

## **JUNE 30 SUNDAY**

**10:00 - 11:45**

**1. Discussion:** What is New Imperial History.

*Sergey Glebov, Ilya Gerasimov, Marina Mogilner, Alexander Semyonov*

**All read:**

- Stephen Howe, "Introduction. New Imperial Histories," in Stephen Howe, ed. *The New Imperial Histories Reader* (London: Routledge, 2010): 1-20; (hereafter NIH Reader).
- Ilya Gerasimov et al., "New Imperial History and the Challenges of Empire," Gerasimov et al., eds., *Empire Speaks Out. Languages of Rationalization and Self-Description in the Russian Empire* (Leiden: Brill, 2009), 3–33
- Герасимов, Глебов, Могильнер и Семенов, "Предисловие: Кому будет Нужна История Завтра?" *Новая Имперская История Северной Евразии*, т.1 (Москва: Библиотека журнала *Ab Imperio*, 2018), 9-12.

**11:45 - 12:15**

**Coffee Break**

**12:15 - 14:00**

**2. Lecture:** New Imperial History and Global History.

*Alexander Semyonov*

**All read:**

- Alexander Semyonov, "'Global History is More Than the History of Globalization': Interview with Sebastian Conrad," *Ab Imperio* 1 (2017): 23–44.
- Krishan Kumar, *Visions of Empire: How Five Imperial Regimes Shaped the World* (Princeton: Princeton University Press, 2017), 1-36.
- Alexander Semyonov, "How Five Empires Shaped the World and How this Process Shaped those Empires," *Ab Imperio* 18, no. 4 (2017): 27-51

**14:00 - 15:00**

**Lunch**

**15:00 - 17:30**

**3. Projects discussion:**

- Kychachinova Chechesh, Russia "When Knowledge is not Power : Siberian Mineral Wealth and Early Modern Resource Imaginations"
- Meador James, U of Michigan "Cossacks into Manchus? Changing Regimes of Conversion in Northeast Eurasia"
- Mohylnyi Stanislav, Ukraine/Bonn "Cossack Serfdom: Cossack Hetmanate Between the Steppe Frontier and the Russian Empire During the Seventeenth and Eighteenth Centuries"

## **JULY 1 MONDAY**

**10:00 - 11:45**

**1. Lecture:** Russian/Soviet History and Postcolonial Theory (1).

*Ilya Gerasimov*

**All read:**

- Gayatri Chakravorty Spivak, "Can the Subaltern Speak?" – skim to get a general idea of why the subaltern cannot speak
- Ilya V. Gerasimov, "The Subalterns Speak Out: Gerasim and the Infamous," in *Plebian Modernity. Social Practices, Illegality, and the Urban Poor in Russia* (Rochester NY: University of Rochester Press, 2018), 1-17
- Gerasimov, "Chapter 3. The Patriarchal Metropolis: Trespassing Social Barriers in Late Imperial Vilna," in *Plebian Modernity* , 81-107.

**11:45 - 12:15**

**Coffee Break**

**12:15 - 14:00**

**2. Lecture:** Russian/Soviet History and Postcolonial Theory (2).

*Sergey Glebov, Marina Mogilner*

**All read:**

- Ilya Gerasimov, Serguei Glebov, Marina Mogilner, "The Post Imperial Meets the Postcolonial: Russian Historical Experience and the Postcolonial Moment," *Ab Imperio* 14, no. 2 (20013): 7-135
- Serguei Alex. Oushakine, "Postcolonial Estrangements: Claiming a Space between Stalin and Hitler," in *Rites of Place: Public Commemoration in Russia and Eastern Europe*, ed. Julie Buckler and Emily D. Johnson (Evanston: Northwestern University Press), 285–315

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**Lunch**

**15:00 - 17:30**

**3. Projects discussion:**

- Egorov Evgenii, *Russia "Justifying Hybridity in the North: Pan-Scandinavian idea and Russia (1810-1880)"*
- Scaldedi Caterina, *Italy/UIC "Fascist Education in Imperial Perspective (1922-43) (explores how parallel school systems emerged under fascist rule in the Italian colonies of Eritrea, Somalia, Libya, and the Dodecanese Islands, a Greek-speaking archipelago in the Eastern Mediterranean)"*
- Max Hodgson, U of Oxford "Epistemic Empires: Britain, Russia, and the production of knowledge at the International Penitentiary Congress, 1872-1910"

## **JULY 2 TUESDAY**

**10:00 - 11:45**

**1. Lecture:** Imperial subjecthood and citizenship.

*Sergey Glebov*

**All read:**

- Jane Burbank. An Imperial Rights Regime: Law and Citizenship in the Russian Empire, *Kritika: Explorations in Russian and Eurasian History*. 2006. Vol. 7. No. 3. Pp. 397–431.
- Sergey Glebov. "Between Foreigners and Subjects: Imperial Subjecthood, Governance, and the Chinese in the Russian Far East, 1860s–1880s." *Ab Imperio* 2017, no. 1 (2017): 86-130.

**11:45 - 12:15**

**Coffee Break**

**12:15 - 14:00**

**2. Lecture:** Imperial politics and imperial transformations.

*Alexander Semyonov*

**All read:**

- Alexander Semyonov, *Imperial Parliament for a Hybrid Empire: Representative Experiments in Early Twentieth Century Russian Empire* (forthcoming 2020)
- Pieter Judson, "The Lost Heroes of Austria's Fundamental Laws," in Franz Merli, Magdalena Pöschl, Ewald Wiederin, eds., *150 Jahre Staatsgrundgesetz* (Vienna: Verlag Manz, 2018), 1-15.

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**Lunch**

**15:00 - 17:30**

**3. Projects discussion:**

- Arbuthnot Mollie, U of Manchester "Posters for Soviet Uzbekistan: Anti-religious Propaganda and the Reform of Everyday Life c.1920-1937"
- Gazimzianov Mansur, Russia "Взаимодействие научного, экспертного и исламского дискурсов в СССР в 1950–1960-х годах".

## **JULY 3 WEDNESDAY**

**10:00 - 11:45**

**Lecture:** Global history and positionality

*Sebastian Conrad*

**All read:**

- Vinay Lal, "Provincializing the West: World History from the Perspective of Indian History," in: Benedikt Stuchtey and Eckhardt Fuchs (eds.), *Writing World History 1800-2000*, Oxford (Oxford University Press) 2003, pp. 271-89.
- Sebastian Conrad, "Positionality and Centered Approaches," in: Conrad, *What is Global History?* Princeton (Princeton University Press) 2016, pp. 162-184.

**11:45 - 12:15**

**Coffee Break**

**12:15 - 14:00**

**Lecture:** Critique of the West: Beyond Eurocentrism.

*Sergey Glebov*

**All read:**

- Cemil Aydin, *The Politics of Anti-Westernism in Asia: Visions of the World Order in Pan-Islamic and Pan-Asian Thought*. New York: Columbia University Press, 2007, pp. 93-125.
- Sergey Glebov, *From Empire to Eurasia: Politics, Scholarship and Ideology in Russian Eurasianism, 1920s – 1930s*. Dekalb: Northern Illinois University Press, 2017, pp. 1-9, 76-110.

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**Lunch**

**15:00 - 17:30**

**3. Projects discussion:**

- Ismael Biyashev, UIC "Cities Living and Dead: P.K. Kozlov and the Discovery of Khara Khoto"
- Koivisto Nuppu, Finland "Lilly Kajanus-Blenner (1885–1963) and the Russian Empire (part of a post doc project on women as restaurant musicians in late nineteenth- and early twentieth-century Eastern Europe)"

## **JULY 4 THURSDAY**

**10:00 - 11:45**

**1. Lecture:** Empire and Human Sciences.

*Marina Mogilner*

**All read:**

- Marwa Elshakhry, *Reading Darwin in Arabic, 1860-1950* (Chicago and London: The University of Chicago Press, 2013), Introduction pp. 1-24;
- Marina Mogilner, "Human Sacrifice in the Name of the Nation: The Religion of Common Blood," in Eugen Avrutin, etc., eds., *Ritual Murder in Russian, Eastern Europe and Beyond. New Histories of Old Accusation* (Bloomington and Indianapolis: Indiana University Press, 2017), 130-150.

**11:45 - 12:15**

**Coffee Break**

**12:15 - 14:00**

**2. Lecture:** Race and Ethnicity as Categories of Russian and Soviet Discourses of Diversity and Sameness.

*Marina Mogilner*

**All read:**

- Marina Mogilner "Classifying Hybridity in 19th and early 20th century Russian Imperial Anthropology,"
- David Anderson, Dmitry Arzyutov "Sergei Shirokogorov and the Life History of a Controversial Anthropological Concept," *Current Anthropology*, in print

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**3. Projects discussion:**

- Sharaya Liudmila, U of Maryland "Historiography of Russia Abroad and its relation to historiography of the Soviet Union, Russian and French imperial ideas and practices"
- Romero John, Arizona State "Development of socialist culture in Tatar Autonomous Soviet Socialist Republic"
- Lisitsyna Elena "The role of medicine in the Russian naval expeditions between 1764 and 1829"

## **JULY 5 FRIDAY**

**10:00 - 11:45**

**1. Publishing workshop** *Ilya Gerasimov*

**11:45 - 12:15**

**Coffee Break**

**12:15 - 14:00**

**2. Final discussion** *Ilya Gerasimov, Sergey Glebov, Marina Mogilner, Alexander Semyonov*

**14:00 - 15:00**

**Lunch**

**15:00 - 17:30**

**3. Projects discussion:**

- Mardanova Dinara “Religious Debates in the Volga Region in the last third of the 19th Century”
- Kondrashev Alexander “Centralized nation states in the East”: USSR’s imagined union with postcolonial states, the case of NejdHejaz and Yemen”
- Zuenko Ivan “At the Margins of Two Empires: Development of Cross-border Infrastructure between Russia and China”