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**CONSTRUCTION AND DECONSTRUCTION OF NATIONALISM AND REGIONALISM:
A LONG JOURNEY TO EUROPE**

Trieste, Italy

October 1-2, 2009

Thursday, 1st October 2009

8.30 Registration

9.00 Welcoming Addresses

9.30 – 11.00

Chairperson: Prof. Milan Bufon (University of Koper/Capodistria, Slovenia)

Maria Paola Pagnini (University of Trieste)

The role of geographers in national and regional drives

Milan Bufon (University of Koper/Capodistria, Slovenia)

Multicultural regions and contact areas in the context of European integration

Ilan Gur-Ze'ev (University of Haifa, Israel)

Nationalism today in face of new possibilities and new threats

Giacomo Corna Pellegrini (University of Milan)

Globalization and local identities

Gianfranco Battisti (University of Trieste)

Globalization reshaping regionalization

Augusto Leggio (Expert, Rome)

Financial crisis roots, reasons, drawbacks and opportunities

11.00 – 11.30

Coffee Break

11.30 – 13.00

Chairperson: Prof. Michel Korinman (University of Sorbonne-Paris IV, France)

Anton Gosar (University of Koper/Capodistria, Slovenia)

Developing a multinational tourist product in the Alpen-Adria Region – an attempt

Peter Jordan (University of Wien, Austria)

Beyond national and regionalist ideas: the Adriatic space as a network and cultural region

Damir Josipovič (University of Ljubljana, Slovenia)

Constructing the ethnic identity in Istria: shifting between Slovenianness and Croatianness

Monica Camuffo, Stefano Soriani, Gabriele Zanetto (University of Venice)

Local initiatives for marine protection within the integrated management of the North Adriatic Sea

Antonio Mininno (University of Bari)

Adriatic interregional relations

Alessandro Gallo (University of Venice)

Turkey and its mediterranean role

Maurizio Scaini (University of Trieste)
The Italian perception of the Turkish EU-candidacy

13.15 – 14.30
Lunch

14.30 – 15.45
Chairperson: Prof. Martin Seger (University of Klagenfurt, Austria)

Francesco Adamo (University of Piemonte Orientale)
Processes of regionalization of the world geo-system

Alexandru Ilies, Vasile Grama (University of Oradea, Romania)
Geographical management in borderland areas

Norbert Weixlbaumer (University of Wien, Austria)
Regional and transborder cooperation – the case of the Austro-Hungarian border

Carlo Donato (University of Sassari)
Transition of the north –eastern boundary in the 20th century

Maria Paradiso (University of Sannio)
Globalization and sovereignty: Google, a Megaproject on a Earth and its relevant geopolitical implications

15.45 – 16.15
Coffee Break

16.15 – 17.30
Chairman: Prof. Giacomo Corna Pellegrini (University of Milan)

Filip Tunjić (University of Koper/Capodistria, Slovenia)
Toward still one national state in the South-eastern Europe, the European Laboratory of social and spatial integration and disintegration?

Antonio Violante (University of Milan)
Bosnia and Herzegovina: Europe's longest post-war phase

Rahman Nurković & Haris Gekić (University of Sarajevo, Bosnia and Herzegovina)
Development of economy of Bosnia and Herzegovina in Europe nowadays

Halid Kurtović (University of Sarajevo, Bosnia and Herzegovina)
General features of railway traffic in Bosnia and Herzegovina

Cătălina Ancuta (University of Oradea, Romania)
Structures and instruments for regional development: study case Romania

Friday, 2nd October

9.30 – 11.00

Chairperson: Prof. Teresa Amodio (University of Salerno)

Pierluigi Campregher (University of Trieste)

The Italian-Yugoslavian Border Commission 1977-1980: a successful example of border problem solving

Teresa Amodio (University of Salerno)

Campania: a long journey from the Kingdom of Naples to the European Union

Karen Ziener and Dipl. Geogr. Roswitha Ruidisch (University of Klagenfurt, Austria)

European funding of crossborder cooperations – is there more than money?

Marco Adamo (University of Trieste)

Regionalism and Geo-economics: the role of natural gas for Europe

Giuseppe Borruso (University of Trieste)

Border effect and transport infrastructures in Europe. Scale, spatial separation and infrastructures

Ivan Matejak (University of Trieste)

The rise of nationalism in post Cold-War Europe and regional paradigms

Giangiacomo Vale (University of Trieste)

Philosophic principles of regionalism

11.00 – 11.30

Coffee Break

11.30- 12.30

Chairperson: Prof. Maurizio Scaini (University of Trieste)

Gabriela Popoviciu (University of Oradea, Romania)

The evaluation of the transnational cooperation in Pradea-Debrecen Region

Bernardo Cardinale, Fabio Vallarola (University of Teramo)

Regional and transborder cooperation: Marine Protected Areas as European Adriatic challenge

Rosella Reverdito (University of Milan)

Transborder cooperation in Adriatic area

Maura Parisi (University of Trieste)

Nationalism and communitarism in Syria

Marco De Marchi (University of Trieste)

A glance to nationalism: some reflections and solutions in the Balkans

Andrea Burro (University of Trieste)

Myth and culture in the Adriatic identity

The following contributions will be published in the proceedings of the conference:

Giuliana Andreotti (University of Trento)

Passé et avenir de la région tyrolienne

Ernesto Mazzetti (University of Naples)

Geopolitical notes on disunity threats 150 years after Italian unity: Mezzogiorno case study

Giuseppe Scanu (University of Sassari)

Representation of regional space and de-materialization of borders between cartographic perspectives and geopolitical virtualizations

Daniele Ungaro (University of Teramo)

Impact of globalization. The transformation of the middle class and the rising of low cost society

Marta Zorko (University of Zagreb)

The importance of open-border issues in International Relations: case study of former Yugoslavia