

REPORT FORM FOR NETWORK ACTIVITIES

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Present appo	intment and em	nploying institution	Role in activit	ty	
Professor of Russian, New College, Oxford			Professor of Russian, New College, Oxford		
2. Activity de	tails				
Type and title	e of activity				

Thematic, interdisciplinary workshop: National Identity in Eurasia: Migrancy & Diaspora						
Location	Date					
Wolfson College, Linton Road, Oxford,		10 July 2009		12 July 2009		
OX2 6UD	From:	•	To:			

Brief Description of activities carried out (please include or attach a confirmed list of participants)

The conference explored a range of different aspects of migration and diaspora in the countries that once formed part of the Soviet Union, as well as those states and cultures that border the former superstate. While the emphasis of the conference was on current, post-Soviet, trends, these were always viewed from a historical perspective, with a strong awareness of the legacies of the Soviet past. The conference explored migration in Eurasia from a macro- as well as micro-perspective. It looked at contemporary migration policies and the practicalities of its implementation; it tackled questions of national, ethnic, migrant and diasporic identity; it deconstructed representations of migrants and diasporas; it explored the problems of memory and politics, gender and labour, education and integration; it examined issues of social status, mobility and networking. Gathering together sociologists, anthropologists, historians, geographers and political scientists from France, Germany, Russia, Kazakhstan, Australia, the US, Canada and the UK, it presented a uniquely wide-ranging, cross-disciplinary forum for informed discussion of issues that are of enormous topical significance.

Speakers & Chairs:

Prof Anne de Tinguy (INALCO, Sciences Po, Paris)
Ms Siobhan Peeling (University of Nottingham)
Dr Anne Gorsuch (University of British Columbia)
Dr Tanya Voronina (European University, St Petersburg)
Mr Erik Scott (University of California, Berkeley)
Dr Natalya Kosmarskaya (Inst. of Oriental Stud, Moscow)
Dr Oksana Morgunova (Glasgow University)
Dr Sayana Namsaraeva (Max Planck Institute for Social Anthropology, Halle)
Dr Irina Molodikova (CEU, Budapest)
Dr Amandine Regamey (Paris I, Sorbonne)
Dr Franck Düvell (University of Oxford)
Dr Julien Thorez (University of Nantes)
Dr Madeleine Reeves (University of Manchester)
Dr Sébastien Peyrouse (John Hopkins University)
Dr Marlène Laruelle (John Hopkins University)
Dr Elena Sadovskaya (C. for Conflict Management, Almaty)
Dr Anne Le Huérou (CERCEC, EHESS, Paris)
Dr Vladimir Boyko (Altai State Pedagogical Academy)
Dr Olga Tkach (Centre for Ind. Social Research, St Petersburg)
Dr Aleksandra Piir (European University, St Petersburg)
Prof Nick Harney (University of Western Australia)
Ms Olga Bronnikova (INALCO, Paris)
Dr Andy Byford (University of Oxford)
Dr Tsypylma Darieva (Humboldt University, Berlin)
Dr Nick Baron (University of Nottingham)
Dr Stephen Lovell (KCL)
Dr Catherine Andreyev (Oxford)
Dr Jeff Sahadeo (Carleton University, Canada)
Dr Andy Byford (Oxford)
Prof Catriona Kelly (Oxford)
Dr Mette Berg (Oxford)
Dr Ulrike Ziemer (UCL)
Dr Alisher Ilkhamov (SOAS)
Dr Isabelle Ohayon (CERCEC, EHESS, Paris)
Dr Christopher Davis (Oxford)
Ms Pertra Heyse (University of Antwerpen)
Dr Gwendolyn Sasse (Oxford)
Prof Sergey Ryazantsev (Inst. of SocPol. Research, Moscow)

3. Achievement of stated aims and objectives

Please summarise how the stated aims and objectives of the activities proposed have been achieved and how these have helped to further the aims and objectives of CEELBAS.

The conference successfully explored a range of different aspects of migration and diaspora in the countries that once formed part of the Soviet Union, furthering our knowledge in this area in line with one of current CEELBAS research priorities. The conference explored migration in Eurasia from a macro- as well as micro-perspective. It looked at contemporary migration policies and the practicalities of its implementation; it tackled questions of national, ethnic, migrant and diasporic identity; it deconstructed representations of migrants and diasporas; it explored the problems of memory and politics, gender and labour, education and integration; it examined issues of social status, mobility and networking. It gathered together sociologists, anthropologists, historians, geographers and political scientists from France, Germany, Russia, Kazakhstan, Australia, the US, Canada and the UK, presenting a wide-ranging, cross-disciplinary forum for informed discussion of issues that are of enormous topical significance.

4. Outcomes

Please indicate the outcomes and 'value for money' of activities carried out.

9 papers have been accepted for publication in *Antropologicheskii forum* in the May-June 2010 issue. Editing is currently in process. Other papers have been or are likely to get published in other journals or as book chapters.

5. Breakdown of total costs for workshops (please attach evidence of expenditure) NB invoices sent to MMLF, CEELBAS, Wolfson, COMPAS

Item	Amount
Key speakers (Travel, accommodation and subsistence)	
Travel expenses charged to AHRC grant (MMLF)	£3911.87
Wolfson (accommodation, catering)	£6221.2
£3000 charged to CEELBAS £2376.80 charged to AHRC grant (MMLF)	
£600 charged to Wolfson	
£244.40 charged to COMPAS	
Cherwell Boathouse (conf dinner) charged to AHRC grant (MMLF)	6504.20
Cherwen Bounouse (conj unner) chargea to ATIKC grant (MMLF)	£584.28
Postgraduate participation N/A	
Room/equipment hire	
N/A	
Administration costs N/A	
Printing and publicity (including conference packs)	647.00
Conference packs, stationery	£47.98
Other (place specify	
Other (please specify	
Total expenditure	£10765.84
	£3000
Total contribution invoiced to CEELBAS	

6. Breakdown of total costs for projects (please attach evidence of expenditure)

Item	Amount
Staff costs N/A	
Equipment/technical costs	
N/A	
Administration costs	
Administration costs	
N/A	
Other (please specify	
N/A	
Total expenditure	
Total contribution invoiced to CEELBAS	

7. Dissemination and further research

Please give details of dissemination of the outcomes of the workshop/project and any further research planned.

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8. Signature and date

Applicant's signature

Catriona Kelly

Date: 30 Nov 2009

Institutional authorisation (if required)

Position:

Date:

Institutional CEELBAS Network Primary Contact

Date:		

This form must be accompanied by an invoice from the applicant's institution, supported by receipts or other evidence of the expenditure incurred.

Please send the completed form to: CEELBAS Administrator, SSEES, UCL, Gower Street, London WC1E 6BT and by email to: ceelbas-network@ssees.ucl.ac.uk.





