

IRELAND
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PROGRAMME



NARRATIVES OF ADHESION VS. SEPARATION

25.03. - 26.03.2024

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Monday

09.00h

Welcome Address
Dr. Manuel Becker, AIA NRW

Opening Remarks
Stephan Lewandowsky, University of Bristol; Fellow, AIA NRW

09.30h

Case Study Catalonia

It's the language, stupid: The use of the memory of the Spanish Civil War and Franco's dictatorship as a generator of pro-independence discourse in Catalonia

Paola Lo Cascio, Vice Director, Centre d'Estudis Històrics Internacionals, Universitat de Barcelona

Consensus to dissensus. From Catalanism to independence
Andrew Dowling, Reader in Spanish History, Cardiff University

11.00h

Coffee Break

11.30h

Case Study Ireland

Irish unification: The potential for deliberative models and processes
Jane Suiter, Professor of Political Communication & Director of the Institute for Future Media, Democracy and Society, Dublin City University

Subtraction or Addition? The future of Irish identities
Fintan O'Toole, Columnist with The Irish Times and Advising Editor of The New York Review of Books

13.00h

Lunch at "Rheinzeit"
Rheinzeit, Rheinallee 25c, 53173, Bonn-Bad Godesberg

14.00h

Case Study Ukraine

Donbas and Crimea in the strategic narratives of Ukraine and Russia (2014-2022)
Joanna Szostek, Senior Lecturer in Political Communication, University of Glasgow

Between pride and resentment: Identity and identity-building in Donbas
Tetyana Malyarenko, Professor of International Security and Jean Monnet Professor of European Security, National University Odessa Law Academy, Ukraine; Humboldt Fellow, University of Regensburg, Germany

15.30h

Coffee Break

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16.00h

Case Study Ukraine

Talking (in)security through history: How memory has been used for contesting Ukrainian sovereignty through the Russian-Ukrainian war

Mykola Makhortych, Alfred Landecker Lecturer, Institute of Communication and Media Research, University of Bern

The war in Ukraine and Russia's discourses of imperial identity

Vera Tolz, Sir William Mather Professor of Russian Studies, University of Manchester, UK

17.30h

Content Production of Videos and Transcripts

19.00h

Dinner

Bastei, Von-Sandt-Ufer 1, 53173, Bonn-Bad Godesberg

26.03.2024

Tuesday

09.00h

Fokus on Catalonia, the Netherlands and Ukraine

Synthesis and Overarching Themes

Stephan Lewandowsky, University of Bristol; Fellow AIA NRW

Jon Roozenbeek, Lecturer in Psychology and Security at the Department of War Studies at King's College London

10.00h

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