

INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE



**REAPPRAISAL
OF COMMUNIST DICTATORSHIP.
25 YEARS
OF EUROPEAN EXPERIENCE:
ACHIEVEMENTS AND FAILURES**

**June 15, 2015
Warsaw, Marszałkowska Street 21/25
IPN Educational Centre**

9.00–9.15 – opening of the conference

9.15–9.45 – keynote speaker – Łukasz Kamiński, President of the Institute of National Remembrance

9.45–10.00 – coffee break

10.00–11.30 – session I

How should we talk about Communism? Educational needs in the West and East

Participants: Göran Lindblad (moderator), Réka Földváyiné Kiss, Gunārs Nāgels,
Vesna Teršelič, Andrzej Zawistowski

11.30–11.45 – coffee break

11.45–13.15 – session II

Pandora's box or a chance for historiography? What did we achieve by opening
archives of the Communist security police?

Participants: Paweł Machcewicz (moderator), Petr Blažek, Antoni Dudek, Roland Jahn,
Ondrej Krajňák, Rafał Leśkiewicz

13.15–15.00 – lunch break

15.00–16.30 – session III

Do we need new Nuremberg trials? Prosecution of Communist crimes – achievements and failures

Participants: Egils Levits (moderator), Andrei Muraru,
Krzysztof Persak, Neela Winkelmann

16.30–16.45 – coffee break

16.45–18.15 – session IV

Purification or witch-hunt? Did lustration succeed?

Participants: Andrzej Paczkowski (moderator), Roman David, Hubertus Knabe,
Boštjan Kolarić, Monika Nalepa

18.15–18.30 – closing remarks

The conference will be held in Polish, English and German with simultaneous translation



Please confirm your attendance by June 8, 2015. The number of places is limited.
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