Unbuilding binaries:
Exploring affective and analytical responses to binary divisions as encountered in the field

1st Graduate Workshop of the Graduate School for East and Southeast European Studies at University Regensburg in cooperation with the Leibniz ScienceCampus “Europe and America”
Program:
Thursday, 26.11.2020

Opening remarks / Introduction of the participants
11:00-12:30

1. Confronting binaries in historical research
12:45-14:15
Moderation: Frederik Lange (Regensburg)
Shuyang Song (Beijing) Overcoming binary representations of the GDR: A case study of the Zeitgeschichtliches Forum Leipzig
Daniela Mathuber (Regensburg) Identifying a member of the dynasty in early modern Russia

2. Overcoming identity boxes
15:00-16:30
Moderation: Daniela Mathuber (Regensburg)
Lucy Spoliar (Groningen) Humour and the de/re-construction of binaries? A reflection on representations of Muslim women in British comedy
Fernando Alejandro Remache-Vinueza (Madrid) The binary aspects of national identity: The case of Lithuania

3. Artistic interventions
17:00-18:30
Moderation: Eva-Maria Walther (Regensburg)
Ira Konyukhova (Kyiv) and Daria Prydybailo (Berlin) Healing anti-capitalistic mantra which helps you welcome your hysterical (non)white self
Vita Zelenska (Regensburg) Political agency of sonic binaries
Friday, 27.11.2020

Director's Greeting: Ulf Brunnbauer - Speaker of the GS OSES Regensburg
10:45

4. Spatiotemporal juxtapositions
11:00-12:30

Moderation: Drivalda Delia (Regensburg)
Irina Shirobokova (St. Petersburg) Dealing with duplicitous dichotomies of uneven development
Priyanka Hutschenreiter (London) Thinking about class and religiosity through spacetime
Katerina Ivanova (Halle/Saale) (Un)building the Berlin Wall: Thinking about Eastern Germany with and beyond the binaries

Keynote
Helena Tužinská (Bratislava) In the polarized field: Questions of navigation
13:30-15:00

5. Autoethnography and situatedness of knowledge production
15:30-17:00

Moderation: Vita Zelenska (Regensburg)
Selbi Durdiyeva (Ulster) Theorizing binaries through autoethnography, self-reflection and positionality
Thieu-Dang Nguyen (Aberdeen) In Vienna reflecting on authoritarianism and organic intellectual: An overseas Vietnamese scholar’s autoethnography
Sasha Shestakova (Bochum) Where do I speak from, exactly?

Closing remarks and discussion
17:10-18:00

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