

Eurosphere Summer Course in Tallinn
Diversity and the European Public Sphere
July 27-31,2009

Tallinn University
Uus-Sadama 5
(new building - *MARE*)

Program:

MONDAY 27.07.

09.30 Opening of the summer course
Prof. Rein Raud, Rector of Tallinn University

10.00 Panel: Banal Nationalisms and Banal Universalisms
George Schöpflin, MEP and Prof. Mikko Lagerspetz, Åbo Akademi University

12.00 LUNCH

14.00 Lecture: A uniform diversity? Puzzles and challenges of identity politics in Europe. Prof. Peter Kraus, University of Helsinki (TBC)

16.00-17.30 Literature Workshops

TUESDAY, 28.07.

10.00 – 13.30 Lecture: Methodological Issues of Comparative Research on European Public Sphere – Experiences from the EUROSHERE Project
Prof. Hakan G. Sicakkan. University of Bergen
Empirical Findings by EUROSHERE researchers
Various presentors and discussants¹

13.30 LUNCH

15.00-17.30 Empirical Findings by EUROSHERE researchers (continued)

WEDNESDAY, 29.07.

10.00 Lecture: Subcultures as Forms of Diversity
Prof. Airi-Alina Allaste, Tallinn University

¹ The panel: Empirical Findings by EUROSHERE researchers is open to Eurosphere Researchers and PhD Students for presentations. Deadline to send the abstracts (250 words) is 15th June. For the details please look registration website.

12.00 Lecture: The Phenomenology of Everyday Life
Prof. Tõnu Viik, Tallinn University

13.30 LUNCH

15.00-16.30 Lecture: French Model of Diversity in Everyday Life
Prof. Wanda Dressler, Fondation Maison des Sciences de l'Homme

THURSDAY, 30.07.

10.00 – 13.30 Panel: Gender and Diversity in the European Public Sphere
Prof. Monika Mokre and Cornelia Bruell, Austrian Academy of Sciences, Helene Pristed Nielsen, Aalborg University.²

13.30 LUNCH

15.00 Lecture: Civil Society between Life-World and the Public Sphere
Prof. Mikko Lagerspetz

16.30-18.00 Literature Workshops

FRIDAY, 31.07.

10.00 Lecture: Social Psychological Predispositions of Democracy
Dr. Martina Klicperova-Baker, Academy of Sciences of the Czech Republic

12.00 Identity and Social Movements
Ass. Prof. Ahmet Öncü, Sabanci University

13.30 LUNCH

15.00 Lecture: Europeanism and Euroskepticism in Eastern Europe
Prof. Raivo Vetik, Tallinn University (TBC)

16.00 Complementary comments by Dr. Martina Klicperova-Baker. Academy of Sciences of the Czech Republic

17.00 Lecture: Togetherness in diversity
Prof. Yngve Lithman, University of Bergen

18.30 Conclusion of the Summer Course

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2 This is an interactive panel between the course teachers and students in order to stimulate active student participation.