

Conference

Coping with shrinking:

The Yugoslav and the Serbian experiences

Organisers:

The Luxemburg Institute for European and
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Belgrade, 29th - 30th June 2007
Leonardo Centre, Belgrade

Friday, June 29, 2007

10.30 – 13.00 Morning sessions

Session 1:

Dilemmas and Challenges of shrinking European empires in the past: Russia (Soviet Union), the British Empire, Hungary (Austro-Hungarian Empire), The Second Reich and the Weimar Republic.

Session 2:

Dilemmas and Challenges of shrinking Balkan countries: Ottoman Turkey, the megal idea in Greece, Bulgaria of San Stefano, Greater Romania.

13.00 - 14.30 Buffet at Hotel Balkan

14.30-18.00 Afternoon sessions

Session 3:

The rise and fall of Yugoslavia and the Yugoslav ideal

Session 4:

The Serbian search for a new identity and a new role

Saturday, June 30, 2007

10.30 - 13.00 Morning sessions

Session 5:

The impact of shrinking on the vitality of Serbia: psychological, political, economic, cultural and geopolitical implications.

Session 6:

How to deal with shrinking and shrunken state entities. The consequences of territorial growth and shrinkage: some general conclusions.

Excursion to Sremski Karlovtsi and Novi Sad with lunch

Participants

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