THE SEMINAR ON THE POST-COLD WAR MILITARY ZONES IN CENTRAL AND EASTERN EUROPE

Borne Sulinowo, Poland, May 26-27, 2016

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PROGRAMME

Wednesday, May 25, 2016

Arrival to Borne Sulinowo. Registration. Dinner.

Thursday, May 26, 2016

8:30-9:30 BREAKFAST

10:00–10:10 WELCOME ADDRESSES

PANEL I

Moderator: Elo-Hanna Seljamaa


10:25–10:40 - Dariusz Czerniawski (Borne Sulinowo): Borne Sulinowo – Polish town with Soviet past

10:40–10:55 – Dominika Czarnecka (Poland): Ecological landscapes in the post-Soviet bases in Poland – emotions, memory and narratives

10:55-11:25 Discussion

11:25-11:45 COFFEE BREAK

PANEL II

Moderator: Christoph Lorke

11:45–12:00 - Elo-Hanna Seljamaa (Estonia): Layered military presence in the parish of Vasalemma
12:00-12:15 - Ilze Boldāne-Zeļenkova (Latvia): Marciena, former Soviet military base
12:30-13:00 Discussion
13:00–14:30 LUNCH BREAK

PANEL III
Moderator: Vida Savoniakaitė
14:30–14:45 - Melinda Harlov (Hungary): From Borderland of the Iron Curtain to European and World Cultural Heritage Nomination. The transformation story of the Hungarian death zone
14:45–15:00 - Prokop Tomek (Czech Republic): The withdrawal of Soviet troops from Czechoslovakia and its consequences
15:00-15:25 - István Szántha, Tatiana Safonova (Hungary): Invisible places, untouchable history. Former Soviet spare aerodrome in South Vertes Mountains in Hungary
15:25-15:55 Discussion
15:55-16:15 COFFEE BREAK

PANEL IV
Moderator: Dagnosław Demski
16:15-16:30 - Evgeny Volkov (Russia): Eastern Germany 1970-1980s through the eyes of Soviet officers (oral stories)
16:30-16:45 - Christoph Lorke (Germany): After the end of “Little Moskwa” – The forbidden city of Wuensdorf and the construction and adoption of space (1990-1994-2016).
16:45-17:45 FINAL DISCUSSION
20:00 OFFICIAL DINNER

Friday, May 27, 2016

8:30–9:30 BREAKFAST

9:30–13:00 TRIP AROUND POST-SOVIET BASE (Borne Sulinowo, Pile Lake, training ground, moorland, cemetery, POW camp, Klomino – Soviet ghost town, storehouses for atomic weapons)
13:00-14:30 LUNCH BREAK
15:00 – alternative: one can have a free time in BORNE SULINOWO or go to SZCZECINEK, the nearby town where the Soviet past and military heritage is also visible (transport will be organized and paid by organizers).

**Around 20:00 – CAMPFIRE**