

## Sexual Citizenship, Oral History, and the Archive in 1970s Central and Eastern Europe

University of Warsaw, September 20-22, 2018

### Thursday, September 20

14:00 Optional visit to *The POLIN Museum of the History of Polish Jews, ul. Mordechaja Anielewicza 6*

“The Muranów Lily”: audioguide art by **Benny Nemerofsky Ramsay**

*University of Warsaw Rectorate Building – Casimir Palace, Józef Brudziński room (ground floor), ul. Krakowskie Przedmieście 26/28*

17:00 Opening remarks by **Glyn Davis**, University of Edinburgh, CRUSEV Project Leader, and by **Fiona Anderson**, University of Newcastle, PI for the UK CRUSEV team

Lecture by **Franko Dota**, University of Rijeka

The Socialist Homosexual Citizen in Yugoslav Legal and Medical Debates (1960-1984)

(chaired by **Tomasz Basiuk**, University of Warsaw, PI for the Polish CRUSEV team)

Film screening by **Karol Radziszewski**, independent artist (Polish CRUSEV team member)

Afterimages / Kruzing (Powidoki / Kruzing)

followed by Q&A led by **Aleksandra Gajowy**, University of Newcastle

### Friday, September 21

*University of Warsaw, American Studies Center, Al. Niepodległości 22, room 116*

9:30 Lecture by **Dobrochna Kałwa**, University of Warsaw

In the Service of Herstory. Oral history and the construction of feminist collective memory in Poland

(chaired by **Sylvia Kuźma-Markowska**, University of Warsaw)

10:30 coffee break

11: panel session 1 (chaired by **Jędrzej Burszta**, University of Warsaw, Polish CRUSEV team member)

**Magdalena Staroszczyk**, University of Warsaw (Polish CRUSEV team member)

'No one talked about it': the paradox of lesbian identity in pre-1989 Poland

**Ladislav Zikmund-Lender**, Society of Queer Memory, Prague

'I Love Shakespeare's Sonnets and I am looking for someone to read them with.' The Role of Culture in Czechoslovak Queer Memories from the 1960s to 1980s

**Karolina Morawska**, University of Warsaw (Polish CRUSEV team member)

Images of queer men in the 1970s Poland – four portraits

12:30 lunch break

14: lecture by **Kateřina Liřková**, Masaryk University

Conceptualizing Socialist Sexual Citizenship. The case of male homosexuality and male sexual deviance in Czechoslovakia

(chaired by **Agnieszka Kořciańska**, University of Warsaw, Polish CRUSEV team member)

15: coffee break

15:30 – 17:30 panel session 2 (chaired by **Janin Afken**, Humboldt University Berlin, German CRUSEV team member)

**Agnieszka Kořciańska**, University of Warsaw (Polish CRUSEV team member)

"Currently, homosexuality is not considered a deviation, but a psychosexual otherness:"  
homosexuality, therapy, and sex education in late state socialist Poland

**David Kurkovskiy**, Fellow at the Centre of East European Studies, University of Warsaw

Gay sex "scandal" before gay went global: a closer look at the Soviet anti-sodomy law, international responses and "queer" cultural artifact in the case of Sergei Parajanov

**Jędrzej Burszta**, University of Warsaw (Polish CRUSEV team member)

Coming Out to a Queer Life: individual voices and urban queer networks in 1970s Poland

**Tomasz Basiuk**, University of Warsaw (Polish CRUSEV team PI)

Conceptualizing Male Homosexual Identity in 1970s Poland. Some findings from oral history interviews and from letters sent to HOSI Vienna

Saturday, September 22:

*University of Warsaw, American Studies Center, Al. Niepodleglości 22, room 116*

9:30 lecture by **Sarah Schulman**, The City University of New York

Let The Record Show: ACT UP and The Enduring Relationship of AIDS

(chaired by Juan Suárez, University of Murcia, PI for the Spanish CRUSEV team)

10:30 coffee break

11: panel session 3 (chaired by **Magdalena Staroszczyk**, University of Warsaw, Polish CRUSEV team member)

**Aleksandra Gajowy**, Newcastle University

The Palace and The Toilet: Cruising queer desire in the urban space of socialist Poland

**Błażej Warkocki**, Adam Mickiewicz University (Polish CRUSEV team member)

*Transgresje* as a Queer Archive in the Context of Narratives About Pre-1989 Poland

**Mateusz Król**, University of Silesia

Queens and Faggots, Petites Folles et Pedales – what happens when *Lubiewo* is translated into English and French?

18:00 Performance by **Agnieszka Kościańska** and **Benny Nemerofsky Ramsay**.

“You, doctor, are my only rescue! Jest pan, panie doktorze, jedynym ratunkiem!”

*Duży Pokój, ul. Warecka 4/6 (enter from ul.Kubusia Puchatka)*



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