



משרד ראש הממשלה

המועצה הציבורית להנצחת זכרו של בנימין זאב
הרצל

Theodor Herzl Seminar Masaryk University 13-17 July 2014

Venue: Masaryk University Center Telč, Náměstí Zachariáše z Hradce 2, Telč,
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Program:

Sunday, July 13: Arrival

9:15 – Pick up at the Schwechat Airport (flight LY 361, landing 8.50), transfer to Telč (approx. 3 hours)
Approx. 12:00 – Check in to the accommodation
13:00 – Lunch at the Café
14:30 – Tour of Telč
16:30 – Visit to Telč chateau
19:00 – Welcome reception at the U Hraběnky restaurant
21:00 – *World Cup final (optional)*

Monday, July 14: Leadership and inspiration of Herzl and Masaryk (and Třebíč)

7:30 – 9.00 – Breakfast
9:00 – Presentation “*Theodor Herzl and the Bahá’í Faith – influence, Inspiration, relation?*” (Shay Rozen)
10:30 – Presentation “*Tilting at Windmills*”: *Masaryk’s Role in the Hilsner Affair*” (Kristýna Kuboňová)
12:00 – Lunch (at the university cafeteria)
13:00 – Presentation “*What should Israelis learn from Czech experience*” (Gal Amir)
15:00 – Trip to Třebíč – Jewish Town, Jewish Cemetery, and St. Prokopius basilica
19:00 – Dinner in the Resturant Coqpit in Třebíč

Tuesday, July 15: Nationalism reflected in literature and economics (and Jindřichův Hradec)

7:30 – 9.00 – Breakfast
9:00 – Presentation “*Representations of Space and Vision in the Fiction of Yehoshua Kenaz and Yeshayahu Koren*” (Chen Strass)

10:30 – Presentation “Beginning of nationalism and romanticism in the Czech 19th century literature” (Markéta Špačková)
 12:00 – Lunch
 13:00 – Presentation “*Discrimination, Identity and Labor Market Signaling: Name Changers in the Early 20th Century Budapest*” (Attila Gaspar)
 15:00 – Trip to Jindřichův Hradec
 16.30 – visit to the chateau
 19:00 – BBQ in the restaurant U Hraběnky
 20.00 – Presentation “*Fighting for inner peace to make our local world better*” (Aleš Neusar)

Wednesday, July 16: National memory, State building and state ideology (and Slavonice)

7:30 – 9.00 – Breakfast
 9:00 – Presentation “*The Demjanjuk Affair in Israel 1986-1993: History – Trial – Memory*” (Tamir Hod)
 10:30 – Presentation “*Authoritarian State-building and Ideology in Contemporary Russia: Between Sovereign Democracy and Conservatism*” (Dmitry Kortukov)
 12:00 – Lunch
 13:00 – Presentation “*China's Democracy Prospects: Feasible Way to a Peaceful Great Power?*” (Richard Turcsányi)
 14:30 – Trip to Slavonice
 20:00 – Dinner U Hraběnky (Telč)

Thursday, July 17: Identity: people, nations, relations (and Znojmo)

7:30 – 9.00 – Breakfast
 9:00 – Presentation “*Assessing the importance of National and National Anthems in Identity driven Conflicts*” (Maya Hadar)
 10:30 – Presentation “*Taiwan identity and its implication for Cross-strait relation*” (Veronika Končíková)
 12:00 – Lunch
 13:15 – Departure
 14:30 – Visit to Znojmo
 16:30 – Departure for the airport (scheduled arrival to the airport at 18.15)
 20:30 – Departure for Tel Aviv (flight LY 364)

Participants:

Shay Rozen	University of Haifa	Attila Gaspar	Central European
Chen Strass	Ben-Gurion University of	University	
the Negev		Amir Peleg	Ben-Gurion University of
Gal Amir	University of Haifa	the Negev	
Maya Hadar	University of	Aleš Neusar	Palacký University
Konstanz/University of Haifa		Richard Turcsányi	Masaryk University
Dmitry Kortukov	Hebrew University	Veronika Končíková	Masaryk University
Markéta Špačková	Masaryk University		
Kristýna Kuboňová	Masaryk University	Don Sparling	
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