



CONFERENCE

THE RUSSIAN FAR EAST

Regional and Transnational Perspectives (19th -21st cent.)

PROGRAMME

DATE

28-31

March 2021

VENUE

Online (Zoom)

28 MARCH

50min **WELCOME**

8am *Bloomington*, 2pm *Munich*, 3pm *Moscow*,
10pm *Vladivostok* (5am *Oregon*/ *Berkeley*, 3pm *Tartu*/
Tel Aviv, 8pm *Beijing*, 9pm *Sapporo*)

Welcome by **Victor Larin**; **Nikolai Kradin**;
Sandra Dahlke; **Tatiana Saburova**; **Ekaterina Boltunova** (30 min)

Conceptual outline of the conference, project
“Russia’s North Pacific” (**Andreas Renner**,
Benjamin Beuerle, **Sandra Dahlke**) (20 min)

29 MARCH

75min **KEYNOTE PANEL**

8pm *Cincinnati/ Mass.* (28 March!), 9am *Sapporo*,
10am *Vladivostok* (5pm *Oregon*/ *Berkeley* (28 March!),
2am *Munich*, 3am in *Tartu*/ *Tel Aviv*/ *Moscow*, 8am
Beijing)

Victor Larin - Pacific Russia in the cross-hair of
interests and policies: the deviations of 21st century

Bao Maohong - Russian Far East studies in China

Sergey Glebov - Why the Russian Far East Should
be Interesting for a Historian: Perspectives from New
Imperial History

David Wolff - A Swing of the Pendulum: East and
West and the Russian Far East in Modern Russian
History

Chair: **Nikolai Kradin**

75min **PANEL 2**

11am *Berlin*, 7pm *Vladivostok* (2am *Berkeley*/ *Oregon*,
5am *Bloomington*, noon in *Tartu*/ *Tel Aviv*/ *Moscow*,
5pm *Beijing*, 6pm *Sapporo*)

The Far East Between Geopolitics, Development Designs and Regional Practices

Anastasiia Ignatenko - Корейский полуостров
в политических институтах Российской империи
конца XIX – начала XX вв.: взгляд из центра
и региона

Anna Savchuk - Гендерный аспект
принудительной колонизации о. Сахалин
(1869 – 1906 гг.)

Anatolij Savčenko - Политика развития
Дальнего Востока последней четверти XX века
как проблема зависимого развития

Sebastian Hoppe - Uplifting the hinterland with
outside help. A historical perspective on ‘special
economic zones’ in the Russian Far East within
Tsarist, Soviet and post-Soviet pivots to Asia

Chair: **Ekaterina Boltunova**

Discussant: **Sergei Pestov**

50min **PANEL 3**

10am *Bloomington*, 5pm *Moscow* (7am *Berkeley*,
4pm *Munich*, 5pm *Tartu*/ *Tel Aviv*, 10pm *Beijing*,
11pm in *Sapporo*, midnight in *Vladivostok*)

Films, literature and ethnography

Russell Valentino - Imagined Geographies
and Specifics of Place in the Russian Far East

Ivan Golovnev - Образы Дальнего Востока
в кинодокументах 1920–1930-х гг.

Chair: **Andreas Hilger**

Discussant: **Ekaterina Boltunova**

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60min **PANEL 4**

8am *Yale*, 2pm *Paris*, 3pm *Tartu*/ *St. Petersburg*,
10pm *Vladivostok* (5am *Berkeley*/ *Oregon*,
8 pm *Beijing*, 9pm *Seoul*)

Local Far Eastern Identities

Asya Karaseva/ Maria Momzikova - Новые
удаленности Дальнего Востока: тактики повсед-
невной жизни с пространственно-временным
неравенством во Владивостоке и Магадане

Dominic Martin - Experimenting with
a post-Fordist Future in a Far Eastern Monotown:
Orthodox ‘extreme ecotourism’

Tatiana Zhuravskaya - Экстралегальный труд
дальневосточников в Южной Корее: свобода
выбора и возвращение домой

Chair: **Sandra Dahlke**

Discussant: **Joonseo Song**

45min **PANEL 5**

9:30 am *Washington D.C.*, 4:30 pm *Tel Aviv/ Moscow*
(6:30am in *Berkeley*, 3:30 pm *Munich*, 9:30pm *Beijing*,
10:30 pm *Sapporo*, 11:30 pm *Vladivostok*)

Actors and biographies between Far East, Centre and abroad

Irena Vladimirska/ Maria Krotova -
Far Eastern Biographies between Regionalism and
Internationalism: Yakov Frizer (1869-1932): a Jew,
a Gold Entrepreneur, a Philanthrope and a Russian
Patriot

Daqing Yang - Russian Far Eastern Scientists in
the Transnational Circulation of Knowledge: From
Dal’geolkom to Manchuria and Beyond

Chair: **Benjamin Beuerle**

Discussant: **Tatiana Saburova**

60min **PANEL 6**

9am *Oregon*, 6pm *Berlin* (noon in *Bloomington*,
7pm *Tartu*/ *Tel Aviv*/ *Moscow*, midnight in *Beijing*,
1am *Sapporo*, 2am *Vladivostok*)

Far Eastern Natural Resources, identity and the Environment

Spencer Abbe - ‘The Tsunami Has No Borders’:
Environmental Contingency, Empire, and the
Production of Vulnerability in Kamchatka

Robert Kindler - After the Fur Seal. Economy,
Environment and Sustainability on the Commander
Islands, 1900-1991

Ryan Jones - Soviet Whaling in Vladivostok:
Between Far Eastern Identity and Global Tensions

Chair: **Tatiana Saburova**

Discussant: **Benjamin Beuerle**

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60min **PANEL 7**

10pm *Berkeley* (30 March!), 7am *Vienna*
(1am *Bloomington*, 8am *Tel Aviv*/ *Tartu*/ *Moscow*,
2pm *Seoul*/ *Sapporo*, 3pm *Vladivostok*)

Sino-Russian encounters

Stephanie Ziehaus - Cultural transfer
and Empire Building in the Sino-Russian
borderland in the 19th century

Sören Urbansky - Sex and the city: Interracial
intimacy in turn of the century Vladivostok

Liudmila Listrovaya - The Chinese logged
everything: Culture, Collective Cognition and
Historical Trauma in Russian Deforestation
Discourse

Chair: **Ivan Zuenko**

Discussant: **Anna Kuteleva**

60min **PANEL 8**

9am *Bielefeld*, 4pm *Seoul* (Midnight in *Berkeley*,
3am *Bloomington*, 10am *Tel Aviv*/ *Tartu*/ *Moscow*,
3pm *Beijing*, 5pm *Vladivostok*)

Markets, Trading networks and (trans)regional Identity

Frank Grüner - Russia’s Far Eastern Marketplace:
Transnational/-regional Trade and Urban Dynamics
in Vladivostok, 1880s to 1917

Tobias Holzlehner - Borderland Brokers:
A comparative approach to informal trading
networks in the Russian Far East

Hyun-Gwi Park - After Putin’s Turn to East:
the Russian Far East in Double Blind

Chair: **Anatoly Savchenko**

Discussant: **Andreas Hilger**

45min **FINAL DISCUSSION/ OUTLOOK**

9am *Bloomington*, 3pm *Munich*, 4pm *Moscow*,
11pm *Vladivostok* (6am *Oregon*/ *Berkeley*,
4pm *Tartu*/ *Tel Aviv*)

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