

INTERPRETING SOVIET CULTURAL LEGACIES IN CENTRAL ASIA

ACADEMIC WORKSHOP SCHEDULE

March 6-7, 2012

Room 315, AUCA Main Building

DAY ONE		MARCH 6
Opening	AUCA/CASI	9:15-9:30
Panel 1	Metamorphoses of Ideological Spaces	9:30-11:00
Emil Nasritdinov	Ghost-towns, bazaars, and monuments: the post-Soviet void and its new contents	American University of Central Asia, Kyrgyzstan
Mohira Suyarkulova	Where did all the atheists go? The godless of post-Soviet Central Asia	University of St Andrews, UK
Khadicha Shambetalieva	The Soviet ideological heritage and post-Soviet Kyrgyzstan	Kyrgyz-Russian Slavic University, Kyrgyzstan
Coffee Break		
Panel 2	Production of Meaning	11:30-13:00
Matthias Battis	Aleksandr Semenov - A Russian orientalist's Tajik national identity	University of Oxford, UK
Ainura Turgangazieva	Socio-cultural aspects of Perestroika in periodicals of Kyrgyzstan (1985-1991)	Aigine Cultural Research Center, Kyrgyzstan
Arustan Joldasov	The impact of Soviet historical memory and artists on identity	«Ekspert fikri» Center of Social and Marketing Research, Uzbekistan
LUNCH		
Panel 3	Politics of Cultural Production	14:00-15:30
Valeri Hardin	Interpretation and reinterpretation of Central Asian films in contemporary Central Asian cinematographic critique	American University of Central Asia, Kyrgyzstan
Georgy Mamedov	Reflection of the Soviet in contemporary art of Central Asia: lived experiences and political statements	School of Theory and Activism, Kyrgyzstan
Ruslan Rahimov	Cultural politics in post-Soviet Kyrgyzstan: legacies, discourse practices and activism	American University of Central Asia, Kyrgyzstan
Coffee Break		
DAY TWO		MARCH 7
Panel 4	State Power and Identity	9:30-11:00
Rano Turaeva-Hoehne	The propiska regime in the post-Soviet space; regulating mobility and residence	Max Planck Institute for Social Anthropology, Germany
Mehmet Volkan Kasikci	The political shape of the past: national icons of modern Kazakhstan	Bilkent University, Turkey
Sojida Urazboeva	Development of Russia and Russian "soft power" in Eurasia	National University of Uzbekistan
Coffee Break		
Panel 5	Identity in the Aftermath	11:30-13:00
Natalya Kosmarskaya	Deciphering memory about the Soviet times: state, place and belonging	Institute for Oriental Studies, Russian Academy of Sciences
Aida Aaly Alymbaeva	The Soviet past: the perspective of a 'malyi narod' in the village of Chelpek, Kyrgyzstan	Max Planck Institute for Social Anthropology, Germany
John Schoeberlein	Being non-post-colonial in Central Asia	Harvard University, USA and Eurasian University, Kazakhstan

