



# Struggles over Europe

## Postcolonial East/West dynamics of race, gender and sexuality



Interdisciplinary Workshop

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Thursday, November 14 <sup>th</sup>	
13:00	Kick-off
13:15	Round-table discussion <u>Hadley Rankin</u> (Central European University CEU): Rethinking post- and neocolonial dynamics: race, gender and sexuality between Europe's East and West
14:45	Coffee break
15:00	Session I <u>Monika Bobako</u> (UAM Poznan): The Jew, the Arab, the Pole. Changing geometries of otherness and positioning Poland in postcolonial Europe <u>Dorota Hall</u> (IFiS Polish Academy of Science Warszawa): Changes in living religion and homosexuality in Poland between the 1970s and recent years
16:30	Coffee break
16:45	Session II <u>Rafal Smoczynski</u> (IFiS PAN Warszawa) and <u>Randi Gressgard</u> (U. Bergen): Noble Polish sexuality and the corrupted European body <u>Paweł Lewicki</u> (EUV): Polishness and Eurostyle in EU Brussels: Struggles over Europe in bodily performances among Polish EU civil servants
Friday, November 15 <sup>th</sup>	
9:00	Session III <u>Zsuzsanna Varga</u> (CEU): Hunting and Europeanness in Hungary <u>Ana Ivasiuc</u> (U. Giessen): Racial <i>Eastern</i> -Europeanization: The Figure of the 'Gypsy' and 'Insecure Europeanism'
10:30	Coffee break
10:45	Session IV <u>Orlanda Obad</u> (Institute of Ethnology and Folklore Research Zagreb): Gray is the New White: Intertwining of Race and Class in Workplace Practices of Croatian Citizens in EU Institutions <u>Daria Krivonos</u> (CEU): Beyond 'East and West' divide: Claims to whiteness and Europeanness among young post-Soviet migrants in Helsinki, Finland
12:15	Lunch break
13:15	Session V <u>Monika Baer</u> (U. Wroclaw): Tensions and frictions in/of Europe. The LGBT rights and non-heteronormative subjects in contemporary Poland <u>Nadzeya Husakouskaya</u> and <u>Randi Gressgard</u> (U. Bergen): Europeanization as civilizational transition from East to West: The diffusion of sexual modernity and racial displacement in Ukraine
14:45	End

