

Thursday, 17 September 2026

15:00–15:15 Welcome Rudolf Kučera (Masaryk Institute and Archives of the CAS, Prague)

15:15–16:30 Keynote Lecture Olivier Fillieule (University of Lausanne)

16:40–17:00 Coffee break

17:00–19:00 Panel 1: Protest Spaces

- **Alexandros Solomos Balatsoukas** (University of Giessen): The Pirate's Funeral: Maritime Protest, Oral Memory, and Consular Gaze in the Ottoman Greek World
- **Christopher Wendt** (Institute of Botany of the CAS, Brno): Forstfrevel: Rural Resistance to the "Modern Forest" in the Bohemian Lands, ca. 1830–1850
- **Cosmin-Ștefan Dogaru** (University of Bucharest): The 1907 Romanian Peasants' Revolt and the Grivița Strike of 1933 in the Press: Rural and Labor Discontent, Political Responses, and Consequences
- **Martin Klečacký** (Masaryk Institute and Archives of the CAS, Prague): Between Coal Pit, Workers' Colony and Imperial Border: The Ostrava-Karviná Coalfield as a Space of Protest and Police Experimentation in Late Habsburg Austria

19:15 Dinner

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9:00–10:30 Panel 2: Nation and Protest

- **Kajetan Stobiecki** (Masaryk Institute and Archives of the CAS, Prague): The Badeni Crisis beyond 1897: Exclusionary Violence in Pilsen in the Years 1900–1901
- **David Smrček** (Masaryk Institute and Archives of the CAS, Prague): Culture of "Ethnic" Protest in Prague, 1897–1934
- **Alexander Gogun** (Free University, Berlin): The Enigma of Mass Protest: How the Ukrainian Military Organization (UVO) Became the Most Powerful Party in Western Ukraine (1920–1939)

10:30–10:50 Coffee break

10:50–12:20 Panel 3: Gender and Protest

- **Judit Acsády** (Eötvös Loránd University, Budapest): Suffrage Campaign in the “Lady-like Manner”. The Case of the Activism of the Feminist Association in Hungary 1904–1918
- **Vincent Dold** (Humboldt University, Berlin): Revolution in the Age of Bureaucratic Modernity. How Changing Female Labor Market and Socialist Family Traditions Shaped the German Revolution and State Transformation, 1916 to 1923
- **Pavel Himl** (Charles University, Prague): Women and Men in the Lower-Class Protests in the Habsburg Monarchy at the Turn of the 18th and 19th Centuries

12:20–13:20 Lunch

13:20–14:50 Panel 4: Labor and Protest

- **Andrea Pokludová** (University of Ostrava): The Culture of Protest in Moravian Ostrava, 1918–1938: From Spontaneous Strikes to Organized Demonstrations
- **Michael Polák** (Charles University, Prague): The Material or Symbolic Power of Coal? The General Strike of Austrian Miners in 1900
- **Jakub Raška** (Institute of History of the CAS, Prague): Between Emotion and Negotiation: The Rationality of Early Labor Protest in the Habsburg Monarchy, 1815–1848

14:50–15:10 Coffee break

15:10–16:40 Panel 5: Protest and Ritual

- **Erkjad Kajo** (Aix-Marseille University): Staging Dissent: Protest, Ritual, and Political Mobilization in the Late Ottoman Balkans
- **Karel Šima** (Charles University, Prague): Ritual or Protest? Organized Spontaneity and the Performance of Politics in the Bohemian Lands, 1792–1890
- **Alma Hannig** (University of Bonn): Forgotten Masses: European Peace Movements and Transnational Peace Protest on the Eve of the First World War (1912–1913)

16:40–17:00 Concluding Remarks