V.N. Karazin Kharkiv National University, International Relations Office

"Cultural Heritage of Ukraine as a crossroad of religions, worldviews, and political views"

Scheduled: 16-27 August, 2021

With participation of: School of History, Sociology, International Economic Relations and Travel Business, German-Slavonic Archaeological Expedition, Center of the Regional Studies by the Name of Academician P. T. Tronka,

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Karazin's Student Theater

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Instructions:

Participants are required to bring personal sleeping bag! Participants expect to familiarize with school study materials before arrival and conscientiously read the course material in advance of each session.

Program:

Schedule	Activity	Instructor	Readings/Materials/Instructions
Monday, August 16	Day One		Main building, room 2-49
10:00 -10:30	Welcome and introduction of teaching staff	Greetings from rector Vil Bakirov Oleksandr Khyzhniak	
10:30 –11:00	Introduction to the course modules and its objectives Introducing the class. Ice braking activities	Olena Mashintsova	Divide into pairs, students will interview each other, collect and write information - name, country of origin, what work she/he does, interesting 'personal' facts that one wish to share. Interactive games.
11:00 11:30	Break		
11:30 –13:00	Ukraine-Geopolitical overview, analysis, and news. Ukraine and EU	Valeriy Reznikov (with translator)	Ukraine is the quintessential borderland state that sits on the Northern European Plain, the area that has historically served as an invasion superhighway going East and West. Beyond its strategic location, Ukraine's geography has only facilitated such invasions. Maintaining sovereignty and unity in this position is Ukraine's primary geographic challenge.
13:00 -14:30	Lunch		
14:30 –15:30	Intoduction lecture:	Aksonova Nataliya	Ethnic zones, cultural regions, geographical diversity of Ukraine. Historical map (Changes over time)

	Ethnographic diversity of		
	Ukraine: common and distinct features between regions		
18:00-20:00	Cooking activity and welcome dinner	O.Mashintsova	Food market, Sumskaja street
Tuesday, August 17	Day Two		
09:30 –10:00	Departure to archeological site Viytenki (Kharkiv region)	Olena Mashintsova	Trip by Karazin's university bus Att. Personal sleeping bag is a must
12:00 -13:00	Accommodation	Mikhail Lubichev	
13:30 –14:30	Lunch		
14:30 -15:00	Study tour	Mikhail Lubichev	
15:00 –17:00	Ancient cultures on the territory of present Ukrainian state, settlements, and the Great Migration period. Material culture as a great evidence.	Mikhail Lubichev	Open air lecture
19.00- 20.00	Dinner, bonfire		
Wednesday, August 18	Day Three		
8.00-13.00	Work on the site.		15 minutes break every 45 minutes.
13.00-14.00	Lunch		
14.00-17.00	Work on the site.		15 minutes break every 45 minutes.

Thursday, August 19	Day Four		
9.00-9.30	Departure to Kharkiv	Olena Mashintsova	Trip by Karazin's university bus
13.30-14.30	Lunch		
17.00-18.30	Folk practice	Karazin Student Theater Liliya Petrenko	Folk song. Traditional Ukrainian dance "Gopak" Theatrical performance (short play) Folk games.
Friday, August 20	Day Five		
09:30-10.30	History: Kievan Rus and Period of State Fragmentation	Roman Kazankov	Kievan Rus as the first state of Eastern Slavs. Adopting Christianity. Golden Age of Kievan Rus. Laws, Living conditions, traditions and life style. Causes for political fragmentation and its consequences
10.30- 11.00	Break		
11.00-13.00	First Ukrainian Cossack State (Rise and Fall). When, Why, and How. Soviet Ukrainian Republic.	Roman Kazankov	Zaporozhskaya Sech. Relations with its neighbors. Liberation War. The Ruin. Ukrainian Hetmans and Russian tsars. Ukrainian territories under the power of West and Tsardom of Russia. How Ukraine appeared on political map
13.00-14.30	Lunch		
14.30-15.30	Ukraine for the world, the world for Ukraine: regional pages of history of international relations	Sergiy Kudelko	Lecture at "Science House of Kharkiv" (Historical building)
18.00-19.00	Folk practice	Karazin Student Theater Liliya Petrenko	Folk song. Traditional Ukrainian dance "Gopak" .Theatrical performance (short play). Folk games.

Saturday, August 21	Day Six		
12:00-13:30	Sport activity		Beach Volleyball at Gorky Park/ biking
17.00- 20.00	Folk practice	Karazin Student Theater Liliya Petrenko	Folk song. Traditional Ukrainian dance "Gopak" .Theatrical performance (short play). Folk games.
Sunday, August 22	Day Seven	Free day	
Monday, August 23	Day Eight		
9.00-17.00	Day trip to Slavyansk	O.Mashintsova	Trip to Kharkiv region by university bus
Tuesday, August 24	Day Nine		
9.30-13.00	Work in the archeological (restoration) laboratory.	Mikhail Lubichev	Personal tasks for every participant
13.00-14.30	Lunch		
14.30-15.30	History of Kharkov in the mirror of toponymy	Sergiy Kudelko	
18.00-19.00	Folk practice	Karazin Student Theater Liliya Petrenko	Folk song. Traditional Ukrainian dance "Gopak" .Theatrical performance (short play). Folk games.
Wednesday, August 25	Day Ten		
9.30-10.30	Religion. The roots of unity and separation.	Anna Bondarenko	Christianly or Islam? Golden age. Historical reasons for Church division.
10.30-11.00	Break		

11.00-13.00	Religion as a reflection of social life		
13.00-14.30	Lunch		
14.30-15.30	Churches of Kharkiv	Anna Bondarenko	Orthodox/Catholic churches, synagogue and mosque
Thursday, August 26	Day Eleven		
9.30-13.00	Excursion around the Kharkiv city. Pioneers (first and progressive): Kharkiv's achievements and priorities.	Olga Vovk Bus tour/open air lecture	Historical parts. Architecture and architects. People that you know. Vicissitudes of life
10.30-11.00	Coffee break	City cafe	
13.00-14.30	Lunch		
14.30-15.30	Images of Kharkov in the fine arts of the 19th - early 21st centuries	Olga Pavlova	Museum of Kharkiv at Kharkiv National University of Urban Economics by the name of O.M Beketov
16.00-17.30	Folk practice	Karazin Student Theater Liliya Petrenko	
11.00-11.30	Starry night		V.N.Karazin Kharkiv National University Observatory
Friday, August 27	Day twelve		
9.30-10.30	Kharkiv University and its contribution to science, education, art of the region. Past and present	Anna Bondarenko	
10.30-11.30	Break		

11.30-12.30	Folk concert	Karazin Student Theater Liliya Petrenko	Concert hall of Karazin University
12.30-13.00	Graduation ceremony	Oleksandr Khyzhniak	
	Farewell dinner	O.Mashintsova	
Saturday, August 28	Departure		