

Remembering World War I

COST Workshop organized by Simone Lässig (GEI, Germany) and Laurence van Ypersele (UCL, Belgium) in the framework of COST Action IS1205 “*Social Psychological Dynamics of Historical Representations in the Enlarged European Union*”

27 – 29 January 2014 Georg-Eckert-Institut Celler Straße 3 38114 Braunschweig

Program

27. January

- 17:30 Arrival/Registration
- 18:30 Public Keynote Lecture by Jay Winter (Yale University): *Commemoration and the turn away from war 1914-2014*
- 20:00 Buffet

28. January

- 9:00-9:30 Opening
- 9:30-13:00 Session 1: **Remembering WWI in Societies**

- Laurence Van Ypersele (Université Catholique de Louvain/COST): *The Evolution of the Memory of World War I in Belgium*
- Emilia Salvanou (University of Athens/COST): *The firework of memories. Greece's entanglement in the First World War*

Coffee Break

- Bernard Rimé (Université Catholique de Louvain/COST): *Commemorating WWI - The Impact on Ordinary People*
- Michael Roper (University of Essex/EXTERN): *Reflections of WWI in the Professional Discourses of Interwar Psychology and Pedagogy*

- 13:00-14:30 Lunch

- 14:30-18:00 Session 2: **Remembering WWI in Informal Media**

- Luigi Cajani (University of Rome La Sapienza/COST): *The War of the Victims: Italian Memories of the Great War*
- Rosa Cabecinhas & Isabel Macedo (Universidade do Minho/COST): *Representations of WWI in Portuguese Blogs*

Coffee Break

- Maja Simonovska & Emilija Stoimenova-Canevska (International Balkan University/COST): *Representations of WWI in Macedonian Social Media*
- Istvan Cserto & Tibor Polya (Hungarian Academy of Science/COST): *The Traumatic Ending of WWI in Social Discourses in Hungary*

- 19:00 Dinner

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29. January

9:00-12:30

**Session 3: WWI in Formal Media and Contexts of Learning:
History School Textbooks and Classroom Practices**

- Barbara Christophe & Kerstin Schwedes (GEI/COST): *An Exercise in Multiperspectivity: German Students Responses to a Teaching Unit Based on Textbook Representations of WWI in 18 Different Countries*
- Denise Bentrovato (GEI/COST): *Representations of WWI in African Textbooks*