ADALBERT CSERNI AND HIS CONTEMPORARIES

The Pioneers of Archaeology in Alba Iulia and Beyond

CONFERENCE BOOKLET

Alba Iulia
2016
SHORT PROGRAM OF THE CONFERENCE

14th April
Arrival and accommodation of the guests in Hotel Parc

15th April
9:00 Registration of the participants (UAB)
10:00 Opening ceremony
10:30 Keynote lecture
11:00-13:00 Panel I: “The life and work of Cserni”
13:00-15:00 Lunch
15:00-17:00 Panel I: “The life and work of Cserni”
17:00-17:15 Coffee break
17:15-19:30 Panel II: “Social and academic network of the pioneers of archaeology”
20:00 Dinner

16th April
9:00-11:00 Panel II: “Social and academic network of the pioneers of archaeology”
11:00-11:15 Coffee break
11:15-12:15 Panel II: “Social and academic network of the pioneers of archaeology”
12:15-13:00 Book presentation
13:00-15:00 Lunch
15:00-17:30 Panel III: “The beginnings of urban archaeology”
17:30-17:45 Coffee break
17:45-19:45 Panel III: “The beginnings of urban archaeology”
20:00 Dinner

17th April

9:00-11:00 Panel IV: “From antiquarian collections to the first museums”
11:00-11:15 Coffee break
11:30-12:30 Opening of the temporary exhibition dedicated to Adalbert Cserni and Ioan Berciu at the National Museum of Union, Alba Iulia
13:00-14:30 Lunch
15:00-16:00 Departure at the Sâncraiu Castle, Alba county
16:15-17:30 Panel IV “From antiquarian collections to the first museums”
17:30-17:45 Coffee break
17:45 -19:00 Guided tour of Sâncraiu Castle
20:00 Official reception of the National Museum of Union at “Crama Domeniile Boieru” Ciumbrud

18th April

9:00-11:00 Panel V: “Nationalism and other ideologies”
11:00-11:15 Coffee break
11:15-12:30 Panel V: “Nationalism and other ideologies”
12:30-13:00 **Closing conference**
13:00-14:00 Lunch
14:00-18:00 Guided tour through the Vauban fortification, National Museum of Union exhibitions, the Apor Palace and the Batthyaneum Library (in two groups)

**19th April**

Departure of the participants

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**DETAILED PROGRAM OF THE CONFERENCE**

**THURSDAY, 14TH APRIL**

Arrival and accommodation of the guests in Hotel Parc (see on the map)

**FRIDAY, 15TH APRIL**

9:00 **Registration** (“1 Decembrie 1918” University of Alba Iulia)
10:00 **Opening ceremony** (“1 Decembrie 1918” University of Alba Iulia)
   Welcome speech of Prof. dr. Daniel Breaz, Rector of the University
   Welcome speeches of the Organising Committee
10:30 **Keynote lecture**
   **Prof. dr. Philip Freeman, University of Liverpool**: The consequences of Francis Haverfield’s visit East of Vienna in the 1880’s

11:00-13:00 Panel I. **“The life and work of Cserni: new perspectives in the research”**; Chair: Heinrich Zabehlicky


Radu Ota (National Museum of Union, Alba Iulia, RO): Adalbert Cserni and the Roman provincial art. Some case studies from Apulum.

13.00-15:00 Lunch (Hotel Parc Restaurant)

15.00-17:00 Panel I. ”The life and work of Cserni: new perspectives in the research”; Chair: Viorica Rusu-Bolindeț

Ioan Oprea (“Alexandru Ioan Cuza” University, Iași, RO): Adalbert Cserni and the first records of worked bones from Apulum.

Călin Șuteu (“1 Decembrie 1918” University, Alba Iulia, RO): Adalbert Cserni’s photographs from the museum archives to a new digital life.


Eszter Istvánovits (Jósa András Museum, Nyíregyháza, HU): András Jósa and his contemporaries.

17.00-17:15 Coffee break

17:15-19:30 Panel II. “Social and academic network of the pioneers of archaeology in the Belle Époque (1867-1918)”; Chair: Eszter Istvánovits


**Ancuța Bobină** (‘1 Decembrie 1918’ University, Alba Iulia, RO): *Anthropomorphic and zoomorphic clay figurines from the Zsófia Torma collection as published by Márton Roska.*

**Vladislav Sobolev** (Saint-Petersburg State University, Archaeological Laboratory, RU): *People and destinies. Pioneers of Medieval archaeology in the North-West of the Russian Empire (1870-1914).*


**Ioan Bejinariu** (County Museum of History and Art, Zalău, RO): *Fetzer J. Ferenc – a pioneer of archaeology in Sălaj.*

**20.00 Dinner** (Hotel Parc Restaurant)

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**SATURDAY, 16TH APRIL**

University “1 Decembrie 1918”, Alba Iulia

**9:00-11:00** Panel II. “*Social and academic network of the pioneers of archaeology in the Belle Époque (1867-1918)*”; Chair: Mihai Gligor

**Adrienn Vitári-Wéber** (University of Pécs, HU): *Juhász László (1842-1911). A pioneer of archaeology and antiquarian as founder of the museum of Pécs.*

**Sándor Berecki – Emese Hompolth – Dorottya Nyulas** (Mures County Museum/ “Babeș-Bolyai “University, RO): *A heritage: the life and legacy of Endre Orosz (1871-1945).*

**Kirill Gusev** (Department of Archaeology of State Historical Museum, Moscow, RU): *Visit of D.N. Anuchin in Europe (1877-1879) and international collaboration in archaeology and physical anthropology.*

**Olivér Gábor** (Janus Pannonius Museum, Pécs, HU): *Szőnyi Óttó’s time capsule from 1903.*

**11.00-11:15 Coffee break**
11:15-12:15 Panel II. “Social and academic network of the pioneers of archaeology in the Belle Époque (1867-1918)”; Chair: Mihai Gligor

Dumitru Țeicu (Mountan Museum of Banat, Reșița, RO): Leonard Böhm’s field research on Roman period in Banat.


12:15-13:00 Book presentation:

13:00-15:00 Lunch (Hotel Parc Restaurant)

15:00-17:30 Panel III “The beginnings of urban archaeology in Europe and its impact on modern scholarship”; Chair: Philip Freeman


Britta Burkhardt (“Babeș-Bolyai” University, Cluj-Napoca, RO): The beginnings of the study of bathing in Roman Dacia: the scholars and their discoveries in the 19th century.

Cristina Alexandrescu (Archaeological Institute “Vasile Pârvan” of the Romanian Academy, Bucharest, RO): The French Archaeological Mission from 1865 in the Romanian Principalities: aims, methods and priorities.

Florin Fodorean (“Babeș-Bolyai” University, Cluj-Napoca, RO): Roman sites recorded by Téglás István in the territorium Potaissense.
17:30-17:45 Coffee break

17:45-19:45 Panel III “The beginnings of urban archaeology in Europe and its impact on modern scholarship”; Chair: Philip Freeman

Alexandra Teodor (UAUIM, București, RO): Dawn of urban archaeology on the streets of Constanța. A preliminary research on its antique built structures.

Ana Hamat (Mountan Museum of Banat, Reșița): The tales about Tibiscum written by the priest Iosif Mircea.

Julien Trapp (Musée de La Cour d’Or, Metz Métropole, FR): Johann Baptist Keune and Metz Museums (Moselle, France). The birth of modern archaeology in the annexed region of Lorraine (1892-1918).

Eszter Istvánovits presenting the short film documentary: the life and work of András Jósa

20.00 Dinner (Hotel Parc Restaurant)

SUNDAY, 17TH APRIL

University “1 Decembrie 1918”, Alba Iulia

9:00-11:00 Panel IV “From antiquarian collections to the first museums: new perspectives in museum studies”; Chair: Cristina-Georgeta Alexandrescu

Szilamér Pánczél – Zalán Győrfi (Mureș County Museum, Târgu Mureș, RO): The archaeological collection of Kovács Ferencz.

Bodó Cristina (Museum of Dacian and Romanian Civilisation, Deva, RO): Archaeological excavations undertaken by the members of the Society of History and Archaeology of Hunedoara County.
Evgenia Zastrozhnova (Archive of RAS, Sanct-Petersburg, RU): Archaeological materials from the excavations of Phanagoria (19th century in the collection of the State Historical Museum (Moscow).

Delia Cornea (MINA, Constanța, RO): Unpublished testimonies about the beginnings of Dobrudjan museology in late 19th century.

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Marius Ciută ("Lucian Blaga" University, Sibiu, RO): An imaginary archaeological appeal to a finished judiciary case: the Hercules Apulensis 2013.

17:30-17:45 Coffee break

17:45 -19:00 Guided tour of Sâncraiu Castle

20:00 Official reception of the National Museum of Union at “Crama Domeniile Boieru” Ciumbrud
MONDAY, 18TH APRIL
“1 Decembrie 1918” University, Alba Iulia

9:00-11.00  Panel V. “Nationalism and other ideologies in the 19th century archaeological discourse”; Chair: Orsalya Láng

Heinrich Zabehlicky (Archaeological Institute of Austria, Vienna): A political research history: the case of Bruckneudorf between Hungary and Austria.

Dávid Petruț - Ervin Gáll (Mureș County Museum, Târgu Mures/Archaeological Institute “Vasile Pârvan”of the Romania Academy, Bucharest, RO): From aristocratic internationalism to romantic nationalism. Notes on the ideological background of antiquarian and archaeological activities in 19th century Transylvania.

Maria Medvedeva (Scientific Archive Institute for the History of Material Culture, Saint Petersburg, RU): Imperial Archaeological Commission (1859-1919) and the national system of archaeological investigations in Russia.


11:00-11:15  Coffee break

11:15-12:30  Panel V. “Nationalism and other ideologies in the 19th century archaeological discourse”; Chair: Orsalya Láng

Béla Santa (University of Liverpool, UK): “Sexism” in the 19th century Hungarian archaeology. The case of Zsófia Torma.

Corina I. Borș - Irina Achim (National History Museum of Romania/“Vasile Pârvan” Archaeological Institute, Bucharest, RO): From
antiquarianism to archaeology in Romania. The beginnings of the national legislation for the protection of archaeological heritage.

Mariana Egri – Aurel Rustoiu (“Babeș-Bolyai” University/Institute of Archaeology and History of Art, Cluj-Napoca, RO): Empire and imperialism in Romanian archaeology.

12:30-13:00 Conclusions and final discussiona. Chair: Philip Freeman.

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TUESDAY, 19TH APRIL

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