



INTERNATIONAL SUMMER SCHOOL FOR DEMOCRACY

2006 Course

NATIONALISM AND
DEMOCRACY

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University of Westminster**

present The Ninth

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Organisers

The School is organized by the Centre for the Study of Democracy of the University of Westminster, London and the Anglo-Serbian Society, Belgrade.

The co Directors of the School are:

1. Prof. Vukasin Pavlovic, Faculty of Political Science, Belgrade and
2. Prof. Margaret Blunden, Professor Emeritus of the University of Westminster.

The School's Council is composed of two co-directors and additional three members:

1. Prof. Vojislav Stanovic, Corresponding member of the Serbian Academy;
2. Dr. Simon Joss, Director of the Centre for the Study of Democracy;
3. Prof. Christopher Coker, London School of Economics and
4. Dr. Slobodan Markovich, Executive Director of the Summer School.

The Background of the Idea

The School was originally organised by the Faculty of Political Science of the University of Belgrade and the University of Westminster. This annual summer school has been held since 1998. A group of professors from the Faculty of Political Science (FPS), University of Belgrade led by Prof. Vukasin Pavlovic, and The Centre for the Study of Democracy, University of Westminster, London (CSD), led by Prof. John Keane, established the International Summer School for Democracy, to be organised every year. The School was originally called *The Yugoslav-British Summer School for Democracy*, but was later re-named *The International Summer School for Democracy*. Due to the repressive Bill on Education enacted during the reign of former Yugoslav dictator Slobodan Milosevic, the School was placed under organisational control of the Anglo-Yugoslav Society and the Centre for the Study of Democracy, who have directed it since 1999. In 2004 the Anglo-Yugoslav Society changed its name to the Anglo-Serbian Society.

This School was established after several years of successful academic co-operation between scholars from CSD and FPS. Results of the joint research project THE SUPPRESSED CIVIL SOCIETY (during 1994 and 1995), as well as joint meetings on CIVIL SOCIETY, WAR AND PEACE (London, February 1996), and UNIVERSITY, SOCIETY AND DEMOCRACY (Budva, March 1997) established that interest, willingness and capacities for joint efforts do exist to improve and develop co-operation in teaching and research processes in the field of

political science with a special stress on problems of democracy and political and social changes. The International Summer School for Democracy is one of the very important forms of this co-operation.

- The 1998 course was: Democracy and Social Change
- The 1999 course was: Modernity and the State – East, West (Civil Society and Good Governance)
- The 2000 course was: The Democratic Reconstruction of South-Eastern Europe
- The 2001 course was: Good Governance – Globalism and Localism
- The 2002 course was: Consolidation of New Democracies
- The 2003 course was: Democracy, Globalisation and Security
- The 2004 course was: Globalisation, the European Union and the Western Balkans
- The 2005 course was: Cultural Identities and Democracy in Europe and in the Balkans
- **The 2006 course is: NATIONALISM AND DEMOCRACY**
- The 2007 course will be: The State of Democracies in South-East Europe

The Mission of the School

- To improve junior faculty skills in modern democratic theory;
- To create networks of young scholars, political and NGO activists in SEE dealing with democratic theory;
- To analyse conditions and possibilities for democratic social changes, especially in so called transition societies;
- To develop and promote academic exchange between Western universities with Serbia and SEE countries;
- To improve regional academic co-operation and to overcome mutual stereotypes and preconceptions.

Participants and Lecturers

The main target group of participants are junior faculty, young political and NGO activists. There will be up to 30 participants altogether. Fifteen participants are to be selected from Serbia and an equal number will come from elsewhere in the region of South-Eastern Europe (Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, Hellenic Republic, /F.Y.R./ Macedonia, Montenegro, and Romania). Participants should have at the very least a BA

degree, and preferably an MA degree in the social sciences or humanities. All other nationals are welcome to apply but the organisers can contribute only partially to their transportation costs.

All transportation and accommodation costs for participants selected are covered by the School through donations.

The course lecturers (resource persons) are professors and associates from the Centre for the Study of Democracy and other British universities (London School of Economics and other schools), from the University of Belgrade, as well as professors from SEE, Western Europe, and the United States.

Objectives

- (1) The strengthening of existing networks from previous schools and the creation of new networks of critically oriented, open-minded individuals from the field of social sciences endeavoring to contribute to the process of democratization in SEE both theoretically and practically.
- (2) Dissemination of democratic theory among young political leaders, junior scholars and NGO activists in the region of SEE, thus facilitating the consolidation of democracies in the region.
- (3) Promotion of Euro-Atlantic integrations.

Rationale

The School was initiated during the authoritarian rule of Slobodan Milosevic, and has always endeavoured to foster regional co-operation and keep Serbian political and NGO activists and young scholars open to experiences and practices of Euro-Atlantic community. It was established at a time when Serbia faced xenophobia and ethnic hatred and this was an effort to overcome such attitudes. In the meantime the School has been developed into an active promoter of democratic values and tolerance in the region of SEE and it has become a regional Balkan School open to participants from other European countries.

Time and Place

The School lasts two weeks. It will be held from September 4, till September 13, 2006. The School will take place in Belgrade and participants who come outside of Belgrade will be accommodated in Hotel Majestic.

Topics

The International Summer School for Democracy in 2006 will be dedicated to the topics of Nationalism and its role in the countries of SEE, Europe and the United States. Nationalism will be analysed in relation to transitional countries, the role it has played in SEE and how it can be overcome in the future.

Participants will contribute with their first-hand experience in afternoon workshops.

Format

There will be three morning lectures every day from 10.00 till 13.30 with a break till 17.00. In the afternoon times Afternoon Workshops will be held from 17.00 till 19.00.

All lectures are divided in half-an-hour introductions to the topic and the remaining time is dedicated to debates and questions for the lecturers.

Afternoon Workshops

All the selected participants are expected to prepare either a short presentation (15 minutes long) or an essay (3-5 pages) dealing with one of the following topics:

- Nationalism and transition in my country;
- Empirical research on nationalism in my country;
- National and/versus European identity in my country;
- National and/versus regional identity in my country;
- Nationalism and democracy in my country.

Presentations and essays can be either descriptive or analytical depending on preferences.

The organizers will attempt to publish all adequately prepared essays and presentations in the Proceedings of the Summer School that are regularly printed in English.

Arrival Day

All the participants should arrive to Belgrade on Sunday September 3, 2006, in afternoon or evening hours or in the morning hours of September 4.

Rooms in Hotel in down town Belgrade are double. The hotel is situated in the very heart of down town Belgrade.

Departure Day

All the participants should depart from Belgrade on Wednesday, September 13, in afternoon hours.

IMPORTANT NOTE: All the participants are expected to attend all the lectures. Organisers are not in a position to offer places to participants who will be able to attend only part of lectures or who will not be able to be present at the seminar all the two weeks.

PROGRAMME OF THE NINTH INTERNATIONAL SUMMER SCHOOL FOR DEMOCRACY

Sunday, September 3, 2006

Arrival Day

Arrival of participants to Hotel Majestic, Belgrade

Monday, September 4, 2006

10.30 – 11:30 *Opening Session:* Address of H. E. **David Gowan**, British Ambassador to Serbia,
Serbia: Reach for the Stars

12:00 – 12.30 Opening Address of: Dr. Simon Joss,
Director of CSD
Prof. Vukasin Pavlovic, Director of ISSD
Dr. Slobodan Markovich, Executive
Director of ISSD

12:45 Introduction of participants

Lunch:

15.00 – 16.00 Afternoon Discussion:
Introductory Meeting. Division into
groups and assignment of tasks:
Co-ordinators: Dr. S. Markovich and Dr.
G. Voskopoulos

Venue: the Leonardo Centre

Tuesday, September 5, 2006

10.00 – 10.15 Address of Prof. Milan Podunavac, Dean
of the Faculty of Political Science

10.15 – 11.15 **Prof. Vojislav Stanovcic**, Serbian Aca-
demy of Sciences and Arts,
Politics, Religion and Nationalism

11.30 – 12.30 **Dr. George Voskopoulos**, University of
Macedonia,
*The multifaceted national and European
elements of identity in Greece*

12.45 – 14.00 **Prof. Vukasin Pavlovic**, Faculty of Political Science,
Nationalism, Civil Society and Democracy

14.00 – 16.00 Lunch

15.30 – 17.00 Afternoon Workshop: Nationalism in Serbia

Venue: Faculty of Political Science

Wednesday, September 6, 2006

10.00 – 11.00 **Eric B. Weaver**, DPhil student at the University of Oxford
Nationalism as Faith

11.15 – 12.15 **Dr. George Voskopoulos**, University of Macedonia,
Nationalism and Human Rights in South-Eastern Europe, the Territoriality Factor

12.30 – 13.30 **Eric B. Weaver**, DPhil student at the University of Oxford
Nationalism, Western and Eastern?

13.45 – 14.45 **Prof. Mirjana Vasovic**, Faculty of Political Science,
Nationalism in Serbia in 1990s. A Quantitative Analysis

14.45 – 16.00 Lunch

16.00 – 17.30 Afternoon Workshop: Nationalism in ex-Yugoslavia

18.00-20.00 Garden Party of Anglo/British-Serbian Societies at the British Embassy in Belgrade

Venue: Faculty of Political Science

Thursday, September 7, 2006

10.00 – 11.15 **Prof. Vukasin Pavlovic**, Faculty of Political Science,
Nationalism as Ideology

11.30 – 12.45 **Ms. Sonja Licht**, Belgrade Fund for Political Excellence,
From Communism to Nationalism – the Case of Yugoslavia

13.00 – 14.30 Panel: *Ethnification of Politics in ex-Yugoslavia*

Prof. Radmila Nakarada, Faculty of Political Science

Ms. Sonja Licht, Belgrade Fund for Political Excellence

Prof. Vukasin Pavlovic, Faculty of Political Science

14.30 – 16.00 Lunch

16.30 – 17.45 **Prof. Zarko Puhovski**, University of Zagreb,
Ethnic construction of citizenship

Venue: Faculty of Political Science

Friday, September 8, 2006

10.00 – 11.15 **Zarko Puhovski**, University of Zagreb,
Post-communist ethnic nationalism

11.30 – 12.45 **Prof. Christopher Coker**, London School of Economics,
Challenges to Democracy in the 21st Century

13.00 – 16.00 Lunch

Venue: Faculty of Political Science

17.00 – 19.00 Lecture on the occasion of the publication of the Serbian edition of book of Prof. Christopher Coker, *Twilight of the West* organised by the British Embassy, Belgrade, Anglo-Serbian Society and the Belgrade Fund for Political Excellence:
Address of H. E. David Gowan, British Ambassador to Serbia
Prof. Christopher Coker, London School of Economics,
Is the West in Crisis?

Cocktail party after the lecture

Venue: National Library of Serbia

Saturday, September 9, 2006

10.00 – 11.00 **Prof. David Chandler**, Centre for the Study of Democracy,
Nationalism and Post-Conflict Reconciliation: Freezing Identities?

11.15 – 12.15 **Prof. Christopher Coker**, London School of Economics,
Democratising the Middle East: What went wrong?

12.30 – 13.30 **Prof. Christopher Coker**, London School of Economics,
Democracy and the Challenge of Islam: the Challenge for Europe

13.45 – 14.45 **Prof. David Chandler**,
Srebrenica: Prolonging the Wounds of War

14.45 – 16.00 Lunch

16.00 – 17.30 Afternoon workshop: Nationalism in the Balkans

Venue: Faculty of Political Science

Sunday, September 10, 2006

11.00 – 13.00 Sightseeing of Belgrade

15.00 – 17.00 Work in groups for afternoon workshops

20.00 Special Dinner at the bank of the Danube

Monday, September 11, 2006

10.00 – 11.00 **Dr. Spyros Economides**, London School of Economics,
Riding the Tiger of Nationalism: The Macedonian Question

11.15 – 12.15 **Prof. David Chandler**, Centre for the Study of Democracy
After Nationalism? 21st Century Identity Politics

12.30 – 13.30 **Dr. Spyros Economides**, London School of Economics,
The Balkans, International Order and Nationalism

13.45 – 14.45 Ivan Vejvoda, Balkan Trust for Democracy,
Democratisation in CE and SEE and Nationalism

14.45-16.00 Lunch

16.00 – 17.30 Afternoon Workshop: Nationalism in EU countries

Venue: Faculty of Political Science

Tuesday, September 12, 2006

10.00 – 11.15 **Prof. Margaret Blunden**, University of Westminster,
Democracy promotion across international frontiers

11.30 – 12.45 **Dr. Slobodan G. Markovich**, Institute for European Studies,
Construction of Nationhood in the Balkans

13.00 – 14.15 **Prof. Margaret Blunden**, University of Westminster,
Democracy, nationalism and sovereignty in the European Union

14.30 – 16.00 Lunch

16.00 – 17.30 Afternoon Workshop: Presentation of Results

Venue: Faculty of Political Science

Wednesday, September 13, 2006

10.00 – 11.15 **Prof. Maragaret Blunden**, University of Westminster,
Democracy Promotion in Euro-Atlantic Community

11.30 – 12.45 Evaluation: Oral and Written

13.00 – 14.00 Address of High Ranking Official from the US Embassy, Belgrade
Ceremony of Awarding Certificates

Venue: Faculty of Political Science

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ORGANISERS' PROFILES

The Centre for the Study of Democracy



The Centre for the Study of Democracy (CSD) is a leading postgraduate teaching and research centre at the University of Westminster. Founded in 1989 and situated in the heart of London, CSD has become a major player, both nationally and globally, in the fields of international relations, political theory and cultural studies. It is led by team of internationally renowned scholars, whose multidisciplinary teaching, research and consultancy concentrate on the interplay of states, cultures and civil society.

CSD hosts several high-quality and intellectually challenging Masters Degree Programmes in a stimulating and supportive study environment, including its well-known MA International Relations & Contemporary Political Theory, MA International Studies (East Asia/European Union) and MA Contemporary Chinese Studies. These taught courses, which attract students from all over the world, are offered on a one-year, full-time, or two-year, part-time basis (with enrolment possible in either October or February). CSD's Masters Programmes have a strong track record of teaching excellence: the most recent external audit by the UK government's Quality Assurance Agency (QAA) rated CSD as 'excellent' (23 out of 24 possible points).

CSD also hosts a large MPhil/PhD Programme, attracting high-quality research students from a variety of countries, including Brazil, China, Italy, Iran, Spain, Sudan, the United States and the United Kingdom. The full-time MPhil/PhD courses of study are normally by dissertation only, with successful applicants enjoying access to CSD's rich programme of activities and to postgraduate courses elsewhere in the University. PhD students, who are supported by a team of Directors of Studies, are expected to complete their theses within a maximum of four years. Several students have received prestigious scholarships, reflecting the high quality of research undertaken at CSD.

The more than 60 postgraduate and research students, as well as the Visiting Research Associates, form an integral part of the teaching and research culture at CSD, and actively take part in our research seminars, conferences and various social activities. They are encouraged to interact with the academic staff, thus enabling them to profit from the vibrant research culture found at the Centre.

CSD is widely known for its leading research activities in the fields of political theory, international relations, US politics, European Union studies, Chinese visual culture and environmental and technological politics. CSD's research was rated of national and international importance in the most recent external Research Assessment Exercise (RAE 2001), gaining 4 (out of 5) in the Politics subject area, and 5 in the Asian Studies subject area. In recent years, CSD has secured several major externally-funded research programmes, such as the Civil Society Network project, the US Congressional party leadership project, the EU multi-level governance project, the Chinese Poster project, and the Public Accountability of Science and Technology project. CSD actively collaborates with many research organisations in Britain, Europe and overseas, such as the Policy Studies Institute (London), the Berlin Science Centre (Wissenschaftszentrum Berlin, WZB), and the Smithsonian Institution (Washington DC).

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The Anglo-Serbian Society



The Anglo-Serbian Society was founded in 1998 as the Anglo-Yugoslav Society. It is a non-partisan, non-governmental and non-profit organisation aiming at educational co-operation and research in the social sciences, especially in the field of parliamentary tradition and democracy. In 2004 the Society changed its name to the Anglo-Serbian Society.

The Society endeavours to improve the education of young experts in the field of social sciences, as well as to carry out research on historical Anglo-Serbian relations.

The most important activity of the Society is the International Summer School for Democracy which has been organised annually since 1998. This two-week school is organised for young experts from the field of social sciences and humanities, as well as for young political and NGO leaders. The School is organised in co-operation with domestic and foreign partners, especially with the Centre for the Study of Democracy of the University of Westminster.

The Society organises scholarly and research projects in the field of social, and especially political sciences, as well as conferences in the same fields.

It co-operates with universities, scholarly associations and other organisations from Serbia and from abroad (especially from the United Kingdom) dealing with political science and especially parliamentary tradition and democracy, and with the research on the Balkans.

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