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### Conference Program

14<sup>th</sup> of September

#### 9.30 Opening

##### Aim of the conference

Remus Anghel, National University of Political Studies and Public Administration (SNSPA), Romania & Romanian Institute for Research on National Minorities (ISPMN)

Roxana Bărbulescu, University of Leeds, UK

Vesalon Lucian, West University Timișoara, Romania

#### 09.45 – 10.45 Keynote speech. Emptiness or abundance: Who comes after we leave?

Dace Dzenovka, PhD, Oxford University, UK

10.45 – 11.00 coffee break

11.00 – 11.30 Land use and migration. Research avenues, older visions, new challenges

#### 11.30 – 13.30 Agricultural seasonal workers. Migration processes and social inequality

Hypermobility, belonging and food systems in rural heartlands

Roxana, Bărbulescu, University of Leeds, UK

Romanian migrant workers in the German agri-food industry facing Covid-19 lockdown measures as a tool of control and profit increasing

Alex Liță, Babeș Bolyai University (BBU), Romania

Seasonal migration of Roma from Ojdula (Covasna county) and the challenges of social integration

Valer Veres, BBU, Romania

Agriculture for the Roma population - risk factor or resource for strengthening the family relational system and community development

Coman, Sorina Georgeta, "Lucian Blaga" University of Sibiu (ULBS), Romania

Discipline and Envy: Roma Labor, Seasonal Migration and their Effects in Romanian rural communities

Cosma, Valer Simion, ULBS, Romania

### **13.30 – 14.30 Lunch**

### **14.30 – 15.10 Agriculture seasonal workers. Media reflections at home and abroad**

Mobile agricultural worker in German local media discourse

Fausser Margit, Linsel, Nick University of Ruhr-Bochum, Germany

The COVID-19 pandemic as an opportunity to bring the migration of agricultural workers into focus through media coverage

Monica Șerban, Research Institute for Quality of Life Romanian Academy (ICCV); Alin Croitoru, ULBS, Romania

### **15.10 – 15.20 coffee break**

### **15.30 – 16.30 Return to and from agriculture. Processes**

Reintegration into labour market upon return migration. The Case of Romanians who worked abroad in agriculture

Croitoru, Alin, Vlase, Ionela, ULBS, Romania

Home for the Harvest: Return migration and domestic agriculture in Bistrița-Năsăud county

Bridget Kelly Vincz, Ann Arbor Michigan, USA

Between Transnationalism and Return Migration: Practices in Rural Areas of Bulgaria

Nuri Korkmaz, Bursa Technical University, Turkey

### **16.30 – 16.45 coffee break**

### **16.45 – 18.30 Return to and from agriculture. Innovations**

Training to stay, training to return. Two innovative schools in the Italian Alps, fostering “restanza” and new peopling in mountain areas  
Andrea Membretti, University of Turin – DGPS; Caterina Salvo, Ass. Riabitare l’Italia, Italy

Urban and rural return migrants as agents of change: The patterns of intangible remittance transfer in Kosovo  
Janine Pinkow Laepple, Arjola Arapi-Gjini, Judith Moellers, Leibnitz Institute for Agricultural Development in Transition Economies (IAMO), Halle, Germany

*We no longer need water from the state anyway!* Pendular return migration, occupational channelling and agricultural skills transfers among Romanian migrants  
Iancu, Bogdan, SNSPA, Romania

Exploring sustainable entrepreneurship drivers for Albanian women returned migrant entrepreneurs in the agricultural sector  
Denada Lica; Oliana Sula, “Aleksandër Moisiu” Durrës University, Albania

**18.30 free time**

**20.00 dinner in the garden**

## 15<sup>th</sup> of September

**10.00 – 11.00 Keynote Speech. Second nature beyond the city: New York City and water-grabbing since the 1830s**

Liviu Chelcea, PhD, University of Bucharest, Romania

**11.00 – 11.15 coffee break**

**11.15 – 12.00 Wars, dictatorships and agriculture migration**

On Belarusian villagers’ destinations and village destinies

Aleh Ivanou, IAMO, Germany

Natural resources, labour migration and transnational connections in the rural mountain area. Ethnography of the Carpathian countryside  
Ignacy Józwiak, University of Warsaw (UW); Tomasz Kosiek, University of Rzeszów; Kamila Fiałkowska, UW, Poland

**12.00 – 13.00 Land, hipsters and utopian futures**

Economies of escaped futures. A study of how people settle

Püsök Imola, University of Göttingen, Germany

“Hipster Farmers”, DIY agriculture, and Rural Migration: Land Usage in Times of Neo-Peasantry  
Maria Trifon, National Institute for Cultural Research and Training, Bucharest, Romania

### **13.14.30 Lunch**

#### **14.30 – 16.15 Stayers, movers and transformations of agriculture relations**

Liquid Lands: Intergenerational Changes in Agricultural Work in a Transylvanian Region  
Bakos Áron, BBU, Romania & Museum of Ethnography Budapest, Hungary

"Land for all". A comparative analysis of land capitalisation and assetization strategies in a village in the Oltenia region  
Papasima Răzvan, SNSPA, Romania

Agricultural associations or family farming? The transformation of agriculture in Satu Mare region from the regime change to the present  
Szilagyí Levente, Research Centre for the Humanities, Institute of Ethnology, Budapest, Hungary

Agricultural labor relations and the impact of labor shortage through the example of a Hungarian horticulture family enterprise  
Vigvári, András, Németh, Krisztina, Centre for Economic and Regional Studies, Budapest, Hungary

#### **16.15 – 16.30 coffee break**

#### **16.30 – 17.30 Final Debate Land use and migration – key points and take away message**

#### **Coffee in the garden**

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