

6^{TH} INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE AFTER COMMUNISM. EAST AND WEST UNDER SCRUTINY

Craiova (Romania), House of the University, 8-9 April 2016

Dear Colleagues,

We are delighted to invite you to participate in the Fifth International Conference AFTER COMMUNISM. EAST AND WEST UNDER SCRUTINY in Craiova, Romania, 8-9 April 2016. More than two decades after, an event is both history and present. The annual conference organized by CEPOS involves both the perspectives of the researches in the field of Communism and Post-Communism: research experiences and scientific knowledge.

Like a "pointing puzzle", 25 years after the fall of communism, the conference panels explore emotional detachments, but also a peculiar involvement creating and exploiting the inter-disciplinary developments of the East-West relations before and after the crucial year 1989 in the fields such as: political sciences, history, economics and law.

The conference will be hosted by the University House and during two intense and exciting days, participants all over the world (professors, professionals, doctoral and post-doctoral researchers) are invited to raise the issue of the study of recent history of the former communist space in connection with the Western world. We are confident that all of us will focus during these two days on what is important to move the research in the field forward. We dear to state that we even bear the moral obligation to do that.

Best regards,

The Board of Directors of CEPOS 2016 Conferences and Events Series

PROPOSED PANELS

Center of Post-Communist Political Studies (CEPOS) proposes the following panels:

- -Communism, transition, democracy;
- -Political theory, ideology and social action in transition;
- -Revolution and political history;
- -Political culture and ideology
- -Law, legal studies and justice reform;
- -Constitution(s), legality &political reforms;

- -Political parties, electoral systems and electoral campaigns;
- -Security and diplomacy in national and Euro-Atlantic environment;
- -Rights, identities policies & participation;
- -Education, media & social communication;
- -Administrative history and governance within South-Eastern Europe during transition;
- -Political leadership, democratization and regional security;
- -Comparative policies, sustainable growth and urban planning;
- -Knowledge transfer and competitiveness in regional economies;
- -Global environment and cultural heritage;
- -Integration, identity, and human rights in European systems;
- -Religion, cultural history and education;
- -Media, communication and politics;
- -Discourse, language and social encounters;
- -Bioethics and transition challenges.

ABSTRACT SUBMITTING (SEE ATTACH CEPOS CONFERENCE 2016 REGISTRATION FORM)

The proposals must be sent in English and must contain the title of the paper, the abstract (no more than 300 words) and a short presentation of the author(s) (statute, institutional affiliation, short list of relevant scientific contributions).

DEAD-LINE FOR SUBMITTING A PROPOSAL: 10 MARCH 2016 (ACCESS AND DOWNLOAD

CEPOS CONFERENCE APPLICATION FORM 2016 attached)

Proposals must be submitted until 10 March 2016 at the following addresses: Center of Post-Communist Political Studies (CEPOS) cepos2013@gmail.com, cepos2013@yahoo.com

CONFERENCE VENUE

Casa Universitarilor/University House (57 Unirii Street, Craiova, Romania). You can view the Conference location and a map at the following address: http://www.casa-universitarilor.ro/

- More information about the Conference venue can be found at the following address:

- More information about the Conference venue can be found at the following address: http://www.ucv.ro/campus/puncte_de_atractie/casa_universitarilor/prezentare.php'
- More photos of the conference room can be viewed at http://www.ucv.ro/campus/puncte_de_atractie/casa_universitarilor/galerie_foto.php

CONFERENCE PAST EDITIONS

More information, photos and other details about the previous editions of the Conference and CEPOS Workshops, Internships, and other official events organized in 2012-2013 are available on:

- CEPOS official website sections

Past Events available at http://www.cepos.eu/past.html

Foto Gallery available at http://www.cepos.eu/gallery.html) - CEPOS FACEBOOK ACCOUNT:

https://www.facebook.com/pages/Center-of-Post-Communist-Political-Studies-CEPOS/485957361454074

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CEPOS Conference 2015

The Fifth International Conference After Communism. East and West under Scrutiny (Craiova, House of the University, 24-25 April 2015) was evaluated and accepted for indexing in 15 international databases, catalogues and NGO's databases:

- THE ATLANTIC COUNCIL OF CANADA, CANADA

http://natocouncil.ca/events/international-conferences/

- ELSEVIER GLOBAL EVENTS LIST

http://www.globaleventslist.elsevier.com/events/2015/04/fifth-international-conf

- GCONFERENCE.NET

http://www.gconference.net/eng/conference_view.html?no=47485&catalog=1&cata=018&co_kind=&co_type=&pageno=1&conf_cata=01

- CONFERENCE BIOXBIO http://conference.bioxbio.com/location/romania
- 10 TIMES http://10times.com/romania
- CONFERENCE ALERTS http://www.conferencealerts.com/country-listing?country=Romania
- $\ http://www.iem.ro/orizont 2020/wp-content/uploads/2014/12/lista-3-conferint einternationale.pdf$
- http://sdil.ac.ir/index.aspx?pid=99&articleid=62893
- NATIONAL SYMPOSIUM http://www.nationalsymposium.com/communism.php
- SCIENCE DZ http://www.sciencedz.net/conference/6443-fifth-international-conference-after-communism-east-and-west-under-scrutiny
- ARCHIVE COM http://archive-com.com/com/c/conferencealerts.com/2014-12-01_5014609_70/Rome_15th_International_Academic_Conference_The_IISES/
- CONFERENCE WORLD http://conferencesworld.com/higher-education/
- KNOW A CONFERENCE KNOW A CONFERENCE

http://knowaconference.com/social-work/

- International Journal on New Trends in Education and Their Implications (IJONTE) Turkey http://www.ijonte.org/?pnum=15&
- Journal of Research in Education and Teaching Turkey

http://www.jret.org/?pnum=13&pt=Kongre+ve+Sempozyum

CEPOS CONFERENCE 2015 is part of a "consolidated list of all international and Canadian conferences taking place pertaining to international relations, politics, trade, energy and sustainable development". For more details see http://natocouncil.ca/events/international-conferences/

CEPOS Conference 2014

The Fourth International Conference After Communism. East and West under Scrutiny, Craiova, 4-5 April 2014 was very well received by the national media and successfully indexed in more than 9 international databases, catalogues and NGO's databases such as: American Political Science Association, USA, http://www.apsanet.org/conferences.cfm; Journal of Church and State, Oxford

http://jcs.oxfordjournals.org/content/early/2014/01/23/jcs.cst141.full.pdf+html; NATO Council of Canada (section events/ international conferences), Canada,

http://atlantic-council.ca/events/international-conferences/

International Society of Political Psychology, Columbus, USA,

http://www.ispp.org/uploads/attachments/April_2014.pdf

Academic Biographical Sketch, http://academicprofile.org/SeminarConference.aspx;

Conference alerts, http://www.conferencealerts.com/show-event?id=121380;

Gesis Sowiport, Koln, Germany, http://sowiport.gesis.org/; Osteuropa-Netzwerk,

Universität Kassel, Germany, http://its-vm508.its.uni-

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Ilustre Colegio Nacional de Doctores y Licenciados en Ciencias Politicas y Sociologia,

futuro Consejo Nacional de Colegios Profesionales, Madrid,

http://colpolsocmadrid.org/agenda/.

TRANSPORT

The 6th International Conference "After communism. East and West under Scrutiny" (2016) will be held in Craiova, a city located in the South-Western part of Romania, at about 250 km from Bucharest, the national capital.

The airport of Craiova (http://en.aeroportcraiova.ro/) has flights to Timisoara,

Dusseldorf, Munchen, Ancone, Rome, Venezia, Bergamo etc.

Other airports, such as Bucarest (Romania) (http://www.aeroportul-otopeni.info/) is located at distances less than 240 km from Craiova and accommodate international flights.

Train schedule to Craiova can be consulted at InterRegio CFR (http://www.infofer.ro/).

ACCOMMODATION

Rooms could be booked at:

Hotel Royal, http://www.hotelroyalcraiova.ro/

Hotel Meliss, http://www.hotelmeliss.ro/

Hotel Lido, http://www.lido-craiova.ro/

Hotel Europeca, http://www.hoteleuropeca.ro/en/

CEPOS CONFERENCE 2016 FEES AND REGISTRATION REGISTRATION DESK

The Conference Registration Desk will be opened from Friday, 8th of April (from 08.00 a.m. to 18.00 p.m.) until Saturday 9th (from 08.00 a.m. until 14.00 p.m.), for registration and delivery of conference bag with documents to participants.

The Conference Registration Desk is located in the lobby of the University House Club, 1st Floor.

REGISTRATION FEES 380 ron/ arround 85 euros/paper can be paid directly via bank transfer on CEPOS Bank account as follows: (official National Bank of Romania exchange course 1 EUR = 4.45 lei)

Details for online payment

Banca Romana pentru Dezvoltare (BRD)

Titular: ASOCIATIA CENTRUL DE STUDII POLITICE POSTCOMUNISTE

Referinte: CV taxa participare si publicare CEPOS Nr. cont RO64BRDE170SV96030911700 (RON)

MEALS AND OTHER ORGANIZING DETAILS

The registration fees covers:

- * Conference attendance to all common sessions and special panels
- * Conference materials (including a printed version of the Book of Abstracts of the Conference)
- * Conference special bag 1 for every single fee paid, no matter the number of authors/paper
- * Coffee Breaks-April 8, 2016 April 9, 2016. During the two days conference, 4 coffee breaks are offered.
- * Welcome reception (April 8th 2016)
- * Lunch (April 8th 2016) offered in the University House Mihai Eminescu Gala Room
- * A Festive Gala Dinner and Cocktail (April 8th 2016) offered in the University House Mihai Eminescu Gala Room
- * A Free Cocktail Buffet will be served from 19:30 p.m. to 21.30 p.m.
- * A Free Entrance Voucher is provided inside of each Conference Bag.
- * Lunch (April 9th 2016)
- * Certificate of attendance (offered at the end of the conference Saturday, April 9th 2016)
- * Publication of the Conference Papers in the International Indexed Journal Revista de Stiinte Politice. Revue des Sciences Politiques (previous publication of the 2015 Conference papers is available at

http://cis01.central.ucv.ro/revistadestiintepolitice/acces.php (RSP issues/ 2015)

- * One original volume of the International Indexed Journal Revista de Stiinte Politice. Revue des Sciences Politiques (where the personal conference paper was published) will be delivered to the authors (an additional fee of 10 euros is required for the mailing facilities)
- * Computer & Internet Facilities. There is available videoproiector and connection to Internet services.
- * Language. The official language of the Conference will be English. The Organizing Committee does not provide simultaneous translation.

NEW! FREE SOCIAL AND CULTURAL PROGRAMME OF THE CEPOS CONFERENCE 2016

* Participants in CEPOS CONFERENCE 2016 have free acces to the Social and Cultural Program of the Sixth Edition of International Conference After Communism. East and West under Scrutiny, Craiova, 8-9 April 2016: including free guided tours of the:

Museum of Arts Craiova http://www.muzeuldeartacraiova.ro/

Oltenia Museum (all sections included):

http://www.muzeulolteniei.ro/index.php?view=content&c=26

Casa Baniei http://www.muzeulolteniei.ro/index.php?view=content&c=26

CERTIFICATES OF ATTENDANCE

Certificates of attendance will be offered at the end of the conference on Saturday, April 9th 2016.

PUBLISHING THE PAPERS IN THE INTERNATIONAL INDEXED JOURNAL REVISTA DE STIINTE POLITICE. REVUES DES SCIENCES POLITIQUES

After the reviewing process, the conference papers will be published in Revista de Stiinte Politice/Revue des Sciences Politiques.

The whole text of the papers must be written in English and delivered until 18 April 2016 at the following addresses:

Center of Post-Communist Political Studies (CEPOS) cepos2013@yahoo.com, cepos2013@gmail.com

Important note: All conference materials presented at the:

- Second International Conference After Communism. East and West under Scrutiny (Craiova, House of the University, 2-3 March 2012) were published in no. 33-34, 35 and 36/2012 of the Revista de Stiinte Politice. Revues des Sciences Politiques (RSP).

See the full text (free acces) at the following

address:http://cis01.central.ucv.ro/revistadestiintepolitice/acces.php

- Third International Conference After Communism. East and West under Scrutiny (Craiova, House of the University, 5-6 April 2013) were published in no. 37-38, 39, 40/2013 of the Revista de Stiinte Politice. Revues des Sciences Politiques (RSP).

See the full text (free acces) at the following address:

http://cis01.central.ucv.ro/revistadestiintepolitice/acces.php

-Fourth International Conference After Communism. East and West under Scrutiny (Craiova, House of the University, 4-5 April 2014) were published in no. 41, 42, 43, 44/2014 of the Revista de Stiinte Politice. Revues des Sciences Politiques (RSP).

See the full text (free acces) at the following address:

http://cis01.central.ucv.ro/revistadestiintepolitice/acces.php.

- Fifth International Conference After Communism. East and West under Scrutiny (Craiova, House of the University, 24-25 April 2015) were published in no. 45, 46 (pending publication -47 and 48/ 2015 of the Revista de Stiinte Politice. Revues des Sciences Politiques (RSP).

See the full text (free acces) at the following address:

http://cis01.central.ucv.ro/revistadestiintepolitice/acces.php.

INTERNATIONAL INDEXING OF REVISTA DE STIINTE POLITICE/REVUE DES SCIENCES POLITIQUES

Revista de Stiinte Politice/Revue des Sciences Politiques is an International Indexed Journal by:

ProQuest

ERIH PLUS

ProQuest Political Sciences

Professional ProQuest Central

ProQuest Research Library

ProQuest 5000 International

ProQuest Central K12

EBSCO

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Index Copernicus

Georgetown University Library

DOAJ

Elektronische Zeitschriftenbibliothek EZB

Journal Seek

Intute Social Sciences.

Revista de Stiinte Politice. Revue des Sciences Politiques. Indexing and abstracting in other relevant international databases, services and library catalogues Statistics June, 2015

Google Scholar

https://scholar.google.com/citations?user=geaF_FgAAAAJ&hl=ro

ProQuest 5000 International

http://tls.proquest.com/tls/servlet/ProductSearch?platformID=1&externalID=770&vdID=6 14505/PM ID 99 909

Birmingham Public Library, United Kingdom

http://www.bplonline.org/virtual/databases/journals.as/px?q=R&p=36

Harold B. Lee Library, Brigham Young University

http://sfx.lib.byu.edu/sfxlcl3?url ver=Z39.88-

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Miami University Oxford, Ohio, USA

http://www.lib.miamioh.edu/multifacet/record/az-9ce56f97d1be33af92690283c0903908

German National Library of Science and Technology

https://getinfo.de/app/Revista-de-%C5%9Ftiin%C5%A3e-politice-Revue-des-sciences/id/TIBKAT%3A590280090

Bibliotek Hamburg

http://www.sub.uni-hamburg.de/recherche/elektronische-angebote/elektronische-zeitschriften/detail/titel/144583.html

Sabre Libraries of University of Sussex, University of Brighton and Brighton and Sussex NHS

http://sabre.sussex.ac.uk/vufindsmu/Record/1584224X/Details

University of Southern Denmark

http://findresearcher.sdu.dk: 8080/portal/en/journals/revista-de-stinte-politice % 28 ca 92579 a - 2621 - 46 ec - 946 f - 21 e 26 f 37364 d % 29. html

Edith Cowan Australia

http://library.ecu.edu.au:2082/search~S7?/.b2071921/.b2071921/1%2C1%2C1%2CB/m arc~b2071921

University College Cork, Ireland

http://cufts2.lib.sfu.ca/CJDB4/CCUC/journal/375867

Region Hovedstaden Denmark

http://forskning.regionh.dk/en/journals/revista-de-stinte-politice%2811468a3a-a8be-4502-b8d6-718255c47677%29.html

WorldCat

https://www.library.yorku.ca/find/Record/muler82857

York University Library, Toronto, Ontario, Canada https://www.library.yorku.ca/find/Record/muler82857

The University of Chicago, USA

https://catalog.lib.uchicago.edu/vufind/Record/sfx_100000000726583

Wellcome Library, London, United Kingdom

http://search.wellcomelibrary.org/iii/encore/search/C__Scivil%20law__Orightresult__X 0;jsessionid=86D8DE0DF1C54E503BEF1CB1168B6143?lang=eng&suite=cobalt

The University of Kansas KUMC Libraries Catalogue http://voyagercatalog.kumc.edu/Record/143742/Description

University of Saskatchewan, SK http://library.usask.ca/find/ejournals/view.php?i

Academic Journals Database

http://discover.library.georgetown.edu/iii/encore/record/C%7CRb3747335%7CSREVIS TA+DE+STIINTE%7COrightresult?lang=eng&suite=def

Journal Seek

http://journalseek.net/cgi-bin/journalseek/journalsearch.cgi?field=issn&query=1584-224X

Sherpa

http://www.sherpa.ac.uk/romeo/search.php?issn=1584-224X&showfunder=none&fIDnum=%7C&la=en

University of New Brunswick, Canada

https://www.lib.unb.ca/eresources/index.php?letter=R&sub=all&start=2401

State Library New South Wales, Sidney, Australia, http://library.sl.nsw.gov.au/search~S1?/i1583-9583/i15839583/-3,-1,0,B/browse

Electronic Journal Library

https://opac.giga-

 $hamburg.de/ezb/detail.phtml?bibid=GIGA\&colors=7\&lang=en\&flavour=classic\&jour_i\ d=111736$

Jourlib

http://www.jourlib.org/journal/8530/#.VSU7CPmsVSk

Cheng Library Catalog

https://chengfind.wpunj.edu/Record/416615/Details

Open University Malaysia

http://library.oum.edu.my/oumlib/content/catalog/778733

Wayne State University Libraries

http://elibrary.wayne.edu/record=4203588

Kun Shan University Library

http://muse.lib.ksu.edu.tw:8080/1cate/?rft_val_fmt=publisher&pubid=ucvpress

Western Theological Seminar

http://cook.westernsem.edu/CJDB4/EXS/browse/tags?q=public+law

NYU Health Sciences Library

http://hsl.med.nyu.edu/resource/details/175011

Swansea University Prifysgol Abertawe

https://ifind.swan.ac.uk/discover/Record/579714#.VSU9SPmsVSk

Vanderbilt Library

http://umlaut.library.vanderbilt.edu/journal_list/R/139

Wissenschftszentrum Berlin fur Sozial

http://www.wzb.eu/de/node/7353?page=detail.phtml&bibid=AAAAA&colors=3&lang=de&jour_id=111736

Keystone Library Network

https://vf-clarion.klnpa.org/vufind/Record/clarion.474063/Details

Quality Open Access Market

https://zaandam.hosting.ru.nl/oamarket-

acc/score?page=4&Language=21&Sort=Ascending&SortBy=BaseScore

Elektronische Zeitschriftenbibliothek EZB (Electronic Journals Library)

http://rzblx1.uni-

regensburg.de/ezeit/searchres.phtml?bibid=AAAAA&colors=7&lang=de&jq_type1=KT &jq_term1=REVISTA+DE+STIINTE+POLITICE

Harley E. French Librayr of the Health sciences

http://undmedlibrary.org/Resources/list/record/129818

Open Access Articles

http://www.openaccessarticles.com/journal/1584-224X Revista de Stiinte Politice+---

Vrije Universiteit Brussel

http://biblio.vub.ac.be/vlink/VlinkMenu.CSP?genre=journal&eissn=&issn=1584-224X&title=Revista%20de%20Stiinte%20Politice

The Hong Kong University

http://onesearch.lib.polyu.edu.hk:1701/primo_library/libweb/action/dlDisplay.do?vid=H KPU&docId=HKPU_MILLENNIUM22899443&fromSitemap=1&afterPDS=true

Biblioteca Universitaria di Lugano

 $https://en.bul.sbu.usi.ch/search/periodicals/systematic?category=10\&page=34\&per_page=10\&search=$

Olomuc Research Library, Czech Republic

http://aleph.vkol.cz/F?func=find-

c&ccl_term=sys=000070018&con_lng=eng&local_base=svk07

California State University Monterey Bay University

http://sfx.calstate.edu:9003/csumb?sid=sfx:e_collection&issn=1584-

224X&serviceType=getFullTxt

University of the West

http://library.uwest.edu/booksub.asp?OCLCNo=9999110967

Elektron ische Zeitschriften der Universität zu Köln

http://mobil.ub.uni-

koeln.de/IPS?SERVICE=TEMPLATE&SUBSERVICE=EZB_BROWSE&SID=PETER SPFENNIG:1460334557&LOCATION=USB&VIEW=USB:Kataloge&BIBID=USBK &COLORS=7&LANGUAGE=de&PAGE=detail&QUERY_URL=jour_id%3D111736 &REDIRECT=1

Biblioteca Electronica de Ciencia y Technologia

http://www.biblioteca.mincyt.gob.ar/revistas/index?subarea=148&area=34&gran_area=5&browseType=discipline&Journals_page=17

University of Huddersfield UK

http://library.hud.ac.uk/summon/360list.html

Saarlandische Universitats-und lasdesbibliotek Germany

http://www.sulb.uni-saarland.de/index.php?id=141&libconnect%5Bjourid%5D=111736 EKP Pulications

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OHSU Library

http://www.ohsu.edu/library/ejournals/staticpages/ejnlr.shtml

Valley City State University

http://www.ohsu.edu/library/ejournals/staticpages/ejnlr.shtml

Centro de Investigaciones Sociologicas, Spain http://www.cis.es/cis/export/sites/default/-

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Drexel Libraries

http://innoserv.library.drexel.edu:2082/search~S9?/aUniversitatea+%22Babe%7Bu0219%7D-Bolyai.%22/auniversitatea+babes+bolyai/-3%2C-

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Impact Factor Poland

http://impactfactor.pl/czasopisma/21722-revista-de-stiinte-politice-revue-des-sciences-politiques

Pol-index

http://catalogue.univ-angers.fr/OPD01/86/61/40/00/OPD01.000458661.html

ILAN University Library

 $http://muse.niu.edu.tw: 8080/1 cate/?rft_val_fmt=publisher\&pubid=ucvpress\&set.user.locale=en\ US$

Dowling College Library

http://wwwx.dowling.edu/library/journaldb/keyword4.asp?jname=revista

Universite Laval

http://sfx.bibl.ulaval.ca:9003/sfx local?url ver=Z39.88-

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