

Danish-German-Polish Seminar for students and postgraduates Sankelmark Academy 27 - 29 September 2012

Living on the border. European Border Regions in Comparison

Program

27.9.2012 (Thursday)

until 15:00 *Arrivals*

15:30-15:45 **Welcoming**

Prof. Dr. Elisabeth Vestergaard

Prof. Dr. Stephan Panther

Dr. Christian Pletzing

15:45-16:00 **Introduction to the topic**

Prof. Dr. iur. Charlotte Gaitanides: The Microcosm of
European Integration: The functioning of EU-financed
cross-border co-operations

16:00-16:30 *Coffee break*

16:30-17:15 **Panel I: The German-Polish border region**

Dr. Elżbieta Opiłowska: History of the German-Polish border
region and the Europeanization of border regions – a research
paradigm

Prof. Dr. Katarzyna Stokłosa: Grenze im Bewusstsein und
Erzählungen der Bewohner der deutsch-polnischen
Grenzregion

17:15-18:00 **Panel II: The German-Danish border region**

Prof. Dr. Steen Bo Frandsen: History of regions

Prof. Dr. Martin Klatt: Sønderjylland-Schleswig – celebrating unity in diversity?

19:00 *Dinner*

21:00 **Evening speech**

Prof. Dr. Dr. Dr. h.c. Gerhard Besier: Boundaries between ourselves and others. The role of prejudice and stereotypes in general with specific reference to border regions

Dr. Christian Pletzing: Commuters in a border region – Jews in Kashubia

28.9.2012 (Friday)

8:00-9:00 *Breakfast*

9:30-11:00 **Panel III: Other European border regions (Part I)**

Andrea Varriale: Tirol Euroregion: bridging the wrong border?

Jaume Castan

The Spanish-Moroccan relationship: combining bonne entente with territorial disputes

Grätel Marksteiner und Nicolae Balc: Banat – Evolution and perspectives of a multicultural border region.

11:00-11:10 *Coffee break*

11:10-13:50 **Panel IV: Other European border regions (Part II)**

Laura Asarite: From a look backwards to a look forwards – the way to the border agreement between Latvia and Russia

Dinara Apakidze: Identities in the Euroregion SaarLorLux

Jutta Bissinger: Project "Neighbourhoods in Europe"

13:55-14:25 *Lunch*

14:30-18:00 **Sightseeing in the region**

19:00 *Dinner*

29.9.2012 (Saturday)

08:00-9:00 *Breakfast*

9:00-11:30 **Panel V: Other European border regions (Part III)**

Kim Plaetz: Germany and its Western Neighbours

Osama Salem: External Borders of the European Union

Sophie Wulk: Limits of the EU-enlargement

11:30-12:30 **Seminar evaluation**

12:30-13:00 *Lunch*

Departures



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