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An intent audience at CERC's *Larger Europe New Europe?* symposium in October 2003

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FROM THE DIRECTOR

The second half of 2003 was marked by a number of key achievements by CERC and its staff and research community. There has been considerable consolidation of exciting initiatives. Our publications remain at a very high level. We have run a number of important conferences and the highly successful seminar series on Europe.

Europe is undergoing considerable transformation. Perhaps the most momentous event is the forthcoming expansion of European Union membership from 15 to 25 member states in May 2004. It was therefore appropriate that CERC held a major conference on this major issue. Full details are available in the newsletter and on our website, complete with photos. A second important set of issues, of increasing concern throughout Europe and beyond, concerns corruption, organised crime and terrorism. As with the *'Larger Europe, New Europe?'* symposium, CERC considered it appropriate to hold a major international conference on these important issues, entitled *'Corruption, Organised Crime and Terrorism: Europe and Australia Compared'*. As part of CERC's commitment to engagement with policy issues in Australia, an Australian dimension was evident throughout that conference.

It is by now commonplace to remark that Australia's most important trading partner is the European Union. Australia's engagement with the European Union has not always been a comfortable one and it is for this reason that CERC held a national workshop entitled *'Australia and the European Union: Partners and Adversaries?'* with the National Europe Centre and the Contemporary Europe Research Centre. On these three important issues CERC has provided leadership in

Australia in bringing together national and international scholars and policy makers to debate issues of policy relevance and at the cutting edge of scholarly analysis. A further key challenge facing the European Union is the future of a constitution for the EU. This too was discussed in our seminar series and we continue to monitor developments on this issue. While the EU is increasingly expanding its membership, it is important to be reminded that the EU is not Europe and that CERC analyses and presents public fora on Europe from the Atlantic to Vladivostok. CERC's unique situation, in being both interdisciplinary and covering a large number of countries and organisations within and bordering on the European Union, including



Dr Murray at the Jean Monnet session of the Larger Europe, New Europe? symposium.

of course Russia and other post-communist states, makes it an important port of call for interstate and international visitors.

The second half of 2003 was therefore even more fruitful than anticipated with three major conferences, a very busy seminar series and the receipt of several major competitive awards. It has been a pleasure to work with the Deputy Directors, Prof Leslie Holmes, Associate Prof Tim Mehigan and Dr Steve Welch and we welcome Dr Robert Horvath as a new Deputy Director from the beginning of 2004. We also welcome the new CERC Manager, Ms. Suzy Mueller and we are delighted that she has settled in so well. While we bade farewell to Dr. Zoe Knox as Office Manager, she remains an active member of the CERC research community. We are grateful to Tony Phillips and Iva Pauker for their sterling work as acting Centre Managers. I look forward to another productive and exciting year at CERC.

Philomena Murray, Director

MAJOR AWARDS

CERC Director Dr Murray successfully tendered for a major International Relations Masters exchange. The tender is a joint European Union-Department of Education, Science and Technology (DEST) project. It will foster a European – Australian Asia Pacific Nexus that will co-ordinate graduate courses dealing with issues of common interest, as well as providing for semester length exchanges between European and Australian Masters students over three years. **The project is worth one million Australian dollars.**

A group of six universities from Australia and Europe was successful in the bid, which was led by the University of Melbourne on the Australian side. The Australian part of the consortium consists of the University of Melbourne, the University of Queensland and Griffith University. The European partners are the Institut d'Etudes Politiques de Paris, Sciences Po (France); the University of Birmingham (United Kingdom) and the University of Trento (Italy).

Dr Murray held major responsibility for writing the proposal and will now be involved in co-ordinating the program here. This Coursework Masters Exchange Program in **International Relations: A European-Australian Asia-Pacific Nexus** will provide for student mobility and it is anticipated that 78 students will be involved in this exciting and innovative international exchange project, which will also have a staff exchange component.

The second major award has been won by the Contemporary European Studies Association of Australia (CESAA). CESAA has been part of a successful application for funding from the European Commission's Jean Monnet project funding, with the European Union Studies Associations (EUSAs) of New Zealand (lead applicant) Korea and Thailand. The project is entitled '**Public, Elite and Media Perceptions of the European Union in Australia, New Zealand, Thailand and South Korea : A Comparative Study**'. Research assistants will be based at relevant research centres in each of the four countries and these centres were part of the application. In the case of CESAA, the Contemporary Europe Research Centre (CERC) at the University of Melbourne will house the research assistant on the Australian part of the project, Ms.

Katrina Stats, who has been appointed to the position.

Further, CERC's Director, Dr Philomena Murray has been awarded a new grant by the European Commission to support the teaching of a Jean Monnet module (subject) on the EU at Masters Level. Her successful proposal was to teach an EU-funded subject on **'The European Union and Globalisation'**. The grant is for €12000.

ITMM Award

CERC was awarded an ITMM (Information Technology and Multimedia) grant in August 2003. CERC's application to the Faculty of Arts was for an IT grant to extend its vast databases for undergraduate use via a secure Web server was successful. The databases hold information on the former communist countries going back to 1989, and materials on the EU and its member states. The application was made by **Tony Phillips** CERC's project officer, and **Dr. Philomena Murray** supported by **Prof. Leslie Holmes** and **A/Prof. Peter Shearman** from Political Science and **A/Prof Stephen Wheatcroft** and **Dr Robert Horvath** from History. The project will allow students to access and exhaustively search up-to-date and historical information about European countries from the news media, official publications and journals, much of it in translation.

We congratulate **A/Prof Tim Mehigan** on receiving of an ARC grant in the last round of funding. His project is entitled **"Saving the Appearances': The Problem of Vision in the European Enlightenment'**.

Dr Roger Markwick has been awarded the Alexander Nove Prize for 2001 for his book *Rewriting History in Soviet Russia. The Politics of Revisionist Historiography 1956-1974*, published by Palgrave Macmillan in 2001. The prize was presented to him on 30 March 2003 at the BASEES annual conference, held at Cambridge University, United Kingdom.

Our congratulations are also extended to **Dr Markwick** on receiving an ARC Discovery Grant to research **'Women, War and the Stalinist State, 1941-45'**, and for winning a \$4000 Australian Academy of the Humanities Travelling Fellowship for 2004 to pursue his research on **'Soviet Women in the Great Patriotic War'**.

NEWS

Welcome

Dr Piero Ammirato and **Dr Nicola Nixon** were appointed CERC Fellows.

Dr Piero Ammirato is currently working as a Senior Policy Adviser with the Victorian Department of Innovation, Industry and Regional Development. His immediate research interest specializes on Italy but he is looking to expand this to cover other European countries especially the Mediterranean countries.

Dr Nicola Nixon completed her PhD at the University of Melbourne in 2003. Her thesis title was **'Contemporary Fantasies of Ancient Hatreds: Ideology and War in Former Yugoslavia.'**

CERC extends a warm welcome to **Ms Katrina Stats**. Katrina has been appointed Research Assistant to the project **'Public, Elite and Media Perceptions of the European Union in Australia, New Zealand, Thailand and South Korea : A Comparative Study'**.

Visiting Scholars

Professor Robert Grey a specialist in Russian politics from Grinnell College Iowa, arrived as a visitor to CERC from July to December. Professor Gray participated in numerous CERC seminars as well as presenting one. He made himself cheerfully available for consultation and discussion with postgraduate students. He also participated in all three of CERC's conference events.

CERC Fellow, **Dr Stefan Auer** based at the Dublin European Institute, University College Dublin was at CERC from May to August. During his time here he made considerable use of the CERC library, spoke to CERC and Political Science postgraduates and gave public seminars at CERC and at Monash University. He also gave two lectures in the University of Melbourne History Department and was interviewed on ABC Radio National's Religion Report.

Dr Eiko Theilemann from the London School of Economics spent a week as a visitor at CERC. He gave a public seminar (see below) and also took part in an Honours seminar in CERC Director Dr Philomena Murray's course *Dilemmas of European Unity*. Dr Theilemann also spent time talking to University Honours and Masters students about their work.

Professor Finn Laursen, Director, Centre for European Studies, University of Southern Denmark, was a visitor at CERC over two weeks. During this time he gave a Jean Monnet lecture at the CERC international symposium 'Larger Europe: New Europe?' and a public seminar, as well as meeting with a number of Honours and Masters students.

Congratulations

CERC Fellow **Dr Michael Longo** successfully completed a PhD degree at The University of Melbourne. His thesis is entitled: 'Constitutionalising Europe: the Constitutional Development of the European Union'.

CERC Principle Fellow **A/Prof. Stephen Fortescue** has begun a two-year term as Presiding Member of the Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences, UNSW.

Appointments

Dr Zoe Knox, formerly the Centre Manager, left CERC to take up a postdoctoral fellowship at Monash University. She is currently working on a book based on her PhD entitled *Russian Orthodoxy, Religion and Society after Communism* to be published by Routledge Curzon in 2004.

Ms Karen Hussey was appointed as a CERC Postgraduate Fellow.

A/Prof Tim Mehigan, a long standing Deputy Director of CERC and currently based in the Department of German and Swedish Studies has been appointed to the University of Otago Dunedin as Professor of Languages and Head of the Department of Languages and Cultures. CERC heartily congratulates Tim and wishes him well.

Ms Suzy Mueller was appointed CERC Centre Manager in October. She can be contacted by email at cerc@cerc.unimelb.edu.au.

Dr Steven Welch stepped down as a CERC Deputy Director due to other commitments. We warmly thank Steven for his past contributions to CERC.

Dr Robert Horvath, ARC Research Fellow at the Department of History, has been appointed Deputy Director of CERC from January 2004. Robert has been a member of the CERC research community for several years and we are delighted to welcome him to this position.

CERC Fellow **Dr Michael Longo** was promoted to Senior Lecturer at Victoria University.

CERC Working Papers Series

The CERC Working Papers Series for 2003 was officially launched on December 16 by Professor Arie Freiberg, Dean of Arts. The Papers launched were:

Zoe Knox, 'Russian Orthodoxy and Religious Pluralism: Post-Soviet Challenges', *CERC Working Papers Series*, 1/2003, 65 pp.

Yuri Tsyganov, 'Russian Policy Toward Northeast Asia: In Search of a New Approach' *CERC Working Papers Series*, 2/2003, 67 pp.



Centre Manager Suzy Mueller (right) with CERC Fellow Dr. Carolyn O'Brien at the launch of the CERC Working papers in December.

Andrea Benvenuti, 'Australia's Policy Towards Britain's Second Application to the European Economic Community, 1966-67' *CERC Working Papers Series*, 3/2003, 42 pp.

Harald Sander and Stefanie Kleimeier, 'Towards a Single European Banking Market?: New Evidence from Euroland on the

Role of the Euro' *CERC Working Papers Series*, 4/2003, 33 pp.

Each working paper costs AUD \$10.00 plus postage and can be purchased from the CERC main office. Please refer to the enclosed flyer if you wish to purchase any copies.

RECENT EVENTS

Semester 2, 2003 was an incredibly busy time as CERC hosted three major events. Many thanks are extended to Ms Dora Horvath, Ms Iva Pauker, Mr Tony Phillips, Ms Carol Strong and the army of dedicated student volunteers. Without their help the events would not have been so successful.

The first event was the international symposium entitled '*Larger Europe, New Europe?*' held on 10 October. The symposium was occasioned by the enlargement of the EU in May 2004. It was extremely well attended and involved CERC's cooperation with the **Australian Institute of Polish Affairs**, the **National Europe Centre at the ANU (NEC)**, the **European Delegation to Australia**, **CESAA** and the **Jean Monnet Fund** of the European Commission. The keynote speaker was Professor Bronislaw Geremek, a member of the Polish dissident movement, organizer of Solidarity and former Foreign Minister of Poland. Other speakers included **Dr Adam Czarnota**, **Professor Jan Pakulski**, **A/Prof Peter Shearman**, **His Excellency Piergiorgio Mazzocchi**, **Ms. Margaret Adamson**, **Mr Leith Doody**, **His Excellency Jerzy Wieclaw**, **Counsellor Miroslav Hacek**, **Minister-Counsellor Sabit Subasic** and **Mr Bojan Bertoneclj**. There was also a Jean Monnet session featuring the Australian Jean Monnet Chair, **Dr Philomena Murray**, and a newly appointed Jean Monnet Chair from the University of Southern Denmark, **Professor Finn Laursen**.

On 5 November the national Australia-Europe workshop was hosted by CERC and held in association with the National Europe Centre and CESAA. Entitled '*Australia and the European Union: Partners or Adversaries?*', the workshop heard a number of papers, which were then subject to specific and general discussion. CERC Fellows **Karen Hussey**, **Michael Longo** and **Annemarie Elijah** all spoke at the workshop, as did **Dr Murray**. Other

speakers included **Dr. Linda Botterill** and **Mr. John Gage** from the NEC, **Mr. John**



CERC Deputy Director Dr Robert Horvath chats with Professor Boris Geremek (right) at the Larger Europe, New Europe? symposium reception

Tinney from Swinburne University and **Dr. James Jupp**, director of the Centre for Immigration and Multicultural Studies at the ANU.

The workshop was attended by academics, students and government representatives from Australia and Europe. Publication of papers from this workshop is planned.

The *Partners or Adversaries* workshop was immediately followed by the international conference '*Corruption, Organised Crime and Terrorism: Europe and Australia Compared?*'. This two day academic conference featured papers looking at organized crime in Europe and Russia as both a general phenomenon and in specific aspects, such as the drug trade. Links between organized crime, government corruption and terrorism were explored. The conference brought together specialist in each of the areas and by the end of the concluding roundtable was providing extremely fruitful discussion concerning the links between the three areas and offering ways of putting the different varieties of research together. On the second day, in which the focus was more on terrorism, there was considerable criticism of the 'War on Terror' propaganda being propagated in both the US and Australia. The search for more complex and subtle analyses of the problems terrorism raises was also on the table. Professor Leslie Holmes and A/Prof Shearman both gave papers at the conference and were joined by international speakers **Dr Veronique Pujas**, **Dr Frank Bovenkerk** and **Professor Petrus van Duyne** and prominent Australian academics

in this field of research. CERC acknowledges the generous contributions from the **National Europe Centre**, the **Global Terrorism Unit at Monash University**, **CESAA** and the **Royal Netherlands Embassy** for helping to make this conference a success.



A coffee break at the Partners or Adversaries workshop. Left to right, Paul Strickland, Counsellor, EU Commission delegation to Australia, CERC Principle Fellow Prof. Laszlo Csapo, and Dr John Kunkel, trade consultant and former Australian government advisor.

Full details of speakers and programs for all conferences can be found on the CERC website at <http://www.cerc.unimelb.edu.au>.

CERC Seminars

The CERC Seminar Series continues to be one of the most active series at The University of Melbourne. Many seminars have been co-presented with other departments and centres of the University and with cultural bodies. This provides a valuable opportunity for CERC to facilitate inter-disciplinary debates and trans-institutional collaboration.

Seminars in Semester 2, 2003 included:

- Professor Michael Cox (London School of Economics), *'The Death of the West? The Transatlantic Alliance in an Age of American Ascendancy.'* (jointly sponsored by CERC and the Department of Political Science)
- Dr Eiko Thielemann (London School of Economics), *'Why EU Policy Harmonisation Undermines Refugee Burden-Sharing'* (jointly sponsored by CERC and the Department of Political Science)
- Dr Robert Grey (Grinnell University), *'The Russian Public: Defender of Democracy?'*

- Dr Linda Botterill (National Europe Centre, ANU), *'Farm Lobby Groups in the EU and Australia: A Comparison.'* (jointly sponsored by CERC and CESAA)
- Professor Finn Laursen (Director, Centre for European Studies, University of Southern Denmark), *'The Convention's Draft Constitution: Towards a more Federal EU?'* (jointly sponsored by CERC, the Department of Political Science and CESAA)
- Dr Millsom Henry-Waring (Sociology Programme, The University of Melbourne), *'Black British, female & 'European'?! Challenging the notions of identity, gender and the nation-state'*
- Dr Roderic Pitty (International Studies, Deakin University), *'Russia and the International Criminal Court'*
- Professor Margit Enke and Dr Anja Geigenmueller (Faculty of Economics and Business, TU Bergakademie, Freiberg), *'The German Reunification Process – Insights for European Integration.'*



Jean Monnet Prof. Finn Laursen's seminar at CERC

Other Activities

The second half of 2003 was also marked by visits to CERC from diplomats, who met with academic specialists and learnt more about the Centre's activities. Dr Murray met with:

- Australian Ambassador designate to Spain, Ms Sue Tanner.
- Australian Ambassador designate to Denmark, Mr Matthew Peak

- Australian Ambassador to the EU and Belgium, Mr. Peter Grey.
- Australian Ambassador designate to Croatia, Ms Anna George.

Dr Murray gave a lunchtime talk for La Tavola Italiana at the Athenaeum Club entitled 'Great Mysteries of the World, Italian Politics'.

Dr. Murray was also the guest speaker at the Annual General Meeting and Dinner of the Australian Federation of University Women – Victoria.

Dr Murray attended a stimulating dinner held in Canberra for journalists, members of the policy community and analysts dealing with the EU. It was hosted by the European Commission's Ambassador, His Excellency Piergiorgio Mazzocchi. Mr Paul Kelly, Editor-at-Large of the Australian, gave an address on the role of the EU as a global player from an Australian perspective and participants, including Dr Murray, responded.

In terms of co-operative links Dr Murray also met with the Mr Simon Bronitt, Director of the National Europe Centre to discuss cooperation among the Centres. At the Delegation of the European Commission in Canberra, she had meetings with the Ambassador, Senior Advisers John Tuckwell, Roger Camilleri and Lynne Hunter and Counsellor Paul Stickland. At the Department of Foreign Affairs she had meetings with Mr David Ritchie, Ms Lucy Charlesworth and Ms Kate Duff.

In August CERC participated in the University's Discovery Day activities with Dr Murray and A/Prof Mehigan running the desk for European Studies.

CERC IN THE MEDIA

Dr. Stefan Auer contributed to a production by ABC Radio National (Australia) of a feature on modern Czech political philosophy. It deals with Masaryk, Patocka and Havel. The feature, made by Margaret Coffey and entitled 'On Wenceslas Square' was broadcast in July 20 and July 23 2003 as a part of the religious series called *The Encounter*. The program can be found at <http://www.abc.net.au/rn/relig/enc/default.htm>.

CERC Senior Fellow **A/Prof. Judy Armstrong** was in strong demand on ABC radio, contributing to a program on ABC FM's *Connexions* about Russian music in June and in August appearing on Radio National to speak of biography with Peter Thompson, and on Melbourne's 774 for a discussion of fiction and non-fiction with Lyn Haultaine. Judy is also a regular contributor to *The Melbourne Age's* Book Review section and to the *Australian Book Review*.

Dr. Peter Shearman provided commentary on ABC Radio National about United States foreign policy.

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

CERC is in the planning stages for a major International Conference to be held in early December 2004. The working title is '**The 'Clash of Civilizations' Revisited**'. Please watch for updates in forthcoming email bulletins.

RESEARCH TRIPS

Prof Leslie Holmes spent a month in Europe in June and July, primarily in connection with his ARC-funded research project into political party financing. In connection with this project, he visited Bulgaria, Germany and Russia, where he set up surveys; held meetings with politicians (inc. with the German President, Johannes Rau), staff from anti-corruption NGOs, and academic specialists; gathered data; and consulted books and journals not available in Australia. He also visited Czechia for the annual meeting of the Executive Committee of the International Council for Central and East European Studies (which he chaired); and the UK, for the 50th Anniversary of the establishment of the Russian and East European Centre - which was renamed the Russian and Eurasian Studies Centre during the anniversary - at Oxford University.

Dr Roger Markwick went on a research trip to Moscow, December 2003, related to his ARC-funded project: Soviet State and Society and the Great Patriotic War, 1941-45.

Postgraduate associate and PhD Candidate **Toshiya Nakamura** was a visiting scholar at the Research Institute for Peace and Security in Tokyo from October until December 2003.

Dr Irmeline Veit-Brause spent 6 weeks at the Max-Planck-Institute for History, Goettingen, working on various papers, especially on 'Wissenschaftliche Emigration in England'. She also participated in a meeting of the Bureau of the International Commission for the History and Theory of Historiography, at Pentecost, in Goettingen, shaping the Commission's Program for the next International Congress of Historical Sciences, Sydney July 2005.

RECENT AND FORTHCOMING PUBLICATIONS BY CERC STAFF, FELLOWS AND POSTGRADUATE ASSOCIATES

The 11th Edition of the SBS World Guide was published in 2003, with entries on 29 countries by CERC staff and fellows.

Books

Rafis Abazov, *Historical Dictionary of Kyrgyzstan*, London: Lanham, Maryland, 2003.

Stefan Auer, *Liberal Nationalism in Central Europe*, London: Routledge Curzon, 2004

David Christian, *'Maps of Time': An Introduction to 'Big History'*, Berkeley, CA: University of California Press, 2004, foreword by W.H. McNeill

Leo Cooper, *The Road to the Lucky Country*, foreword by Chris Wallace-Crabe, Makor, 2004

Graeme Gill, *The Nature and Development of the Modern State*, Basingstoke: Macmillan, 2003

Geoffrey Jukes, *The First World War*. (Co-author). Oxford : Osprey Publishing, 2003

Geoffrey Jukes, Translation with commentary and update, of Slavinsky, B, *Sovietsko-Yaponskiy Pakt o Neytralitete: Diplomaticheskaya Istoriya 1941-1945* (in Russian), published as *The Japanese-Soviet Neutrality Pact: a Diplomatic History 1941-1945*, in the series Nissan Institute/RoutledgeCurzon Japanese Studies, London & New York, RoutledgeCurzon, 2004

Bruno Sergi, *Economic Dynamics in Transitional Economies: The Four-P*

Governments, the EU Enlargement, and the Bruxelles Consensus, New York: International Business Press, 2003

Book chapters

David Christian, 'Central Asia, Ancient', in *Encyclopedia of World Environmental History*, ed. Shepard Krech III, J. R. McNeill, Carolyn Merchant, London & New York: Routledge, 2003

Jonathan Clarke, 'The Classification of Verbs in Rosa's Grammar' in H. Heinze and C. Weller (eds) in co-operation with H. Kreutz, *Die Lektuere der Welt Zur Theorie, Geschichte und Soziologie kultureller Praxis Festschrift fuer Walter Veit/Worlds of Reading On the Theory, History and Sociology of Cultural Practice Festschrift for Walter Veit*, Frankfurt: Peter Lang, forthcoming, 2004.

Leslie Holmes, 'Communist and Post-Communist Systems' in M. Kogan and M. Hawkesworth (eds.), *The Routledge Encyclopedia of Government and Politics*, 2nd ed., Vol.1, London: Routledge forthcoming, 2004, pp. 223-38.

Aleksandar Pavkovic 'Yugoslavism's Last Stand: a Utopia of Serb Intellectuals' in *Yugoslavism: Histories of a Failed Idea 1918-1992*, ed. Dejan Djokic, London, Hurst, 2003, pp. 252-68.

Aleksandar Pavkovic 'Humanitarian Intervention in *Nationalist Conflicts: A Few Problems*' in *Lessons of Kosovo: The Dangers of Humanitarian Intervention*, ed. Aleksandar Jokic, Peterborough, Canada, Broadview Press, 2003, pp. 53-77.

Philomena Murray, 'The EU as a Model of Regional Integration: Challenges and Agendas', in Heung Chong Kim ed. *European Integration and the Asia-Pacific Region*, Korean Institute for International Economic Policy, Seoul, 2003, pp. 95-117

Philomena Murray, 'Conclusion: Should Asia Emulate Europe?', in Woosik Moon and Bernadette Andreosso-O'Callaghan, eds. *Regional Integration Europe and Asia Compared. Essays in Honor of Professor Kim Cae-One*, Ashgate, Aldershot, forthcoming, 2004.

Philomena Murray, 'The Challenge of the New Bilateralism: Australia's relations with Ireland in the context of the European

Union', in Louis de Paor ed. *From Youghal Harbour to Moreton Bay: Remembered Nations, Imagined Republics*, Arlen House, Galway, forthcoming, 2004.

Philomena Murray, 'European Integration Analyses: A Reappraisal', H. Heinze and C. Weller (eds) in co-operation with H. Kreutz, *Die Lektuere der Welt Zur Theorie, Geschichte und Soziologie kultureller Praxis Festschrift fuer Walter Veit/Worlds of Reading On the Theory, History and Sociology of Cultural Practice Festschrift for Walter Veit*, Frankfurt: Peter Lang, forthcoming, 2004, pp. 122-129.

Philomena Murray, 'Problems of Summitry and Symmetry in the EU-Australia Relationship', in S. Lawson, ed, *Europe and the Asia Pacific: Culture, Identity and Representations of Region*, London, Curzon Routledge, 2003, pp. 66-85.

Walter Veit, 'Australische Germanistik auf dem Wege zu interkulturellen Deutschland- und Europastudien', in Wierlacher, A. (ed.) *Handbuch interkultureller Germanistik*. Stuttgart: Metzler. 2003; pp. 595-602

Heidi Zogbaum, 'B.Traven Meets Frank Tannenbaum, chiapas 1926,' Joerg Thuneke (ed.), *B.Traven, The Writer*, Nottingham, Edition Refugium, 2003, pp.198-214.

Journal Articles

David Christian 'World History in Context', *Journal of World History*, Vol. 14 (2003), No. 4, pp. 437-58

Laszlo Csapo, 'The Beginning of the End of U.S. Hegemony: Europe and Asian Perspectives', *Dialogue, Academy of the Social Sciences in Australia*. Vol 22, No 3, 2003

Paul Hainsworth, Paul Mitchell and Carolyn O'Brien 'Defending the Nation: The Politics of Euroscepticism on the French Right', in *European Studies: An Interdisciplinary Series in European Culture, History and Politics*, Issue 20, forthcoming, 2004

Gennadi Kazakevitch, Qingguo Zhai, and R. Smyth, 'Shock Therapy versus Gradual Transition: Comparing the Experiences of Russia and China', *Public Economics Research*, Vol. 1 (1), China, October 2003 (Translated into Mandarin from the previous article)

L. Torlina and Gennadi Kazakevitch, 'Virtual Non-Profit Organizations: Social and Cultural Processes towards Open and Democratic Society: A Case of Literary Virtual Communities in Russia', *International e-Business Review*, Vol 3, 2003, pp. 89-91

Michael Longo, 'European Integration: Between "Micro-regionalism" and Globalism', *Journal of Common Market Studies*, Vol. 41, No. 3 (2003), pp. 475-494.

Philomena Murray, 'Factors for Integration? Transnational Party Cooperation in the European Parliament, 1952-79.' *Australian Journal of Politics and History*, Vol. 50, No. 1, forthcoming, 2004.

Chris Rumford and Philomena Murray, 'Do we need a core curriculum in European Union studies?' *European Political Science*, 3 (1); Autumn 2003, pp. 85-92.

Chris Rumford and Philomena Murray, 'Globalization and the limitations of European integration studies: interdisciplinary considerations', *Journal of Contemporary European Studies*, Vol. 11, No. 1, May 2003, pp. 85-93.

Philomena Murray and Chris Rumford, 'News from the Teaching the EU Interest Section', *EUSA Review*, Vol. 16, No. 2, Spring 2003, European Union Studies Association, USA, pp. 11-12.

Philomena Murray, 'An Asia Pacific Response to the European Union: Australian Elite Perceptions', *Asia Europe Journal*, Vol. 1, No. 1, February 2003, pp. 103-119.

Toshiya Nakamura, 'Nihon Kakubusoron toiu Borei' (Illusion of Nuclear Japan), *The Foresight*, Tokyo: Shinchosha, December 2003.

Bruno Sergi, 'How to Make IMF-Supported Programmes Credible: A Tripartite Body versus the 'Letters of Intent', *Transformations in Business & Economics*, Vol. 2, No. 2(4), 2003.

Bruno Sergi, 'FDI and the Balkans: A Regional Investment Agency and Regional Centred Economic Choices to Shape this Decade,' *South-East Europe Review for Labour and Social Affairs*, Vol. 6, No. 1-2, 2003, pp. 7-16.

Bruno Sergi, 'Testing the Saving Functions of Keynes and Maizels: A Case Study on Slovakia,' *Eastern European Economics*, Vol. 41, No. 3, 2003, pp. 60-69.

Walter Veit & Gerhard Leitner, 'Australia Centre (Potsdam) – down under,' in: *GASt Newsletter of the Association for Australian Studies* 17, 2003, pp. 9-21.

CONFERENCE AND SEMINAR PAPERS

Judith Armstrong attended the Modern Language Association Congress in San Diego, USA, in December 2003 for the launch of the book *Teaching Approaches to Anna Karenina*, to which she was invited to contribute a chapter.

Stefan Auer, 'Edmund Burke and the 1989 Revolutions in Central Europe', Centre for European Studies, Monash University, August 7, 2003.

Laszlo Csapo, 'The Hungarian Economic Reform 1964 - 1968 and the Relevance of the Concept of a Guided Market Economy in a Historical Perspective', Economic Institute of the Hungarian Scientific Academy, Budapest, September 2003.

Laszlo Csapo, 'Hegemony – An Application of Oligopoly Theory', School of Economics and Finance, Staff and Graduate Seminar, La Trobe University. December 16, 2003.

Laszlo Csapo participated in the meetings of the Monetary and Financial Economics Committee of the Hungarian Scientific Academy in Budapest, where he has been reelected as a member of the Committee, September 2003.

Laszlo Csapo participated in the conference organized by the Sociology Department at La Trobe University to honour Professor Ivan Szelenyi who is one of the leading urban sociologists in the world. Ideas were exchanged about the Roma problem in Hungary which will continue in Budapest in 2004 at CEU.

Leslie Holmes, 'Corruption and Democratisation: Problems of Legitimation in Russia and Other Post-Communist States', Refereed Conference Paper of the Australasian Political Studies Association 2003 Conference, 28 pages, available online at

<http://www.utas.edu.au/government/APSAR/RefereedPapers.html#Comparative>

Leslie Holmes presented a paper entitled 'Party Financing Problems: East and West Europe Compared' at St. Antony's College, Oxford University, in July.

Leslie Holmes was also the principal organiser of the annual CERC-CESAA conference in November, at which he presented two papers - the opening address on 'Corruption, Organised Crime and Terrorism: Europe and Australia Compared', and 'The Corruption - Organised Crime Nexus in Central and Eastern Europe'.

Geoffrey Jukes, Conference on Russia, St Antony's College, Oxford, July.

Geoffrey Jukes, 'The Russo-Japanese War of 1904-5 and its consequences', opening paper at International Conference on the War, Sapporo, Japan.

Gennadi Kazakevitch and R. Smyth, 'Shock Therapy versus Gradual Transition: Comparing the Experiences of Russia and China'.

L. Torlina and Gennadi Kazakevitch, 'Web Publishing Revisited – A Case Study of Literary Websites in Russia', *PACIS 2003, Proceedings*, Adelaide, July 2003.

Michael Kelly, 'Piedmontese Women and the Italian Partisan War: Defining the 'Other'?' Australasian Centre for Italian Studies (ACIS) Second Biennial Conference. *Italians and Their Others: Representations, identities and exchanges at home and abroad*, University of Western Australia, 3-5 July 2003.

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