

PROGRAM

25 November 2014

9.00–9.15 – Opening of the conference – Dr Andrzej Zawistowski (Institute of National Remembrance / Warsaw School of Economics)

9.15–11.15 – Session I

Chair: Dr Łukasz Kamiński (Institute of National Remembrance)

- Prof. Wojciech Morawski (Warsaw School of Economics) – Land Reforms in Interwar Europe
- Eli Pilve (Estonian Institute of Historical Memory) – Political and Ideological Considerations of Estonian Political Parties in Preparing the Land Reform of 1919
- Dr Wim van Meurs (Radboud Universiteit, Nijmegen) – Pre-War Parties and Post-War Policies
- Michał Palczyński (Institute of History, Wrocław University) – Great Transformation? Polish Agricultural Structure According to Data from the Central Statistical Office of Poland, 1939–1955
- Discussion

11.15–11.30 – Coffee break

11.30–13.30 – Session II

Chair: Prof. Anita J. Prazmowska (London School of Economics and Political Science)

- Prof. Robert Jastrzębski (Law and Administration Faculty, Warsaw University) – Land Reform of 1944: Legislation of the Polish State
- Dr Tomasz Osiniński (Institute of National Remembrance, Lublin) – Moral Dilemmas of the Beneficiaries. Peasants' Attitudes Towards Expropriation and Land Reform



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- Dr hab. Mirosław Klusek (Hugo Koliątaj Agricultural University, Cracow) – Implementation and Effects of the 6 September 1944 Decree of the Polish Committee of National Liberation on the Conduct of the Land Reform
 - Jan Jarosławski (Skanska RD Poland) – Contemporary Effects of the 1944 Decree on Land Reform
 - Discussion

13.30–14.30 – Lunch break

14.30–16.30– Session III

Chair: Prof. Wojciech Roszkowski (Institute of Political Studies, Polish Academy of Science)

- Prof. Jędrzej Chumiński (Department of Economic History, Economic University, Wrocław) – The Influence of the Land Reform in Poland on the Mobility of Rural Population 1944–1956
- Prof. Anita J. Prażmowska (Department of International History, London School of Economics and Political Science) – Land Reform in the Recovered Territories 1945–1949
- Dr Sylwia Straszak-Chandoha (Department of Economic History, Economic University, Wrocław) – Concepts of the Reconstruction of Agricultural System and Their Implementation in Poland and on the Recovered Territories with Special Focus on Lower Silesia 1944–1948
- Prof. Stanisław Jankowiak (Institute of History, Adam Mickiewicz University, Poznań) – The Specific Nature of the Land Reform in Greater Poland
- Discussion

16.30–16.45 – Coffee break

16.45–19.00 – Session IV

Chair: Prof. Dariusz Jarosz (Institute of History, Polish Academy of Science)

- Dr Mateja Čoh-Kladnik (Study Centre for National Reconciliation, Ljubljana) – Farmers: Class Enemies in Slovenia in the Decade after World War II
- Prof. Sorin Radu (“Lucian Blaga” University, Sibiu) – The Ploughmen’s Front and the Land Reform of 1945 in Romania

- Dr Torsten Lorenz (Charles University, Prague) – Different Paths to Socialism: Rural Cooperatives in Poland, Czechoslovakia and the GDR, 1944 to early 1950's
- Dr Antoni Kura (Institute of National Remembrance / Jesuit University Ignatianum, Cracov) – The Conference of the Communist Parties in Szklarska Poręba and Its Influence on the Agricultural Policy 1948–1956
- Discussion

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9.00–11.00 – Session V

Chair: Dr Jerzy Łazor (Warsaw School of Economics)

- Damian Markowski (Institute of History, Warsaw University) – The Practice and the Reality: Collectivization of the Lviv Oblast in the Documents of the Communist Party (Bolsheviks) of Ukraine and the Propaganda 1944–1951
- Dr Mateusz Szytma (Institute of National Remembrance, Cracow) – The Norms of the Ministry of Internal Security Concerning Rural Economy 1948–1954
- Dr Radosław Gross (Institute of History and International Relations, University of Warmia and Mazury, Olsztyn) – Transformations of the Countryside in Warmia and Mazury 1949–1956
- Jiří Urban (University of Pardubice / Institute for the Study of Totalitarian Regimes, Prague) – The Introduction of Centrally Planned Economy into the Czechoslovak Agriculture: System of Mandatory Deliveries and Peasants' Responses
- Discussion

11.00–11.15 – Coffee break

11.15–13.15 – Session VI

Chair: Dr Łukasz Dwilewicz (Warsaw School of Economics)

- Dr hab. Małgorzata Machalek (Szczecin University) – The State Sector in Agriculture in Western and Northern Poland: Origins and Socioeconomic Consequences



- Dr Adriana Merta-Staszczak (Wrocław Politechnics) – Functioning and Organization of State-owned Farms: The Case of the Osobowice State-owned Farm in Wrocław
- Dr Krzysztof Popiński (Department of Economic History, Economic University, Wrocław) – Higher Agricultural Education as a Tool of Transformation and Development of Polish Countryside 1945–1989
- Dr Vladimir Unkovski-Korica (Department of International History, London School of Economics and Political Science) – When High Modernism Works: Agricultural Revolution in Vojvodina, 1957–1967
- Discussion

13.15–14.15 – Lunch break

14.15–16.15 – Session VII

Chair: Dr hab. Piotr Jachowicz (Warsaw School of Economics)

- Prof. Paweł Grata (Department of Political Science, Socio-Historical Faculty, Rzeszów University) – The Twilight of the Concept of Socialist Agriculture in Poland. The Case of Agricultural Policy in the Rzeszów Voivodship 1975–1989
- Dr Dariusz Grała (Institute of Cliometrics and Transformation Research, Poznań) – The Agricultural Reform of 1981 and the Competition for Resources between Private and State-owned Farms in 1980's
- Prof. Janusz Kaliński (Warsaw School of Economics) – Shifts in the Territorial Structure of Farm Inherited from the People's Republic of Poland (1990–2012)
- Christian Booß (Federal Commissioner for the Records of the State Security Service of the former GDR, Germany) – Transformation of Mass-Organisation into Pressure Group for Rural Interests in the Late Days of Former GDR
- Discussion

16.15–16.45 – Conclusion of the conference – Dr Łukasz Dwilewicz (Warsaw School of Economics), Dr Jerzy Łazor (Warsaw School of Economics)

