

“Futurological Congress” (Gogol Center, 14th to 16th of Feb., 2014) Conference Programme

First day (Friday, 14.02.2014):

10:00-10:30: Start of the conference (welcoming of the participants)

10:30-11:00: **Wojciech Orliński**, journalist working for "Gazeta Wyborcza" (Poland). Author of a number of books, including one on Stanisław Lem ("Co to są sepulki", Znak 2007).

Presentation subject: "Nonsense & baloney. Quod capita, tot sensus", or Futurology according to Stanisław Lem

11:00-11:15: Coffee break

11:15-11:45: **Constanze Kurz**, Scientific Project Director at the Research Center “Culture and Informatics” at the HTW – University of Applied Sciences Berlin; spokesperson for public association of German hackers “Chaos Computer Club” (CCC); publicist, author of books about informatics and data protection.

Presentation subject: “How far should we go in replacing ourselves by machines? “

11:45-12:15: **Alexander Bronnikov**, Moscow State University of Psychology & Education; expert in the Moscow based “Center of psychoanalysis”.

Presentation subject: <Lapsus futuris>

12:15-13:00: Discussion of the presentations

13:00-14:30: Lunch

14:30-15:00: **Sergey Krotov**, Professor at the Faculty of Physics, Moscow State University.

Presentation subject: <Theoretical physics & harmonization (formatting) of the future>

15:00-15:30: **Christopher Dell**, Professor of Urban Theory at the Department of Urban Design, HafenCity University Hamburg (2008-2010). Jazz Musician.

Presentation subject: Future of Urban Planning. How will be the conception of Urban Environment of Tomorrow?

15:30-15:45: Coffee break

15:45-16:15: **Halit Ünver**, research associate at the University of Ulm and Research Institute for Applied Knowledge Processing (FAW/n); member of the Young Leaders Group of the European Institute of Innovation and Technology Foundation.

Presentation subject: The concept of a global eco-social market economy – possible? achievable?

16:15-16:45: **Oleg Aronson**, Senior Fellow at the Institute of Philosophy of the Russian Academy of Sciences (IPhRAS).

Presentation subject: <Future: a zone of weak affectivity?>

16:45-17:15: **Hannah Leonie Prinzler**, Berlin-based filmmaker, video artist and editor; besides making films for broadcasters like ZDF/arte she has produced and directed a number of large-scale documentary video installations for major German museums.

Presentation subject: Who owns the world?

17:15-18:00: Discussion of the presentations

Second day (Saturday, 15.02.2014):

10:30-11:00: **Sophia Schönborn**, junior fellow at the Institute for Advanced Study in the Humanities (Essen, Germany)

Presentation subject: From grassroots innovations to intergenerational justice?

11:00-11:30: **Raissa Barash**, Fellow at Center for Integrated Social Studies, Institute of Sociology of the Russian Academy of Sciences

Presentation subject: Is sociology capable to disenchant the protest?

11:30-11:45: Coffee break

11:45-12:15: **Sönke Kreft**, Team Leader at the International Climate Policy unit of the NGO Germanwatch; Research Associate at United Nations University – Institute for Environmental and Human Security

Presentation subject: “Climate change: how to overcome the central sustainability challenge of the 21st century?”

12:15-12:45: **Justin E. H. Smith**, Professeur des Universités, Département d'Histoire et Philosophie des Sciences, Université Paris Diderot - Paris VII
Presentation subject: The Dark Side of the Moon?

12:45-13:30: Discussion of the presentations

13:30-14:30: Lunch

14:30-15:00: **Elena Petrovskaya**, Head of the Esthetics Sector, Institute of Philosophy of the Russian Academy of Sciences
Presentation subject: On the problem of new social subject (multitude)

15:00-15:30: **David Zubreczki**, blogger, landscape engineer, journalist and musician. His blog, Urbanista is about cities – first of all Budapest – transportation, architecture and real estate dealing.

Presentation subject: Predicting the Future of the City: easy in the XXth century, impossible now

15:30-15:45: Coffee break

15:45-16:15: **Olga Sedakova**, Poet, Translator, Senior Fellow at the Institute for History and Theory of World Culture, Moscow State University.
Presentation subject: The future <anxiety>?

16:15-16:45: **Oleg Genisaretskiy**, Philosopher, Doctor of Art History; Open University Skolkovo - Chairman of the Expert Council
Presentation subject: <Post-Urbanica>

16:45-17:30: Discussion of the presentations

Third day (Sunday, 16.02.2014):

15:00-17:00: Public discussion at the Gogol Center. All participants of the conference