Rethinking the European City: New Conceptions and the Living Heritage

26 April 2019 (BME)
Venue: Budapest University of Technology and Economics
1111 Budapest, Műegyetem rkp. 5. “K” Central Building K210

9:00-9:10 Ferenc Hörcher (NKE, MTA), Borbála Jász (MTA, BME), welcome address
9:10-10:10 Keynote speech:

Shane Epting: On Flourishing in the City
President, Philosophy of the City Research Group
Visiting Assistant Professor, University of Nevada, Las Vegas
Assistant Professor of Philosophy, Missouri University of Science and Technology

10:10-10:30 Discussion
10:30-11:00 coffee break

1. Panel, chair: Ferenc Hörcher (English)
11:00-11:30 Branko Cavric (University of Botswana, University of Zadar): New Concepts and the Living Heritage of Croatian Coastal Cities: The Case of Zadar
11:30-12:00 Domonkos Wettstein (BME): From Different Positions on Urbanising Landscapes: Contradictions Between Urbanization and Autonomy in Switzerland based on Recent Architecture Debates
12:00-12:30 Sándor Földvári (UNIDEB): The Baltic City between Central Europe and Nordic (Scandinavian) Trends: Tradition and Modernism in Literature and Culture
12:30-12:45 Discussion
12:45-14:00 lunch

2. Panel, chair: Domonkos Wettstein (English)
14:00-14:30 Peter Biczok (Bicyclize, Amsterdam): Instead of Driverless Cars We Need Cities with More Carless Drivers
14:30-15:00 Andor Wesselényi-Garay (METU): From Stars to Hipsters: Urbanistic Paradigm Shift in Budapest from 1990 to Present Day
15:00-15:30 Annamária Babos (BME): Common City Conceptions: Benefits of Cooperative Urban Initiatives and the Potential of Co-Housing Developments in the Case of Budapest
15:30-15:45 Discussion
15:45-16:00 Coffee break

3. Panel, chair: Béla Mester (English)
16:00-16:30 Gábor Kovács (MTA): City and Utopia – the Ecological Regionalism of Lewis Mumford
16:30-17:00 Sándor Weninger (NKE): The Role of Settlement Identity in Visual Campaign Strategy
17:00-17:30 Borbála Jász (MTA, BME): Navigating the City: Architectural Communication and the Readable City
17:30-17:45 Discussion
27 April 2019 (MTA)
Venue: Hungarian Academy of Sciences
Research Centre for Humanities, Institute of Philosophy
H1094 Budapest, Tóth Kálmán u. 4. 7th floor, Trapéz room

9:00-9:15 Ferenc Hörcher (NKE, MTA), Borbála Jász (MTA, BME), welcome address

1. panel, chair: Shane Epting (English)
9:15-9:45 Ferenc Hörcher (NKE, MTA) – Iwona Tylek (Jagiellonian University, Kraków) The political philosophy of the European city: a Research Project
9:45-10:15 Béla Mester (MTA): Urbanitas, Ethnogogia and Common Sense
10:15-10:30 Discussion

10:30-11:00 coffee break

2. panel, chair: Borbála Jász (Hungarian)
11:00-11:30 Laczkó-Albert Elemér (UNIDEB, Gyergyóremete): Polgárosodás és parasztalanodás egy székely faluban
11:30-12:00 Körmendy Imre (MUT): Gondolatmorzsák a városi identitásról
12:00-12:15 Discussion

12:15-13:00 closing discussion
13:00- lunch

Organisers
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