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HILLFORTS.
FROM EMERGENCE TO THE PRESENT DAY
Vilnius, Klaipėda
19th–21st of October, 2017

PROGRAM

THURSDAY, 19 October

SEIMAS (PARLIAMENT) OF THE REPUBLIC OF LITHUANIA

(Gedimino av. 53., Constitution Hall, Building 3 (entrance))

- 08.00–09.20 Registration
09.20–09.40 Opening ceremony. Welcoming speeches

FIRST SESSION

- 09.40–10.20 Keynote lecture. **Valter Lang**. East-Baltic fortified settlements: some aspects of interpretation.
10.20–10.40 **Timo Ibsen**. Boring hillforts – new data about the emerge of hillforts in the Baltic Region.
10.40–11.00 **Algimantas Merkevičius**. The emergence of hillforts in Lithuania. From unfortified settlements to fortified community centers.
11.00–11.20 *Coffee break*

SECOND SESSION

- 11.20–11.40 **Jan-Henrik Fallgren**. Hillforts – symbolic sites for royal and common rituals.
11.40–12.00 **Egidijus Šatavičius**. Early hillforts in Eastern Lithuania.
12.00–12.20 **Vytenis Podėnas**. Hillforts' appearance in the East Baltic: contemplating political economies and cultural/technological influences in Late Bronze Age societies.
12.20–12.40 **Andris Šne**. Hillforts for power, power without hillforts: the role of hillforts in social and political relations in late prehistoric Latvia.
12.40–13.00 **Ingmar Jansson**. Viking Age hillforts in eastern and southern parts of the Baltic.
13.00–14.00 *Lunch*

THIRD SESSION

- 14.00–14.20 **Roman Křivánek.** Application of non-destructive geophysical measurements for mapping and survey of hillforts in the Czech Republic.
- 14.20–14.40 **Miglė Stančikaitė.** Palaeobotanical data from hillforts – ideas and conclusions.
- 14.40–15.00 **Gintautas Vėlius, Rokas Vengalis.** Hillforts of Kernavė in the Iron Age.
- 15.00–15.20 **Rimvydas Laužikas.** Communications of hillforts in Lithuania.
- 15.20–15.40 *Coffee break*

FOURTH SESSION

- 15.40–16.00 **Albinas Kuncevičius.** Old Trakai: hillfort and stone Castle.
- 16.00–16.20 **Ramūnas Šmigelskas.** Dubingiai – from hillfort to stone Radvila's palace.
- 16.20–16.40 **Dovilė Baltramiejūnaitė.** Wheel-turned pottery in Yotvingian hillforts.
- 16.40–17.00 **Manvydas Vitkūnas.** Lithuanian hillforts in culture and ideology in the 19th and 20th centuries.
- 17.00–18.00 *Discussion*
- 18.30–18.00 *Social evening* (restaurant "The old green House", L. Stuokos-Gucevičiaus str. 5)

FRIDAY, 20 October

Full-day excursion from Vilnius to Klaipėda (Simonas Daukantas Square)

- 9.00 Departure
- 10.30–12.00 Vytautas the Great War Museum in Kaunas
- 12.00–13.00 Lunch
- 13.00–19.00 Visiting of the hillforts
- 19.00 Klaipėda

SATURDAY, 21 October

KLAIPĖDA UNIVERSITY (Herkus Mantas str. 84, Conference Hall, 1st floor)

- 09.00–9.50 Registration
- 9.50–10.00 Welcoming speech

FIFTH SESSION

- 10.00–10.20 **Vladas Žulkus.** Climate changes, communities and hillforts in Lithuania.
- 10.20–10.40 **Wojciech Wróblewski, Mariusz Wyczółkowski.** The third side of the mirror. The case study of the hillforts from the Mazurian Lakeland.
- 10.40–11.00 **Olga Khomiakova.** Hillforts in the eastern part of Kaliningrad region RF (formerly Nadruvians, East Prussia): sources and perspectives.
- 11.00–11.40 *Coffee break*

SIXTH SESSION

- 11.40–12.00 **Nikolai Krenke.** View on East European hillforts from the Siberia and Kamchatka. Problems of terminology.
- 12.00–12.20 **Mariusz Błoński.** Which hillforts in Mazovia were destroyed during Baltic raids in the 13th century?
- 12.20–12.40 **Boris Yanishevskiy.** Hillforts of the area between rivers Volga and Oka (Central Russia) in late Antique – Migration periods: a location analysis.
- 12.40–13.00 **Gintautas Zabiela.** Is Lithuania a country of 1000 hillforts? (trends of discover of unknown hillforts after 2005).
- 13.00–14.20 **Lunch**

SEVENTH SESSION

- 14.20–14.40 **Arvydas Malonaitis.** Mini Project: hillforts in human historical consciousness.
- 14.40–15.00 **Mantas Užgalis.** Lamata hillforts in the context of transformations of cultural landscape.
- 15.00–15.20 **Yurii Mazuryk, Serhii Panyshko.** Hillfort of chronicle's Uhrovsk.
- 15.20–15.40 **Josef Hložek, Petr Menšík, Milan Procházka.** Continuity and discontinuity of hilltop settlements in Southwest Bohemia.
- 15.40–16.00 **Coffee break**

EIGHTH SESSION

- 16.00–16.20 **Sergii Panishko.** Hillforts the tradition of "motte" in the territory of the Volyn land of the Lithuanian period.
- 16.20–16.40 **Ales Pachmann.** Velíz Hill and Sacred Geometry (case from the Czech Republic).
- 16.40–17.00 **Maciej Karczewski, Małgorzata Karczewska, Aleksander Pluskowski.** The Sacred Hill (Święta Góra) in the Masurian Lakeland. An Early Medieval hillfort or a military camp from the middle of the 17th century?
- 17.20–17.40 **Martin Linhart.** Celtic Viereckschanze and its Real Function in relation to Hillforts.
- 17.40–18.00 **Final discussion**
- 19.00–24.00 **Social evening**

SUNDAY, 22 October
KLAIPĖDA UNIVERSITY
(Herkaus Manto g. 84)

9.00 Departure to Vilnius.