PROGRAMME

Day 1, Thursday, September 17th SENATE HALL

9.00 - 10.00 Registration of the Participants

10.00 – 10.10 Opening of the Conference

10.10 – 10.30 Prof. dr. Adomas Butrimas (Vilnius Academy of Arts, Lithuania) "Rimutė Rimantienė – the establisher of Lithuanian Stone Age Research School"

10.35 – 10.55 Dr. Ilga Zagorska (Institute of Latvian History, LU) "New research on Late Palaeolithic in Latvia"

11.00 – 11.20 Hab. dr. Mikhail Zhilin (Institute of Archaeology, Russian Academy of Science) "Environmental changes and subsistence strategies during the Mesolithic in Central Russia"

11.25 – 11.45 Coffee break

FACULTY OF HISTORY, ROOM No. 211 (second floor)

11.45 – 12.05 Kaarel Sikk (University of Tartu, Estonia) "The use of stones in the Mesolithic and Neolithic fireplaces on Estonian territory"

12.10 – 12.30 PhD student Gabrielė Gudaitienė (Vilnius University, Lithuania) "Rediscovering the Final Palaeolithic-Early Mesolithic at Pabartoniai, a site on the River Neris"

12.35 – 12.55 PhD student Aliaksandr Vashanau (National Academy of Sciences of Belarus, Institute of History)
"Flint materials of Kudlajevka culture from the Kul 1 site (South-Eastern Belarus)"

13.00 – 13.20 Dr. Egidijus Šatavičius (Vilnius University, Lithuania) "Transition from Mesolithic to Neolithic in East Lithuania" 13.30 - 14.30 Lunch break

14.30 – 17.00 Excursion to National Museum of Lithuania (meeting by Faculty of History, Vilnius University)

<u>Day 2, Friday, September 18th</u> FACULTY OF HISTORY, ROOM No. 211 (second floor)

9.30 – 9.50 Andriy Sorokun (State Scientific Center of protection of cultural heritage from manmade disasters, the State Administration of Zonechernobyl zone of exclusion of Ukraine, Kiev, Ukraine)
"Kyiv-Cherkaska Neolithic culture: reconsideration of the term"

9.55 – 10.15 Prof. hab. dr. Andrzej Michałowski, Prof. hab. dr. Przemysław Niedzielski, PhD. Milena Teska and PhD. Marta Krzyżanowska (Instytut Prahistorii UAM, Poznan, Poland) "Geochemoarchaeological indicators of pottery as a source for understanding the cultural diversity of age"

10.20 – 10.40 Dr. Maxim Charniauski (Institute of History of the National Academy of Sciences Minsk, Belarus) "The influences of materials of Corded Ware culture in Belarusian Lakeland (on the the ground of Kryvina peatbog microregion)"

10.45 – 11.05 Coffee break

11.10 – 11.30 Hab. dr. Ilze Biruta Loze (prev. Institute of Latvian History, Latvia) "Some new aspects in investigation of buiding complex at Late Neolithic and Early Bronze age Lagaža settlement, Lake Lubans wetland"

11.35 – 11.55 Dr. Mikola Kryvaltsevich (Institute of History of the National Academy of Sciences Minsk, Belarus)

"The new results in the investigation of burials of the 3rd – early 2nd millennium BC on the territory of Belarus"

12.00 – 12.20 PhD student Evgenia Tkach (Russian Academy of Science, Institute of Material Culture, Department of Palaeolithic) "Stone battle-axes in the Upper Western Dvina region: questions of periodization and chronology"

12.25 - 13.25 Lunch break

13.30 – 13.50 Assoc. prof. dr. Vadzim Lakiza (Institute of History of the National Academy of Sciences Minsk, Belarus) "The Neolithic and Bronze Age of Belarus Neman river basin: 21st century research results"

14.00 – 14.20 Vytenis Podėnas, Evaldas Babenskas, dr. Jurga Bagdzevičienė, dr. Agnė Čivilytė, Assoc. prof. dr. Aleksiejus Luchtanas (Vilnius University, Lithuania) "Metalworking in early hillforts: verifying technical ceramics"

14.30 – 14.50 Assoc. prof. dr. Algimantas Merkevičius (Vilnius University, Lithuania)
"Bog bodies in Lithuania. Some features of the Early Baltic religion"

15.00 – 15.30 Questions and discussions

15.30 – 17.30 Free time

17.30 Social Evening (the place will be annouced late

Day 3, Saturday, September 19th

9.30 – Meeting by the Faculty of History, Vilnius University.

10.00 – 17.00 Excursion by bus to the prehistoric sites in Southern Lithuania.

POSTER PRESENTATIONS

- PhD student Maryia Tkachova (Institute of History, National Academy of Sciences of Belarus) "Neolithic pottery from Hronaŭ 3 settlement: a new look at the material"
- PhD student Gvidas Slah, Tomas Rimkus (University of Klaipėda, Lithuania) "Flint knives: an experimental approach"
- ❖ PhD student Gabrielė Gudaitienė (Vilnius University, Lithuania) "R. Rimantiene: A life-long commitment to Prehistory"
- PhD student Eglė Marcinkevičiūtė (Vilnius University, Lithuania) "A new perspective on Neolithic sites of Dubičiai microregion using GIS"



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