

PROGRAM

GYÖRGY SCHÖPFLIN 85 – EUROPEAN AND NATIONAL VISION

INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE
OF MINORITY POLICY RESEARCH GROUP AND RESEARCH INSTITUTE FOR POLITICS
AND GOVERNMENT OF LUDOVIKA UNIVERSITY OF PUBLIC SERVICE (LUPS) BUDAPEST

Monday, 11th November, 2024 | 09.00–16.20

Venue: Ludovika University of Public Service | Main Building, Széchenyi Hall (H-1083 Budapest, Ludovika square 2.)

08.30 – 09.00 Arrival and registration

OPENING SESSION

09.00 – 09.05 Host and moderator: Judit Galambos, Coordinator of Minority Policy Research Group | Széchenyi Hall, 1st floor

09.05 – 09.15 Welcome speech by Gergely Deli, Rector of Ludovika University of Public Service (LUPS)

09.15 – 09.35 Introduction by Iván Gyurcsík, Head of Minority Policy Research Group, LUPS

09.35 – 09.55 Keynote speech by Zsolt Németh, Chairman of the Committee on Foreign Affairs, Hungarian National Assembly

09.55 – 10.30 Coffee break 1. | Community Hall, 2nd floor

Session 1.

EUROPEAN VISION

10.30 – 10.35 Host and moderator: Judit Galambos, Coordinator of Minority Policy Research Group | Széchenyi Hall, 1st floor

10.35 – 10.55 Ferenc Hörcher, Head of Research Institute for Politics and Government, LUPS

Title: "George Schöpflin's Europe"

10.55 – 11.15 Zdzisław Krasnodębski, Member of the European Parliament

Title: "The peculiarity of the Europeanness of East Central Europe.

A couple of remarks in reference to thought of György Schöpflin"

11.15 – 11.35 John O 'Sullivan, President of Danube Institute, Budapest

Title: "George Schöpflin and a peripatetic imagination"

11.35 – 11.50 Q and A

11.50 – 13.30 Lunch | Community Hall, 2nd floor

Session 2.

CENTRAL EUROPEAN, NATIONAL VISION AND THE QUESTION OF NATIONAL MINORITIES

13.30 – 13.35 Host and moderator: Judit Galambos, Coordinator of the Minority Policy Research Group | Széchenyi Hall, 1st floor

13.35 – 13.55 Keynote speech by Thomas Lorman, Historian, School of Slavonic and East European Studies, University College London

Title: "György Schöpflin and the British view of Central Europe, 1948–1990"

13.55 – 14.15 Iván Bába, Honorary Associate Professor, LUPS

Title: "In Search of Central Europe"

14.15 – 14.35 Coffee break 2. | Community Hall, 2nd floor

14.35 – 14.55 Tamás Korhecz, Constitutional Court Judge, Serbia

Title: "State – Culture – Nations – National Minorities in Europe:

Reflections on some ideas of György Schöpflin"

14.55 – 15.15 Miklós Bakk, Associate Professor, Faculty of Sciences and Arts, Sapientia Hungarian University of Transylvania, Cluj-Napoca

Title: "Empire and Nation State in European context."

15.15 – 15.35 Q and A

15.35 – 15.45 Closing remarks by Balázs Tárnok, Director of Research, John Lukacs Institute for Strategy and Politics, Member of Minority Policy Research Group, LUPS

15.45 – 16.20 Visit to the Library: György Schöpflin special collection | 2nd floor

Welcome by Zoltán Mészáros, General Director of Ludovika University Library



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