Transformations of Religions in Times of Crises: Spiritual Alienation and Rethinking of Ethics, CESAR 2022

September 1-3, University of Pardubice

Conference programme

September 1, Thursday

10:00 - 11:00  Registration
11:00 - 11:45  Opening ceremony
11:45 - 12:45  Secularism and Politics

**Péter Boros**: Redefining Buddhism, and the Place of Religion in Late 19th – Early 20th Century China

**Gabriel Paxton**: Under God’s Consent: An Examination of Christian Nationalism as a Driver of Competitive Authoritarian politics in the United States and Hungary

12:45 - 14:15  Lunch break - University bistro
14:15 - 15:45  Exclusion of Minorities

**Kristina Mikhalek**: Religiosits of recruited Jews in Pale of Settlement

**Tereza Menšíková**: Mobilisation and Narratives in the Time of Crisis: Case Study of Dalit Online Activism in India

**Barbora Šindelářová**: Religion During the Times of Discrimination of Burakumin, Untouchables in Japan

15:45 - 16:00  Coffee break

16:00 - 18:00  Keynote lecture

**András Máté-Tóth**: Security and Religion in today’s Central and Eastern Europe. Inspirative hommage a Giddens, Berger and Inglehart

18:00 - 18:30  Evening tapas
19:00 - 20:00  Guided historic city tour

September 2, Friday

9:00 - 10:00  Islam in Transformations

**Seyed Rasoul Abtahi & Mahroofk Haighpors**: Transformation of Iranian Society from Religious to Secular (1979-2022)

**Lukáš Větrovec**: Minority jurisprudence revisited
10:00 - 11:00  Representations of Muslims and Jews in movies

Mehmet Kalkan: Jews and Muslims in the Cinematic representation is it a Clash or Coexistence?

Adam Viskup: Islamophobia in Hollywood movie production in relation to 9_11

11:00 - 11:15  Coffee break

11:15 - 12:45  Theoretical approaches in the study of transformations of religions

Márk Nemes: Theoretical approaches: recontextualizing the surge of new religious movements in the US from the 1960’s

Manuel Stadler: Affective and material dimensions of radical societal change

Rita Figus-Illinyi: Resilience in philosophy and religious theory

12:45 - 14:15  Lunch break - University bistro

14:15 - 15:15  Religious educations during societal changes

Mora Margitta: High School Education of Orthodox Jewish Girls in Western Galicia

Fadime Yilmaz: The role of Imam Hatip Schools in the transformation of the social status of religious people

15:15 - 15:30  Coffee break

15:30 - 17:30  Keynote lecture

Hugo Strandberg: Faith and the general equivalent

18:00  Conference dinner

September 3, Saturday

10:30 - 11:30  “New religious movements” coping with the COVID-19 pandemic

Attila Miklovicz: Coping strategies in Scientology in relation to its ethics principles – a hermeneutic analysis

Yaroslav Yuvechko: Transformations of New Religious Movements in Ukraine and Czech Republic: Experience, Trends, Prospects

11:30 - 11:45  Coffee break

11:45 - 12:45  Society, secularisation, and the COVID-19 pandemic

Jarken Gadi & Yiter Gadi: Tribal community in the times of crisis: A case study of 27th Liromoba Constituency of Arunachal Pradesh

Ojo Joseph Rapheal: From the Pulpit of the Street: Assessing the Role of some Churches in Times of Crisis in Nigeria

12:45 - 13:00  Closing ceremony

13:00  Lunch - University bistro