

Conference Venue

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10.30–11.00

Coffee Break

11.00–12.00

Occupied Societies I: Survival and Personal Experiences

Chair and Commentator: Vita Zelče (Riga)

Martin Borkowski-Saruhan (Göttingen)
**Occupation as a Physical Experience: Sports, Violence,
and Everyday Life in Nazi-Occupied East Upper Silesia**

Jan Hassink (Göttingen)
**Everyday Life, *Eigensinn* and Spaces of Belonging.
Sports in Occupied Alsace during the Second World War**

12.00–13.30

Lunch Break

13.30–14.30

Occupied Societies II: Encounters and Collaboration

Chair and Commentator: Christhardt Henschel (Warsaw)

Maria Fritsche (Trondheim)
**The German Occupation of Norway:
Encounters and Conflicts**

Łukasz Krzyżanowski (Warsaw)
**Village Heads and Nazi-Collaborators:
Navigating Daily Life in German-Occupied
Provincial Poland**

14.30–15.00

Coffee Break

15.00–16.30

Post-war Societies

Chair and Commentator: Ruth Leiserowitz (Warsaw)

Arddun Arwyn (Aberystwyth)
**A Game of Cat and Mouse: Violence, Hunger and
Eigensinn in East Prussia/Kaliningrad Oblast 1945–1948**

Magdalena Saryusz-Wolska (Warsaw)
**Advertising Unavailable Products. Images of Nutrition
and Hygiene in Early Post-war Germany**

Sigita Kraniauskienė (Klaipėda)
**Disrupted Life Courses: Transition to Adulthood
in the Post-war Klaipėda**

16.30–17.00

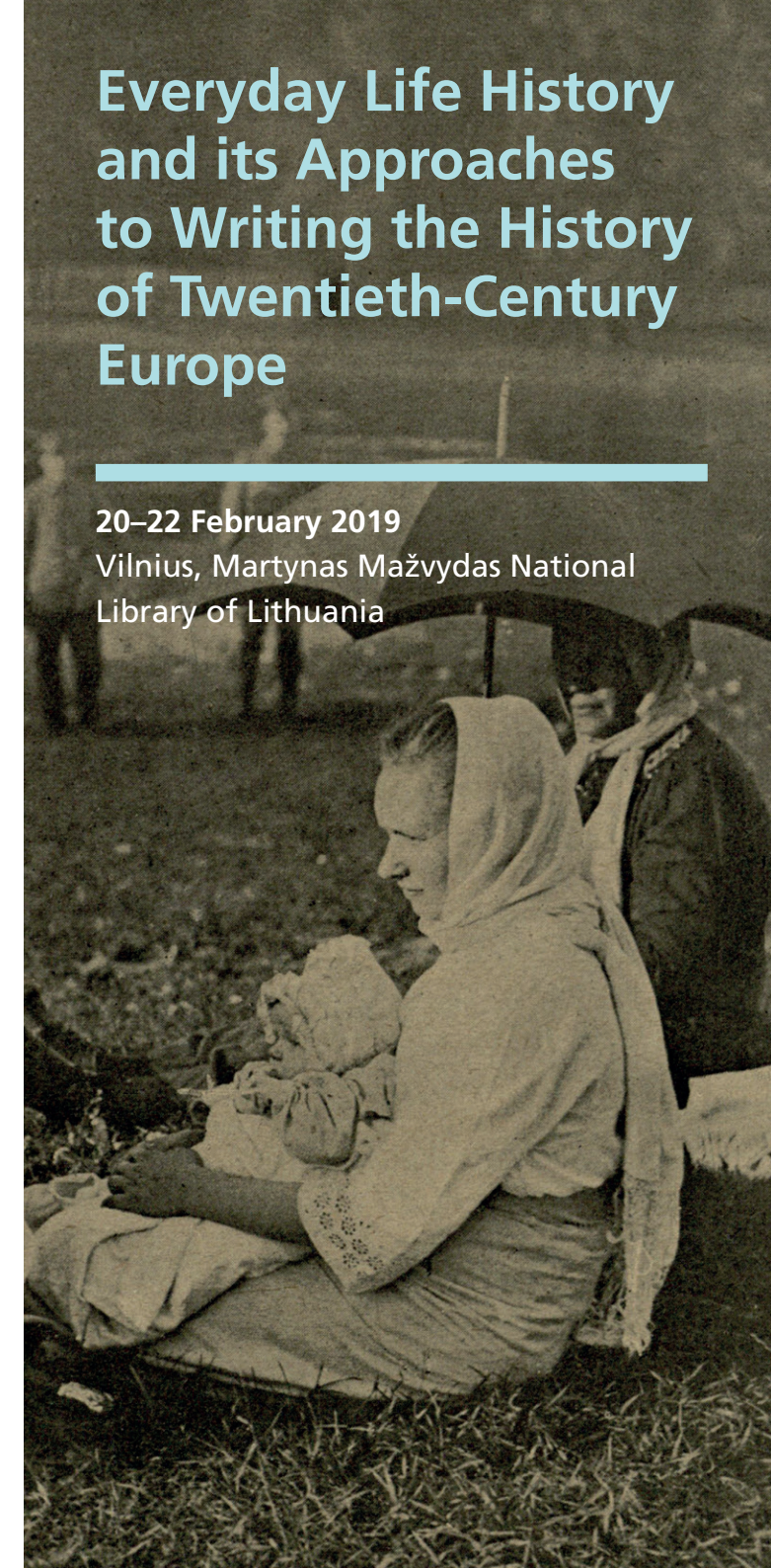
Closing Remarks



Everyday Life History and its Approaches to Writing the History of Twentieth-Century Europe

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Bilderschau der Wilnaer Zeitung, 1916. Source: The Wroblewski Library
of the Lithuanian Academy of Sciences, Rare Books Department



Wednesday, 20 February

15.00

Welcome and Introduction

15.30–17.00

Theoretical and Methodological Approaches

Chair and Commentator: Magdalena Saryusz-Wolska (Warsaw)

Stephanie Weismann (Vienna)
Sniffing out Everyday Life History. Introducing Sensory History to Study East Central Europe

Sylwia Nehring (Toruń)
Everyday Life in Communism – The Repeatability of Museum Narrations about the GDR and PRL

17.30–19.30

Lelewel Conversation. History with People. Everyday Life History and Its Historical Research in Germany and Central and Eastern Europe

Chair: Ruth Leiserowitz (Warsaw)

Discussion Participants: Błażej Brzostek (Warsaw), Tatjana Tönsmeier (Wuppertal), Tomas Vaiseta (Vilnius), Vita Zelče (Riga)

Thursday, 21 February

9.30–11.00

Housing and Living Conditions

Chair and Commentator: Marija Drėmaitė (Vilnius)

Viltė Janušauskaitė (Vilnius)
Mass Housing. Individual Perspective

Ewelina Szpak (Warsaw)
“We Are Drowning in Filth and Dirt”. Sanitary Condition in Post-war Poland (1945–1970)

Matas Šiupšinskas (Vilnius)
Everyday Life in Collective Gardening Districts

11.00–11.30

Coffee Break

11.30–12.30

Neighbourhood and Social Contact Zones

Chair and Commentator: Darius Staliūnas (Vilnius)

Susanne Korbel (Graz)
Living, Neighborhood, Cohabitation – Space and Similarity in Everyday Encounters of Jews and Non-Jews in Vienna around 1900

Juozapas Paškaukas (Vilnius)
Between Town and Country: Dacha Culture in Lithuania in the Second Half of the 19th Century and in the Beginning of the 20th Century

12.30–14.00

Lunch Break

14.00–15.30

Work and Consumption

Chair and Commentator: Błażej Brzostek (Warsaw)

Reinhild Kreis (Mannheim)
The Uncharted Territory between Consumption and Work: Household Production as a Challenge for the History of Everyday Life

Iaroslav Golubinov (Samara)
Queue as a Sign of Being: The Transformation of Everyday Life in Russian Cities during the First World War

Clemens Villinger (Potsdam)
Learning Capitalism? Secondary Analysis of Qualitative Interviews as a Source for Researching Everyday Consumption Practices during the Long History of 1989 in East Germany

15.30–16.00

Coffee Break

16.00–17.00

Changing Gender Roles I

Chair and Commentator: Gintarė Malinauskaitė (Vilnius)

Ann-Kristin Glöckner (Magdeburg)
Everyday Life under Occupation? Franco-German Encounters during the Time of Occupation in South-western Germany after World War II (1945–55)

Svitlana Nyzhnikova (Kharkiv)
Women of Ukraine during the Nazi Occupation: Strategies of Survival

17.00–18.00

Changing Gender Roles II

Chair and Commentator: Solveiga Daugirdaitė (Vilnius)

Enrika Kripienė (Vilnius)
Kiss Me Hard Before I Go: Flirt and Love Affairs in the Lithuanian Anti-Soviet Partisan Movement

Tomas Vaiseta (Vilnius)
Sexual Civil War Instead of Sexual Revolution? Soviet Everyday Sexual Practices and Their Meaning

Friday, 22 February

9.00–10.30

Civilian Experiences of War

Chair and Commentator: Tatjana Tönsmeier (Wuppertal)

Andrea Griffante (Kaunas)
The Taste of Bread. Eating in Lithuania, 1914–1920

Marino Ferri (Lucerne)
Exploring a Jewish/Polish Refugee Student’s Everyday Life in Zurich, 1936-45

Maria Reisky (Opole)
Between the Soil and the Front. The Upper Silesian Village during World War II in the Light of the Memories of its Inhabitants