

# Radical right in Europe and East Asia: Comparison and New Approaches in Research

Prague, Vila Lanna, November 14<sup>th</sup> – 15<sup>th</sup> 2023

9:30 Opening of the Conference

10:00 – 10:30 Welcome addresses

Jakub Drábik (Masaryk Institute  
and Archives of the Czech Academy  
of Sciences)

Dušan Vávra (Department of Chinese  
Studies, Masaryk University)

## DAY 1: HISTORICAL FASCISM IN ASIA

10:30 – 11:30 Keynote

„And tomorrow the whole world“:  
*The Methodological Problems of Researching  
an Asian Fascism*

Prof. Roger Griffin (Oxford Brookes  
University)

11:30 – 13:00 Lunch Break

13:00 – 13:45 Fascism in China

*Chinese Fascism: A New Definition  
and Fascist Internationalism  
during the Sino-Japanese War*

Chiao-In Chen (Universitat Autònoma  
de Barcelona)

*Literary and cultural contact between  
Franco's Spain and Chiang's China*

Alba Barrera (University of St Andrews)

13:45 – 14:30 The Far East and the Far Right:  
Extremist Ideologies in Manchuria

*God, Nation, Labour. Russian Fascism  
in Manchuria in 1930s*

Zbynek Vydra (University of Pardubice)

*Becoming Asian instead of Communist:  
The Manchurian Writer Gu Ding's Tenkō*

Martin Blahota (Oriental Institute,  
Czech Academy of Sciences)

14:30 – 15:00 Coffee Break

15:00 – 16:30 Fascism, Nationalism and Radical-Right in India  
(panel organized by prof. Constantin Iordachi)

*Is Hindutva Fascist?*

Debojit Thakur (Trier University)

*Re-inventing the 'Nation': Reviewing the new forms  
of 'othering' in Indian Cinema*

Sanjay Kumar (Central European University)

*Neofascism, Informational Capitalism and Saffronisation:  
Exploring Fascism in Post-1990s India*

Titaś Biswas (University College Dublin)

## DAY 2: NATIONALISM AND RADICAL-RIGHT IN CONTEMPORARY ASIA

09:30 – 10:30 Keynote

*Nationalism, populism, and fascism in China today*

Prof. Peter Gries (University of Manchester)

10:30 – 11:00 Coffee Break

11:00 – 13:00 Navigating New Nationalisms:

**Ideology and Diplomacy in China and Japan**

*A Review of the Function of Nationalism  
in the Chinese Diplomatic Discourse System*

Li Yang (Ghent University)

*The CCP's ideology in the 'New Era' of Xi Jinping  
and its musing with Political Confucianism –  
Marxist-Leninist teleology plus radical conservatism?*

Adrian Krawczyk (Leipzig University)

*Fighting for the Nation: Far-Right Discourse  
in Makoto Sakurai's Blog, Doronpa's Monologue*

Arvydas Kumpis (Vytautas Magnus University)

*Becoming Tibetan, Becoming Chinese: The Experimental  
Sino-Tibetan Administration in Central Tibet 1951–1956*

Sasha Bonafede Chhabra (Columbia University)

13:00

Closing of the conference & Lunch

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