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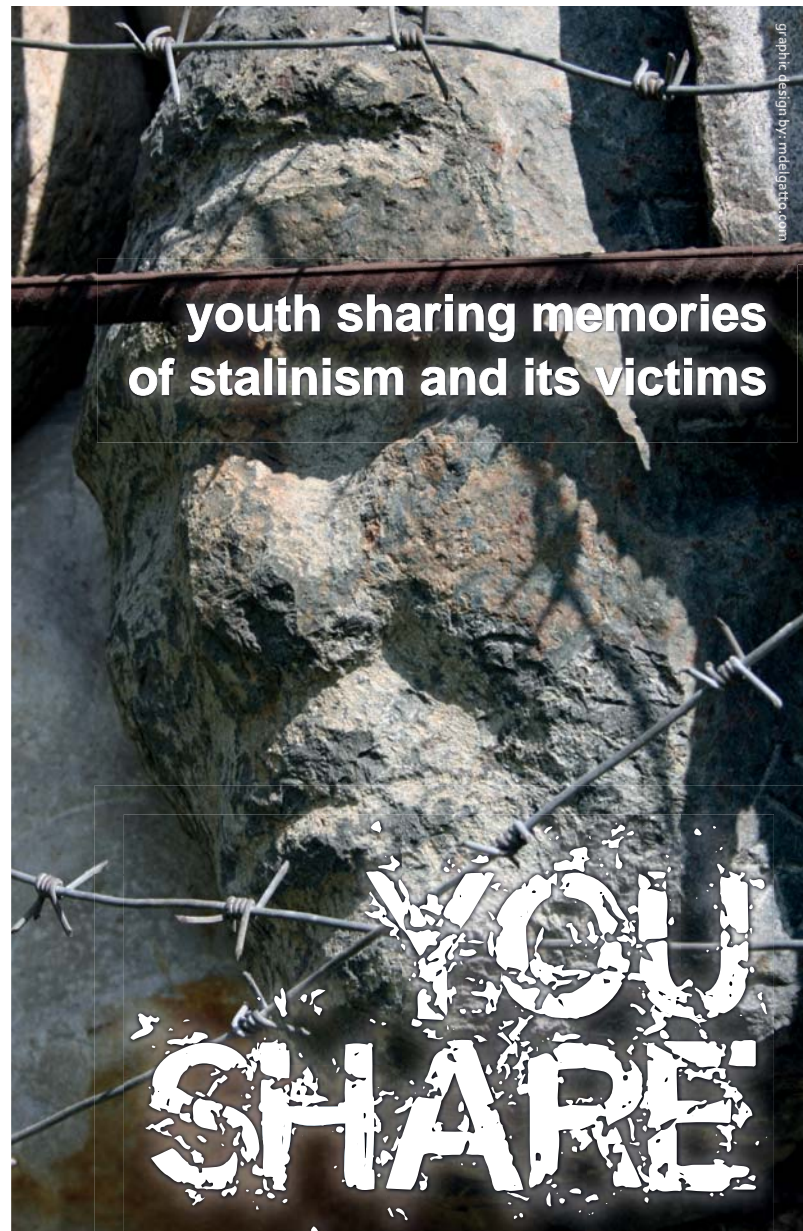
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Monday, September 27th

9:30 - 12:30 Opening Session

Chair:

Stefano Bianchini (University of Bologna)

Welcome Address

Germano Savorani (Town Councillor, Municipality of Faenza)

Introduction to You Share Project

Keynote Speech

Memory Studies and Mediators of Memory

Elena Lambertì (University of Bologna)

Stalin and Stalinism: its History and Memory

Egidijus Aleksandravičius (Vytautas Magnus University)

Short Documentary

With Much Love and Kisses (Anastasia Cherkassova, 2006)

Discussion

15:00 - 19:00 Afternoon Session

The Political-Cultural Constraints of Stalinism (part 1)

Denouncing Stalin, but Practising Stalinism: Two Aspects of the Yugoslav Case

Srđan Grbić (University of Zagreb)

Discussant: **Tvrtko Jakovina** (University of Zagreb)

Testimonies

Goli Otok: a Reflection of the Gulag and the Holocaust

Dragoslav Mihailović (writer, ex prisoner in Goli Otok, Belgrade)

Dunja Badnjević (writer of "L'Isola Nuda", Rome)

Discussion

The Influence of the Rajk's Trial on the Hungarian Foreign Policy in Late 1940s to Early 1950s.

Kaori Kimura (Lomonosov State University)

Discussant: **Stefano Bottoni** (Piemonte Orientale University)

Discussion

Tuesday, September 28th

9:30 - 12:30 Morning Session

The Political-Cultural Constraints of Stalinism (part 2)

The Albanian Radical Stalinism

Guest Speakers

Femi Sufaj (Albanian National Prison Administration, Tirana)

Fatos Lubonja (writer of "The Second Sentence: Inside the Albanian Gulag", Tirana)

Discussion

Short Documentary

Socialist Albania (Kino Studio "Shqipëria e Re")

Among Hatred and Cooperation: the Factor of Stalinist Foreign Policy in Lithuanian and Polish Debate in Emigration

Giedrė Milerytė (Vytautas Magnus University at Kaunas)

Discussant: **Carla Tonini** (University of Bologna)

Discussion

15:00 - 19:00 Afternoon Session

The Political-Cultural Constraints of Stalinism (part 3)

Institutional Greetings

Stanislav Vallo (Slovak Ambassador in Italy)

The Italian Paradox: Being Stalinists or Antistalinists and Victims of Stalinism

Stefano Bianchini (University of Bologna)

Testimonies

Also Italians From Istria Victims of Cominform

Giacomo Scotti (writer of "Goli Otok. Ritorno dall'Isola Calva e Goli Otok. Italiani nel Gulag di Tito", Rijeka/Fiume)

Marco Magnani (Banca d'Italia, Rome)

Being Part of a Persecuted Family: a Testimony from Slovakia

Marian Augustin Huska (former vice President of the Parliament of the Slovak Republic, Bratislava)

Discussion

Short Documentary

Prague Spring 1968. Soviet Tanks in Prague

Main Characteristics of Judicial System as Main Tool of Repression in Slovenia Between 1945 and 1951

Žiga Koncilija (University of Ljubljana)

Discussant: **Božo Repe** (University of Ljubljana)

Discussion

Wednesday, September 29th

9:00 - 13:00 Morning Session

Stalinism as a Mechanism of Coercion and Power System

Culture as Resistance: the Case of the Solovki Prison Camp and of its Inmates

Andrea Gullotta (University of Padova)

Discussant: **Francesco Benvenuti** (University of Bologna)

Guest speakers

Irina Flige (Director of Memorial, Saint-Petersburg)

Tatjana Pritykina (Memorial, Saint-Petersburg)

Discussion

Guest Speakers

De-Sovietisation of Ukrainian History: Conflicts over Conflicts.

Competing Memories through the Prism of Politics

Oleksandr Svyetlov (NGO "NBB! Don't be indifferent!", Kiev)

Short Documentary

The 1932-1933 Famine Genocide in Soviet Ukraine (University of Cincinnati)

"Freedom for Lithuania" or "Freedom for Hippies"? Nationalism, Youth Counterculture and De-Stalinization in Soviet Lithuania

Amanda Swain (University of Washington)

Discussant: **Egidijus Aleksandravičius** (Vytautas Magnus University)

Discussion

15:00 - 18:00 Afternoon Session

Censorship in Yugoslavia between 1945 and 1952: Halfway between Stalin and the West

Deniver Vukelić (University of Zagreb)

Discussant: **Tvrtko Jakovina** (University of Zagreb)

Discussion

Concluding Remarks