The 7th edition of the International Symposium of Urban Anthropology

"Ethnic markets" in the modern urban space. From ethnic diversity to ethno-business.

Symposium schedule

Friday, October 21st / Grand Hotel Continental / Sala Nicolae Tonitza

- 12.00-13.00 Registration of participants
- 13.00-13.30 The opening of the 7th edition of the International Symposium of Urban Anthropology. Adrian Majuru and Thede Kahl.
- 13.30-17.30 Presentations. Moderator Andreea Pascaru, Vanishing Languages and Cultural Heritage (Academy of Sciences), Vienna
- 13.30-14.00 "The Paulichen Bulgarians from South-Eastern Bucharest", Cezar Petre Buiumaci, The Bucharest Municipality Museum
- 14.00-14.30 "Work and commercial networks of Bulgarian and Albanian rag and bone traders in the open-air rag and bone market in Athens", Georgios Kouzas, The National and Kapodistrian University of Athens
- 14.30-15.30 Break and coffee
- 15.30-16.00 "Valea Cascadelor. Constructing and negotiating identities", Alexandra Rusu, The Bucharest Municipality Museum
- 16.00-16.30 "Shopping malls: spaces of cultural identity and multiculturalism", Codruţa Badea, Dimitrie Cantemir Christian University
- 16.30-17.00 "Hucksters' Polyglossia: "Hostezens", "Pems" and "Friburgers". An incursion into vendors' discourse in multilingual markets", Cornelia Saurer, Universitatea Babeș Bolyai, Cluj-Napoca
- 17.00-17.30 "Ottoman bazaar heritage in the Balkans. What remains "Turkish" in today's Southeast Europe?" Thede Kahl, Friedrich Schiller University Jena

Saturday, October 22nd / Online /ZOOM

- 11.15-11.30 Registration of participants on the Zoom platform
- 11.30-16.00 Presentation. Moderator Andreea Pascaru, Vanishing Languages and Cultural Heritage (Academy of Sciences), Vienna
- 11.30 12.00 "Xanthi's bazaar: A multicultural mosaic of the city", Ekaterini Markou, Democritus University of Thrace (Zoom)
- 12.00 12.30 "Identity, otherness and commerce in times past Bucharest. Case study: "The flea market" Alexandra Rusu, Museum of Municipality of Bucharest (Zoom)
- 12.30-13.00 "Notes on the "ethnic business" of the Romanians from Timocul Sârbesc in Vienna", Natalia Golant, Russian Academy of Sciences (Zoom)
- 13.00-13.30 Break
- 13.30-14.00 "Markets, ethnic cultures and minority languages: constructing semiotic landscapes of diversity", Selvelli Giustina, Ca' Foscari University of Venice (Zoom)
- 14.00-14.30 Bucharest's Markets as Places for Selling Products and 'Experiences' during the Religious and Folk Holidays of the Year, Dorina Dragnea, National Heritage Institute (Zoom)
- 14.30 15.00 "Identity, ethnicity and the marketplace: the Old Çarshi of Skopje", Armanda Hysa, The Institute for the Studies of Communist Crimes and Consequences, Albania (Zoom)
- 15.00 15.30 "The ethnic diversity of the markets in the communities of Potosí, Cochabamba and Sucre today", Noemy Condori-Arias, Boston University (Zoom)
- 15.30-16.00 Conclusions/End of the 7th edition of the International Symposium of Urban Anthropology.