only use the electronic copy for the purpose of adjudicating submissions for the award.

The Hungarian Studies Association will announce the recipient of the Mark Pittaway Prize in December 2018 at its annual meeting in Boston, Massachusetts.

Member Publications

The Fall 2018 newsletter will feature a list of books, articles, and other significant scholarly output by members that appeared in 2016. To have yours included, email a full citation in Chicago style to HungStudiesAssoc@gmail.com. No book reviews, please.