Program: CET Prague

Course Title: Nationalism, Minorities, and Migrations in Europe

Course Code: JSCE342

**Total Hours: 45** 

**Recommended Credits: 3** 

Suggested Cross Listings: Sociology, Political Science, History

Language of Instruction: English

Prerequisites/Requirements: Open to all students

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Class Schedule: Monday 16:15-19:15

# CET ACADEMIC PROGRAMS

## **Description of the course**

The aim of the course is to introduce the students into the migration and nationalism phenomenon – the creation of stereotypes and the functioning of the game "Us" and "Them" in everyday social relations and in society via media, commercial culture, policy-making and historical understanding.

The laboratory of Czech lands will serve the students as the "field site" for this task as the Czech Republic is situated in the center of Europe, thus located at the intersection of Eastern and Western cultures. We will explore these concepts throughout the course.

The Czech lands will be for us not only an arena for us to discuss history and its tragic turns, but also as an attempt to identify the contemporary situation in the Czech lands. The Czech Republic was one of the most heterogeneous places in Europe, but because of historical circumstances became homogeneous when it emerged as an independent state after the fall of Communism. Migration, EU membership and globalization are rapidly diversifying the Czech Republic. We will discuss these historical changes and the contemporary situation to come to a better understanding of where the Czech Republic is today and the mentality that has emerged.

Participation of students is expected and required.

#### **Objectives**

The course is aimed at describing various issues connected to processes that form contemporary European society (Czech society). Students will be introduced into the complex phenomenon of migration, nationalism, formation of ethnic minorities etc. through different perspectives. This course will not be compromised only of theoretical lectures, but practical illustrations and examples will serve to familiarize the students with the issues mentioned above.

After completing the course students will be able:

- to apply theoretical concepts from studies of migration, visual sociology and political science
- to understand the importance of stereotypes in the past and the present, to understand what new methods are used to create stereotypes, to understand the new divisions between us and the other
- to learn historical background, facts about ethnical, language diversity of Czech lands

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to understand the position of the Czech Republic in today's Europe

#### **Course Method & Requirements**

Lectures and seminars (discussions)

In order for the course to be successful, students have to fulfil following requirements:

# Attendance and participation in class

Students are required to participate actively in the classes – involvement in discussions etc. For the attendance policy see Academic handbook.

# Weekly responses to readings

Students are asked to submit a position paper (300 words at least) based on the reading for the week. This position paper should reflect issues and important questions from the texts and also students' understanding of connection with the overall goals of the course. Position papers should be submitted in hard copy in class. (Except Week 1 – Introduction, Week 7 – Midterm, Week 13 – Presentation of student's final papers). In addition, each student will be once a semester asked to present her/his position paper (15 min.). The discussion with the rest of students will follow.

#### Midterm

Midterm test will be based on the topics discussed in the first half of the semester.

## Final Test

Final test will consist of guestions related to the discussed topics and obligatory reading.

#### Paper

Final paper is the most important part of the students' work during the whole semester. The topic will be chosen from the list of themes from the syllabus. While writing the final paper, students should benefit from obligatory and suggested readings, lecturers and their own experience. The minimal length of the text is 2 500 words. The paper has to follow the academic standards concerning the form.

Students are asked to deliver an outline (200 words) for the final paper by Week 7. The outline should contain description of the topic, aims of the final paper, methodology and basic literature and resources which the students will have worked with. At the beginning of the semester students will receive a "Grading Grid" for the final paper - clearly defining how each component of the assignment will be graded. The outline should be sent to: 2salim.m@gmail.com and also submitted in hard copy in class.

#### **Methods of Evaluation**

The final grade is determined as	follows:
Attendance/Participation	10%
Weekly Reading responses	10%
Midterm	20%
Final test	20%
Final paper	40%

# **Attendance Policy**

Mandatory attendance is a primary requirement for a responsible learning experience. Please consider that every absence has the potential to lower the final grade, as it may affect the "attendance and participation" portion of your grade or result in missing key information that could appear on quizzes or exams. In addition, professors take attendance at the beginning of the class. If you are more than 10 minutes late, professors mark one hour of absence from class. Onsite visits count as regular class hours. A no-show to a site visit counts as an absence. Detailed information about the Attendance you will find in the **CET** 

# **Prague Academic Policies**

# **Grading scale**

A:	93-100%	C+:	77-79%
A-:	90-92%	C:	73-76%
B+:	87-89%	C-:	70-72%
B:	83-86%	D+:	67-69%
B-:	80-82%	D:	60-66%
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F: 59% and below

## **Primary & Supplemental Texts**

See weekly assignments and course schedule

# **Course Schedule**

#### Week 1

Monday 29 January

#### Course overview

The Mystery of Central Europe. Who cares?

#### Obligatory Reading:

Kundera, M. 'The Tragedy of Central Europe' in: *The New York Review of Books (pre-1986)*, Vol. 31, No. 007 (Apr. 26, 1984). ProQuest Central. (pp. 33–38)

#### Suggested Reading:

Batt, J. 'Introduction: Defining Central and Eastern Europe' in: White, S., Batt, J., Lewis, P. G. (eds.) *Developments in Central and East European Politics*. New York: Palgrave, 2003. ISBN 0-333-94878-7 (pp. 3–22)

Castles, S. 'International Migration at the Beginning of the Twenty-first Century: Global Trends and Issues' in: *International Social Science Journal*, Vol. 52, No. 3 (2000). Oxford: Blackwell Publishers. (pp. 269–281)

#### Week 2

#### Monday 5 February

Asylum and the Czechs in the Communism Era, and Asylum and the Czechs in the age of freedom, democracy and prosperity.

Migration and a New Role of Central Europe in Enlarged European Union.

## Obligatory Reading:

Frank, S (2008): Kundera In: Migration and Literature Günter Grass, Milan Kundera, Salman Rushdie, and Jan Kjærstad. New York. (pp. 79 – 127)

Pehe, J. 'Refugees in Modern Czech History' in: UNHCR, *Flight and Exile in Art*. Prague, 2002. (pp. 22–24)

Murad, S. *Migration and the New Role of Central Europe in Enlarged European Union*. Available on: <a href="http://www.forcedmigration.org/pdf/events/prague2004/murad-paper.pdf/view">http://www.forcedmigration.org/pdf/events/prague2004/murad-paper.pdf/view</a>

#### Suggested Reading:

Kolaja, J. 'A Sociological Note on the Czechoslovak Anti-communist Refugee' in: *The American Journal of Sociology*, Vol. 58, No. 3 (Nov., 1952). The University of Chicago Press. (pp. 289–291)

Castles, S., Miller, M. J. 'Refugees and asylum' in: *The Age of Migration: International Population Movements in the Modern World*. Third Edition. New York: Palgrave Macmillan, 2003. ISBN 978-0-333-94879-8 (pp. 102–109)

Early Emigrant Letter Stories. www.emigrantletters.com

Roucek, J. S. 'The Image of the Slav in U. S. History and in Immigration Policy' in: *American Journal of Economics and Sociology*, Vol. 28, No. 2 (Jan., 1969). American Journal of Economics and Sociology, Inc. (pp. 29–48)

Kundera, M. Ignorance. London: Faber and Faber Ltd., 2002. ISBN 0-571-21552-1

Bergmann, W. 'Anti-Semitic Attitudes in Europe: A Comparative Perspective' in: *Journal of Social Issues*, Vol. 64, No. 2 (2008). (pp. 343–362)

Curtis M. 'The Hilsner Case and Ritual Murder' in: *Human Rights Review* (April-June 2004). (pp. 50–61)

#### Week 3

Monday 12 February Refugee crisis in 2015

# Obligatory Reading:

Čulík Jan: Fencing off the east: how the refugee crisis is dividing the European Union. In: The Conversation: <a href="https://theconversation.com/fencing-off-the-east-how-the-refugee-crisis-is-dividing-the-european-union-47586">https://theconversation.com/fencing-off-the-east-how-the-refugee-crisis-is-dividing-the-european-union-47586</a>

Schweitzer Andras: Eastern Europe's hard attitude to refugees is born out of trauma. In. The Guardian: <a href="https://www.theguardian.com/world/commentisfree/2015/oct/22/refugee-eastern-europe-trauma-governments-bigotry">https://www.theguardian.com/world/commentisfree/2015/oct/22/refugee-eastern-europe-trauma-governments-bigotry</a>

Zeman: Czech firefighters should help police, military on border. In. Prague Daily Monitor: <a href="http://praguemonitor.com/2016/01/28/zeman-czech-firefighters-should-help-police-military-border">http://praguemonitor.com/2016/01/28/zeman-czech-firefighters-should-help-police-military-border</a>

Bertrand Pierre: Eastern EU countries cry foul over "garbage can" food quality. Euronews: <a href="http://www.euronews.com/2017/02/22/eastern-eu-countries-cry-foul-over-garbage-can-food-quality">http://www.euronews.com/2017/02/22/eastern-eu-countries-cry-foul-over-garbage-can-food-quality</a>

# <u>Suggested Youtube videos:</u>

BBC 2. ThisWorld. Documentary film by Katya Adler. Uploaded to Youtube by Philip Hunt. (minutes 14:20 to 28:00): <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZMQXXCiEQnA">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZMQXXCiEQnA</a>

Jacques Rupnik – An East-West Divide on Europe's Migrant Crisis: Responses and Narratives. Uploaded to Youtube by: Watson Institute for International and Public Affairs: <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4qLwkFpmmlU&t=1866s">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4qLwkFpmmlU&t=1866s</a>

#### Suggested Reading:

Bauman Zygmunt: Strangers at Our Door. Polity Press 2016

Žižek Slavoj: Refugees, terror and Other Troubles with the Neighbors. Against the double blackmail. Melville House Publishing 2016.

#### Week 4

Monday 19 February

Roma the issue of exclusion - Roma the most Foreign of Foreigners in Czech lands.

# Obligatory Reading:

Barša, P. 'Ethnocultural Justice in East European States and the Case of the Czech Roma' in: Kymlicka, W., Opalski, M. (eds.) *Can Liberal Pluralism be Exported? Western Political Theory and Ethnic Relations in Eastern Europe*. Oxford: Oxford University Press. ISBN 0-19-924815-X (pp. 243–258)

Hate Crime Laws: A Practical Guide. Warsaw: OSCE Office for Democratic Institutions and Human Rights, 2009. ISBN 978-92-9234-757-4 (p. 53)

Immigration and Refugee Board of Canada, *Czech Republic: Information on skinheads and other extremist groups*, 1 January 1998, CZE28659.E. Available on: http://www.unhcr.org/refworld/docid/3ae6ad092c.html [accessed 2 January 2010]

Růžička, M. 'Researching and Politicizing Migration: The Case of Roma/Gypsies in Post-Socialist Czecho-Slovakia' in: Hofírek, O., Klvaňová, R., Nekorjak, M. (eds.) *Boundaries in Motion: Rethinking Contemporary Migration Events*. Brno: Centre for the Study of Democracy and Culture, 2009. ISBN 978-80-7325-191-8 (pp. 79–103)

Unwanted Journey: Why Central European Roma are fleeing to the UK. Refugee Council, March 1999. (Long whip, small yard: evidence of prejudice and violence against Roma in the Czech Republic, Slovakia and Romania, pp 11–31; Wolfing down the scapegoat: media coverage of the arrival of Czech, Slovak and Romanian Roma asylum seekers in the UK pp. 67–70)

## Suggested Reading:

Pavelčíková, N. 'Roma culture as a specific phenomenon of the Czech Republic's multicultural society' in: Kroupová, A., Urban, D. (eds.) *Tolerance in Multicultural Society of Central Europe*, Vol. 21. Prague: EIS-SVLP UK, 2006. (pp. 50–57)

Sedláková, R. 'The Media as a Tool of Social Exclusion – an Example of Presentation of the Roma in the Czech Media' in: Sirovátka, T. et al. *The Challenge of Social Inclusion: Minorities and Marginalised Groups in Czech Society*. Brno: Společnost pro odbornou literaturu – Barrister & Principal, 2006. ISBN 80-87029-06-2 (pp. 155–181)

#### Week 5

## Monday 26 February

Part 1: Roma revolt and grief in the poems of Roma women

# Obligatory Reading:

Zinn, Gessa.: '"Exile," "Home," and "Nostalgia" in Paintings and Poetry by the Romni Artist Ceija Stojka' in: Nairn, T.; Kalantzis, M.: *Shadow and Sunlight*. International Journal of the Humanities, Volume 2, Number 2. Article: HC04-0195-2004 (pp. 1627 - 1635)

Rosenberg, Karen; Stojka, Ceija.: 'They Couldn't Take Our Thoughts: A Conversation with Ceija Stojka.' in: *The Women's Review of Books*, Vol. 12, No. 6 (Mar., 1995), Old City Publishing, Inc. (pp. 18-20)

Brooks, Ethel C.: 'The Possibilities of Romani Feminism' in: Signs: Journal of Women in Culture and Society 2012, vol. 38, no. 1, The University of Chicago Press, (pp 1-11)

Fonseca Isabel: Out of the Mouth of Papusza: A Cautionary Tale. In: Bury Me Standing: The Gypsies and their Journey. Vintage Books. London 2006. (pp 3. - 16)

## Suggested Reading:

Greenberg, Jack.: 'Roma Victimization: From Now to Antiquity' in: Columbia Human Rights Law Review, Volume 41, Number 1, Fall 2009. (pp. 1-12)

## Suggested poems:

Czerner, Dorota.: 'In Her Wake' Metambesen, Annandale-on-Hudson 2014. (pp 1-20)

#### Suggested movie:

Papusza (2013) Directors: Joanna Kos-Krauze, Krzysztof Krauze. Poland 126 min

Description of the movie: Wawrzeniuk, Piotr.: Papusza, The story of a Polish Roma poet. In: Baltic Worlds: http://balticworlds.com/papusza/

Part 2: The Issue of Extremism in the Czech Republic in 2015 from the Ministry of Interior's review point of view. On the beginning of this workshop we will debate the annual report of the Ministry of Interior regarding the state of political extremism in the contemporary Czech Republic. Then we will play the role model exercise: Try to imagine yourself as a forensic expert specializing in extremism. For this second part of our workshop students are asked to know not only the annual report of the Ministry of Interior but also text written by Timothy S. Brown: Subcultures, Pop Music and Politics: Skinheads and "Nazi Rock" in England and Germany.

# **Obligatory Reading:**

Report on Extremism in the Territory of the Czech Republic in 2015: http://www.mvcr.cz/mvcren/article/documents-on-the-fight-against-extremism.aspx

Timothy S. Brown: Subcultures, Pop Music and Politics: Skinheads and "Nazi Rock" in England and Germany.

# Suggested Reading:

Čakl, O.; Wollmann, R. (2005) 'Czech Republic' in: Mudde, C. (ed.) *Racist Extremism in Central and Eastern Europe*. Routledge Studies in Extremism and Democracy. London and New York: Routledge, 2005. ISBN 0-415-35593-1 (pp. 28-53)

Mareš, M. Extremist Parties in East Central Europe during post-communist transformation process. Conference Paper, "Democracy and Extremism" – an international conference (Georgia State University, Atlanta, June 11-13, 2008)

#### Week 6

#### Monday 5 March

Muslims in current Europe, the image of Muslims in European Politics. The Copenhagen School theory of Securitisation. Migration and security nexus. Immigration from the Middle East to the Czech Republic/Czechoslovakia.

# Obligatory Reading:

Kalmar, I: Anti-Semitism and Islamophobia: The Formation of a Secret. HUMAN ARCHITECTURE:

JOURNAL OF THE SOCIOLOGY OF SELF-KNOWLEDGE, VII, 2, SPRING 2009, 135-144

Online at: <a href="http://utoronto.academia.edu/lvanKalmar">http://utoronto.academia.edu/lvanKalmar</a>

Kalmar, I; Ramadan, T: ANTISEMITISM AND ISLAMOPHOBIA

Online at: <a href="http://utoronto.academia.edu/lvanKalmar">http://utoronto.academia.edu/lvanKalmar</a>

Matti, B. (2005): *Anti-Semitism and Islamophobia: Some thoughts on the New Europe*. American Ethnologist, Vol. 32, No. 4. (Nov., 2005) (pp. 499 – 508)

Ostřanský, B. 'Muslim Minorities in the Czech Republic', paper presented in the International summer school for the study of religions arranged by The Department for the Study of Religions of the Faculty of Arts of Masaryk University in Brno, 2007.

Schneider, J. 'Muslim Minorities and Czech Society' in: Kilpaldi, P. *Islam and Tolerance in Wider Europe*, Budapest, New York: Open Society Institute. 2007. (pp 131 -135)

Wæwer, O. 'Societal security: the concept' in: Concepts of Security. Copenhagen: Institute of Political Science, University of Copenhagen, 1997. ISBN 87-7393-346-5 (pp. 257–280)

EU divert from Christianity, faces Islamisation - Czech Cardinal. [online] Available on: < http://www.ceskenoviny.cz/domov/zpravy/podle-kardinala-vlka-hrozi-eu-islamizace?id=416404> (Accessed on 11 January 2010)

# Suggested Reading:

Allen, J. T., Wike, R. 'How Europe and Its Muslim Populations See Each Other' in: Sinno, A. H. (ed.) *Muslims in Western Politics*. Bloomington: Indiana University Press, 2009. (pp. 137–160)

Huysmans, J. 'The European Union and the Securitization of Migration' in: *Journal of Common Market Studies*, Vol. 38, No. 5 (December, 2000). (pp. 751–777)

Boswell, C. *The Securitization of Migration: A Risky Strategy for European States*. Copenhagen: Danish Institute for International Studies. April 2007.

Week 7

Monday 12 March

Midterm Test

Are the Czech forever "Ossis" from the West European perspective?

Students photo exercise.

Obligatory Reading:

Berdahl, D. Where the World Ended: Re-Unification and Identity in the German Borderland. Berkeley, Los Angeles and London: University of California Press, 1999. ISBN 0-520-21477-3 (Borderlands – The Afterlife of the Wall, pp. 167–183)

Betts, P. 'The Twilight of the Idols: East German Memory and Material Culture' in: *The Journal of Modern History*, Vol. 72, No. 3 (Sep., 2000). The University of Chicago Press. (pp. 731–765)

Luthar, B. 'Remembering socialism: On desire, consumption and surveillance' in: *Journal of Consumer Culture*. Sage Publications, 2006. 6. (pp. 229–259)

# Suggested Reading:

Berdahl, D. "(N)Ostalgie' for the Present: Memory, Longing, and East German Things' in: *Ethnos*, Vol. 64, No. 2 (1999). Routledge. (pp. 192–211)

Berdahl, D. Where the World Ended: Re-Unification and Identity in the German Borderland. Berkeley, Los Angeles and London: University of California Press, 1999. ISBN 0-520-21477-3 (Introduction, pp. 1–22; The Politics of Consumption, pp. 122–126.

# Monday 19 March

Traveling seminar

#### Week 8

Monday 26 March

Creating of European identity. Are the Czechs Eurosceptical? Or is it only the president.

#### Obligatory Reading:

European Communities, 'Declaration on European Identity' in: *Bulletin of the European Communities*. Copenhagen, December 1973, No. 12. (pp. 118–122)

Niethammer, L. 'A European Identity?' in: Stråth, B. (ed.) Europe and the other and Europe as the other. Brussels: P. I. E. – Peter Lang s. a., 2000. ISBN 90-5201-913-4 (pp. 87–111)

Shore, C. 'Creating the people's Europe: symbols, history and invented traditions' in: *Building Europe: The Cultural Politics of European Integration*. London and New York: Routlege, 2002. ISBN 0-415-18014-5 (pp. 41–65)

Stråt, B. 'A European Identity: To the Historical Limits of a Concept' in: *European Journal of Social Theory*, Vol. 5, No. 4 (2002). ISSN 1368-4310 (pp. 387–401)

Baer, J. (2000) Imagining Membership: The Conception of Europe in the Political Thought of T. G. Masaryk and Václav Havel. In: Studies in East European Thought, Vol. 52, No. 3 (Sep., 2000), Published by: Springer. (pp. 203-226)

# Suggested Reading:

Favell, A., Hansen, R. 'Markets against politics: migration, EU enlargement and the idea of Europe' in: *Journal of Ethnic and Migration Studies*, Vol. 28, No. 4 (Oct., 2002). Taylor & Francis, Ltd. (pp. 581–601)

Robert Schuman, Declaration, May 1950

50 years of the European Union. EU2007.de

http://www.eu2007.de/en/The Council Presidency/download docs/50JahreEU en.pdf

Morris J (2007): Drinking to the Nation: Russian Television Advertising and Cultural Differentiation. EUROPE-ASIA STUDIES. Vol. 59, No. 8, December 2007, (pp. 1387 – 1403)

# Monday 2 April Spring Break

#### Week 9

Monday 9 April

The Central Europe in the net of global capitalism - consumerism as a reason of creating stereotypes and labour migration.

Refugee Crisis in Europe – political response in the Czech Republic

# **Obligatory Reading:**

Bauman, Z. 'Part I – The meaning of work: producing the work ethic; From the work ethic to the aesthetic of consumption' in: *Work, consumerism and the new poor*. Berkshire: Open University Press, McGraw-Hill Education, McGraw-Hill House, Shoppenhangers Road, Maidenhead; New York: Two Penn Plaza, 2005. ISBN 0335 21598 X (pp. 5–42)

Murad, S. 'Questioning Migration in the Czech Republic Before the 2009 Economic Crisis'. In: Walton-Roberts, Margaret; Hennebry, Jenna (Eds.) Territoriality and Migration in the E.U. Neighbourhood Spilling over the Wall. Series: International Perspectives on Migration, Vol. 5 2014, VI, 254 p. 11 illus. ISBN 978-94-007-6745-4. Springer Dordrecht Heidelberg New York London. pp. 209 – 225.

Sennett, R. 'Consuming Politics' in: *The Culture of the New Capitalism*. New Haven and London: Yale University Press, 2006. ISBN 978-0-300-11992-3 (pp. 131–178  $\rightarrow$  <u>Citizen as Consumer, pp. 157 - 177</u>)

Drbohlav, D; Seidlová, M.: Current Ukrainian migra on to Czechia – refuge for economic migrants rather than for refugees. In: Drbohlav, D.; Jaroszewicz, M.: Ukrainian Migration in Times of Crisis: Forced and Labour Mobility. Charles University Faculty of Science Prague 2016. (pp. 96 – 124). Online at: https://drive.google.com/file/d/0B5qHs2ZnDU65SXNVSnA0X0FFWEk/view

# Suggested Online Reading

Fargues, P.: 2015: The year we mistook refugees for invaders. Migration Policy Centre Robert Schuman Centre for Advanced Studies - European University Institute. Florence Italy. 2015 <a href="http://migrationpolicycentre.eu/docs/policy-brief/P.B.2015-12.pdf?utm-source=MPC+Newsletter&utm-campaign=5d651e0cf8-New MPC Policy Brief 12 22 2015&utm-medium=email&utm-term=0 5739ea1f8b-5d651e0cf8-40546021</a>

Integrating Muslims into Europe is 'impossible', says Czech president <a href="http://www.theguardian.com/world/2016/jan/18/integrating-muslims-into-europe-is-impossible-says-czech-president">http://www.theguardian.com/world/2016/jan/18/integrating-muslims-into-europe-is-impossible-says-czech-president</a>

 $\underline{\text{http://www.theguardian.com/world/2015/dec/27/czech-president-migrants-should-be-fighting-isis-not-invading-europe}$ 

Survey shows Czechs are the least tolerant in EU toward blacks, Buddhists, Muslims, Roma <a href="http://www.romea.cz/en/news/world/survey-shows-czechs-are-the-least-tolerant-in-eu-toward-blacks-buddhists-muslims-roma">http://www.romea.cz/en/news/world/survey-shows-czechs-are-the-least-tolerant-in-eu-toward-blacks-buddhists-muslims-roma</a>

Original survey is available at: Discrimination in the EU in 2015 (Special Eurobarometer 437) : <a href="http://ec.europa.eu/COMMFrontOffice/PublicOpinion/index.cfm/Survey/getSurveyDetail/instruments/SPECIAL/surveyKy/2077">http://ec.europa.eu/COMMFrontOffice/PublicOpinion/index.cfm/Survey/getSurveyDetail/instruments/SPECIAL/surveyKy/2077</a>

Benjamin Cunningham: Unbearable angst of Czech being: <a href="http://www.politico.eu/article/unbearable-angst-of-czech-being-economy-eurozone-migration-crisis-brexit-identity-crisis/">http://www.politico.eu/article/unbearable-angst-of-czech-being-economy-eurozone-migration-crisis-brexit-identity-crisis/</a>

Coilin O'Connor: Czech TV Station Tells Reporters To Take Hard Line On Refugees <a href="http://www.rferl.org/content/czech-tv-station-controversy-refugees-as-risk-reporting/27774568.html">http://www.rferl.org/content/czech-tv-station-controversy-refugees-as-risk-reporting/27774568.html</a>

Rodney Benson: Migrants at sea: the missing context:

https://theconversation.com/migrants-at-sea-the-missing-context-42028

Mike Berry, Iñaki Garcia-Blanco, Kerry Moore: UK press is the most aggressive in reporting on Europe's 'migrant' crisis:

https://theconversation.com/uk-press-is-the-most-aggressive-in-reporting-on-europes-migrant-crisis-56083

IOM: Migration flows – Europe: <a href="http://migration.iom.int/europe/">http://migration.iom.int/europe/</a>

UNHCR: Figures at a Glance: <a href="http://www.unhcr.org/figures-at-a-glance.html">http://www.unhcr.org/figures-at-a-glance.html</a>

#### Week 10

# Monday 16 April

Ethnic Stereotypes and the Czech Commercial Culture.

## Obligatory Reading:

Code of Advertising Practice. (section 4. Social Responsibility of Advertising) Available on: <a href="http://www.rpr.cz/cz/en.php">http://www.rpr.cz/cz/en.php</a>

Scott, S., Cartledge, K. H. 'Migrant Assimilation in Europe: A Transnational Family Affair' in: *International Migration Review*, Vol. 43, No. 1 (Spring 2009). (pp. 60–89)

Wucker, M. 'Immigrant Integration: Lessons from the U.S. Experience' in: *Reports&Analyses* 26/06. Center for International Relations. (pp. 1–7)

Sturken, M., Cartwright, L. *Practices of looking and introduction to visual culture*. New York: Oxford University Press, 2001. (pp. 10-43)

Frith, K. T.; Mueller, B. (2010): Advertising and Race. In: Advertising and Societies. Global Issues. Peter Lang Publishing. New York. 2<sup>nd</sup> ed. (pp. 109 – 120)

Hall, Stuart. 2002. "The Spectacle of the Other." in Hall, Stuart (ed.): Representations. Cultural Representations and Signifying Practices. London, Thousand Oaks, New Delhi: Sage. (pp. 225–279)

#### Suggested Reading:

Taylor, C. R., Lee, J. Y. 'Not in Vogue: Portrayals of Asian Americans in Magazine Advertising' in: *Journal of Public Policy & Marketing*, Vol. 13, No. 2 (Fall, 1994). American Marketing Association. (pp. 239–245)

Morris J (2007): Drinking to the Nation: Russian Television Advertising and Cultural Differentiation. EUROPE-ASIA STUDIES. Vol. 59, No. 8, December 2007, (pp. 1387 – 1403)

Johnson, K. J. (2011): The Curious Tale of the Polish Plumber: Rebranding Nations for the Social and Political Situations. Advertising & Society Review. Volume 12, Issue 1, 2011. The Advertising Educational Foundation.

Hurwitz, J., Peffley, M. 'Public Perceptions of Race and Crime: The Role of Racial Stereotypes' in: *American Journal of Political Science*, Vol. 41, No. 2 (Apr., 1997). Midwest Political Science Association. (pp. 375–401)

Sigelman, L., Tuch, S. A. 'Metastereotypes: Blacks' Perceptions of Whites' Stereotypes of Blacks' in: *The Public Opinion Quarterly*, Vol., 61, No. 1, Special Issue on Race (Spring, 1997). Oxford University Press on behalf of the American Association for Public Opinion Research. (pp. 87–101)

## Week 11

Monday 23 April

Vietnamese community in the Czech Republic: Integrated or segregated?

(Field trip to Sapa market)

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Nožina, M.: Crime networks in Vietnamese diasporas. The Czech Republic case Crime Law Soc Change (2010) 53:229–258 DOI 10.1007/s10611-009-9226-9

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## Week 12

Monday 30 April

The concept of the Czech national identity.

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Surrenti, S. (2009): The Consumption of Experience and the Ethnic Market: Cosmopolitan Identity beyond Multiculturalism. In: Prato, G. B. (ed.) (2009): Beyond Multiculturalism: Views from Anthropology. Surrey: Ashgate, p. 201 – 216.

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Balabanis, G.; Diamantopoulos, A; Mueller, R. D; Melewar, T. C.: The Impact of Nationalism, Patriotism and Internationalism on Consumer Ethnocentric Tendencies. Journal of International Business Studies. Vol. 32 No 1 (1st Qtr., 2001) Palgrave Macmillan journals (pp. 157 – 175)

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#### Week 13

Monday 7 May

Presentation of student's final papers. Concluding debate.

Final Test