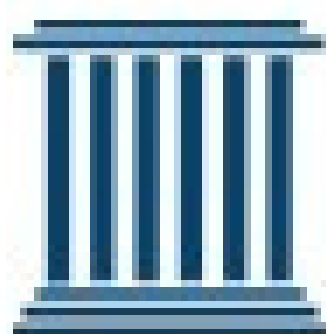


Latvia at the crossroads of European culture: history and modernity

International summer school
Institute of Latvian History -
RTU Liepaja
27.06. - 06.07.2024.



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Valsts izglītības attīstības aģentūra

27. 06. 2023

13.00 – 24.00 – arrival and registration of participants at the hotel
Dinner on request

28. 06. 2023

10.00 - Opening of the summer school (Aspazijas 5, Riga)
Gvido Straube speech (director of the Institute of Latvian History of University of Latvia)
Arturs Medveck's speech (RTU Liepaja)

Topic: Latvia - Europe: crossroads of history and culture

10:10 – Lecture: *The documentary heritage of the Plater family in the context of European history (16th - 19th centuries)* (Alyona Liubaya, Poland)

11.20 - coffee break

11.30 – Lecture: *Latvians in the Spanish Civil War (1936–1939)* (Ginta Ieva Bikše, Latvia)

13.00 – lunch

13.30 – Lecture: *The European dimension in Latvian culture: awareness of belonging in the 20th century* (Martins Mintauris, Latvia)

15.00 – Seminar class in the State History Archive of Latvia

19.00 – Gala dinner

29.06.2023

Topic: Livonia in the discourse of European historiography

09.00 – Lecture: *In nostra Livonia: the opinion of the researchers of the Grand Duchy of Lithuania on the history of Livonia* (Andrei Liubyi, Poland)

10.20 - coffee break

10.30 – Lecture: *Que vidimus oculis nostris: The Narrative Tradition of Latin European History in Medieval Livonia* (Andris Levans, Latvia)

12.00 – lunch

12.30 – Lecture: *Medieval Livonia in Ukrainian historiographical discourse, 19th - first quarter of 21st century* (Miroslav Voloshchuk, Ukraine)

13.30 - coffee break

13.40 – Lecture: *The image of former Livonia (today's Latvia) in Polish collective memory* (Boguslaw Dibass, Poland)

14.40 - coffee break

14.50 - Lecture: *Development of clothing in Kurzeme (19th - early 20th centuries) against the background of European cultural history* (Aija Jansone, Latvia)

16.00 - Old town tour

30.06.2023

10.30 - The road to Liepaja

01.07.2023

Liepaja

Theme: A person at the turning points of history: Latvians in Europe

10.00 – Lecture: *Fate of Latvians during the "Great Terror" in the Ukrainian SSR (Julia Grishchenko, Ukraine)*

11.20 - coffee break

11.30 - Discussion: *Diasporas in Europe and the world: possibilities and problems of creating dialogue*

13.00 – lunch

13.40 – Excursion around Liepaja

17.00 – Ethnographic performance of Kurzeme culture and peculiarities of culinary folklore

02.07.2023

Liepaja

Topic: Cultural and historical heritage of Latvia in the European context

10.00 – Lecture with practical lesson: *Coats of arms of Latvian lands on European maps of the 17th - 18th centuries century (Aleksei Shalanda, Poland)*

11.20 - coffee break

11.30 – Lecture: *Cross-culturalism of visual arts in Ukraine and Latvia during the Second World War (Oleksandr Maievskii, Ukraine)*

13.00 – lunch

14.00 – Lecture: *The European dimension of Lithuanian cultural and historical objects: reconstruction and modern design (Vakaris Bernotas, Lithuania)*

15.00 - coffee break

15.10 – Lecture: *Interrelationships of art education in Liepaja in the European context. The uniqueness of Liepaja's wooden architecture and interior painting in Europe as a cultural anthropology and educational resource. (Inta Klasone, Latvia)*

16.30 - coffee break

16.40 – Discussion: *The role of protection and promotion of local cultural heritage in the formation of European identity (Dariusz Dabrowski, Poland)*

03.07.2023

Liepaja

Topic: Historical and cultural heritage of Courland in the European context

10.00 – Lecture: *Operation of Liepaja trade office "Vite&Hiks" in the 18th century* (Gvido Straube, Latvia)

11.20 - coffee break

11.30 – Lecture: *The cultural and historical heritage of Liepāja in the local and European dimensions* (Zanda Gutmane, Latvia)

13.00 – lunch

14.00 – Restoration workshop of architectural objects and interior objects: theory and practical lessons (Arturs Medveckis, Latvia)

15.00 – Discussion: *Cultural heritage contexts: what to do with problematic objects in architecture? Latvian and European experience* (Dariusz Dabrowski, Poland)

04.07.2023

Topic: Historical and cultural heritage of Courland in the European context
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10.00 – Field seminar to Kuldiga

05.07.2024.

Return to Riga

06.07.2024.

12.00 – Summary of summer school results

12.30 – lunch