Monday, November 30:

Wednesday, January 13:
BROWN BAG DISCUSSION: Dr. Yana Komm, Slavic Department, Tadjik State University, "A Brief History of Church Slavonic Texts," Room 122 Oxley Hall, 12:00 noon. Postponed from an earlier date.

Wednesday, February 10:
LECTURE: Dr. Peter G. Laki, Program Announcer, The Cleveland Orchestra, "From Lights Flickering to Sounds Tinkling: Some Remarks on Shostakovich's Fifteenth Symphony," Seminar Room, Music Dance Library, 4:00 p.m.

Wednesday, February 17:
BROWN BAG DISCUSSION: Dr. Olga Medvedkov, Department of Geography, Wittenberg University, "The Disintegration of the Soviet Union: A Geographical Perspective," Room 122, Oxley Hall, 12:00 noon.

Wednesday, March 3:
LECTURE: Dr. Malcolm Brown, Professor of Musicology, Indiana University, "Persistent Myths in Russian Music Biography," Seminar Room, Dance Music Library, 4:00 p.m.

Wednesday, April 7:
LECTURE: Dr. Roland Wiley, Professor of Musicology, University of Michigan, "The Original Production of the Nutcracker Ballet," Dance Department Theater, Sullivan Hall, 4:30 p.m.

People in the News


New CSEES Videotapes


Reflections of Glory: Origins of Byzantine Art - 20 min. Explores the world of Byzantine icons.

Ukraintsji - Features interviews with Ukrainian citizens in Ukraine. Made by CSEES graduate Mark Houser.
Columbus resident, Rebecca Davis, has organized a relief project for four Russian orphanages to provide them with much-needed supplies. Project Russia was established to assist orphanages in Koloma, Sryazino, Udmurtian, and Krasnopolynskii. The project is in need of a wide variety of items from translation services to medical supplies to food stuffs. There is no limit to the amount of supplies Ms. Davis can accept. A list of needed items can be obtained from Maryann Keisel at the Slavic Center, 292-8770. Donations can be sent to: Project Russia, c/o Rebecca Davis, 4050 Erin Lane, Dublin, OH 43017; (614) 292-8770. Ms. Davis will accept donations until her departure for Russia on December 6. OSU faculty, students, and staff can deliver their contributions (up to December 4) to: Maryann Keisel, Center for Slavic and East European Studies, 303 Oxley Hall, 1712 Neil Ave., Columbus, OH 43210-1219; (614) 292-8770.

Garland Publishing is presently compiling a comprehensive encyclopedia of 19th and 20th c. Eastern Europe. Graduate students and established scholars are invited to contribute. For information, contact: Edward Wynot, Jr., Dept. of History, Florida State Univ., Tallahassee, FL 32306-2029.

Studies in Russian and German invites papers (20-30 pp.) in English on classical themes in 19th and 20th c. Russian literature for v. 7., "Russian Literature and the Classics." For information, contact: David H. Larmour or Paul Allen Miller, Eds., Dept of Classical and Modern Languages and Literatures, Texas Tech. Univ., Lubbock, TX 79409-2072; (806) 742-3283; fax: (806) 742-3306. Submission deadline is April 15, 1993.

The Leo Yassenoff Jewish Community Center is seeking volunteers with a command of Russian to assist in teaching English to new U.S. residents from the former Soviet Union. This is an opportunity for American students of Russian to obtain teaching experience and practice their Russian skills as well as provide a valuable community service. For information, contact: Barbara Shapiro, ESL Coordinator, at (614) 231-2731.

Effective October 1992 the office of the International Research and Exchanges Board (IREX) is no longer in Princeton. The new address is: IREX 1616 H Street., N.W., Washington, DC 20006; (202) 628-8188; fax: (202) 628-8189.

RFE/RL. Radio Free Europe/Radio Liberty has announced the availability of summer research internships for graduate students specializing in Eastern Europe and the former Soviet Union. Successful candidates will be given access to RFE/RL's archival resources and staff of analysts. Interns are expected to engage in full-time research. RFE/RL provides air travel, a daily stipend, and accommodations. Send c.v., details of passport, evaluation of foreign language skills, research proposal, two copies of two writing samples, six letters of recommendation, preferred starting date and length of internship to: Research Intern Program, RFE/RL, Inc., 1201
CIC-FLEP. The OSU Foreign Language Center has announced the availability of CIC-FLEP Graduate Scholarships for Foreign Language Study. The purpose of these scholarships is to enable students to take advantage of summer foreign language offerings not available at their home institutions. A total of 27 awards of up to $1,500 will be made to students from the 12 CIC institutions. A limited number of applications is available at the Center office, 303 Oxley Hall. For more information and applications, contact: The Ohio State University Foreign Language Center, 155 Cunz Hall, 1841 Millikin Road, 292-4361. Application deadline is February 22, 1993.

The Russian and East European Center at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign has announced a post-doctoral fellowship in modern Ukrainian studies for AY 1993-94. The fellow will spend the grant period at the Univ. of Illinois consulting with resident scholars and using the University's extensive Ukrainian collection. The fellow is expected to contribute occasional lectures to the public and University students. The stipend for the position is $25,000 and the appointment lasts 9 months beginning August 21, 1993. Send letter of application (with title of research project), 3-5 page research proposal, c.v., and writing sample to Prof. Olga Soffer, Ukrainian Studies Post-Doctoral Fellowship, Russian and East European Center, 104 International Studies Bldg., Univ. of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, 910 South Fifth St., Champaign, IL 61820; (217) 333-1244; fax: (217) 333-1582. Application deadline is February 1, 1993.

IREX. The International Research and Exchanges Board has announced its Summer Language Program for College and University Instructors of the Languages of the State of the Former Soviet Union. The program runs from mid-June to early August. IREX provides international transportation, stipend, room and board at host institution, language instruction, and study-related tours. For information and application materials, contact: IREX, P.O. Box 19767, Washington D.C. 20036.

Appalachian State University. Department of History is seeking a tenure-track assistant professor of history with a specialization in Imperial Russia or the USSR. Subfield in Eastern Europe preferred. Send c.v., three letters of reference, and transcripts to: Peter Petschauer, Dept. of History, Appalachian State Univ., Boone, NC 28608. Application deadline is November 30, 1992.

AT&T Language Line Services is soliciting applications for free-lance translators, editors, and proofreaders for: English into Czech, Hungarian, Serbo-Croatian, or Slovak. Candidates must have B.A. or
equivalent; native writing skills in target language; experience with PC or Macintosh, modern, and fax desirable. For information, contact: Human Resources/Recruiting, AT&T Language Line Services, 1 Lower Ragsdale Dr., Monterey, CA 93940; 1-800-532-4441.

**Brandeis University**, Department of Germanic and Slavic Languages, has announced a tenure-track opening for an assistant professor of Russian. Ph.D. and teaching experience required. Send c.v. to: Robert Szulkin, Chair, Dept. of Germanic and Slavic Languages, Brandies Univ., 415 South St., Waltham, MA 02254-9110; (617) 736-3200. Application deadline is **December 11, 1992**.

**Bryn Mawr College**, Department of Russian, announces a one-year appointment for a lecturer in Russian language and literature. Teaching experience and near-native fluency required. Send cover letter, c.v., and three letters of recommendation to: Elizabeth Cheresh Allen, Chair, Dept. of Russian, Bryn Mawr College, 101 North Merion Ave., Bryn Mawr, PA 19010-2899.

**Carleton College**, Department of History, is seeking a tenure-track assistant professor of Russian history. Ph.D. or equivalent and broad teaching and research interests required. Send cover letter, c.v., and three letters of reference to: Elizabeth Cheresh Allen, Chair, Dept. of History, Carleton College, One North College St., Northfield, NM 55057.

**The Citadel**, Department of Political Science, is seeking a tenure-track assistant professor of international relations and comparative politics. Preferred areas of specialization include Russia and Eastern Europe. Ph.D. required. Send c.v., three letters of reference, transcripts, writing samples, and teaching evaluations to: Edward V. Davis, Dept. of Political Science, The Citadel, Charleston, SC 29409; (803) 792-4851; fax: (803) 792-7084. Application deadline is **January 31, 1993**.

**Council on International Educational Exchange** has announced openings in the Cooperative Russian Language Programs in St. Petersburg: 1993, 1994, 1995: Summer Resident Director and Associate Resident Director; 1993-94, 1994-95 Administrative Director. Applications are also sought for the 1993-94 Resident Director for the Cooperative East and Central European Studies Program at Charles University, Prague. Fluency in language of host country and previous group leadership in host country required. Send letter of application, c.v., and statement of role and responsibilities in the desired position and past experience to: Juliette Shapland, CIEE, 205 East 42nd St., New York, NY 10017.

**University of Iowa**, Department of Political Science, is seeking a tenure-track professor of international relations to begin August 1993. Ph.D. required. Send letter of application, c.v., three letters of reference, and transcripts to: Peverill Squire, Chair, Dept. of Political Science, Univ. of Iowa, 310 Schaeffer Hall, Iowa City, IA 52242-1409.

**Loyola College**, Department of History, invites applications for a tenure-track assistant professor of modern Central European history. Specialist in 20th c. Eastern Europe or Germany preferred. Send letter of application, c.v., and three letters of reference to: Thomas Pegram, Chair, European Search Committee, Dept. of History, Loyola College, 4501 N. Charles St., Baltimore, MD 21210. Application deadline is **November 23, 1992**.

**University of Michigan**, Department of History, is accepting applications for a tenure-track professor of East European history in intellectual and/or cultural fields. ABDs must have degree by September 1993. Applications will be reviewed beginning **December 1, 1992**. Send letter of application, and names of references (junior applicants send letters of reference) to: William G. Rosenberg, Chair, Dept. of History, Haven Hall, Univ. of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI 48104.

**Ohio University**, Department of Modern Languages, seeks a tenure-track assistant professor of Russian with a specialization in 19th c. Russian literature. Ph.D., teaching experience, and established or developing record of scholarship required. Send vita, transcripts, and three recent letters of recommendation to: Maureen Weissenrieder, Chair, Mod-

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ern Languages, Ohio Univ., Athens, OH 45701-2979. Application deadline is December 1, 1992.

Stanford University. Department of Slavic Languages and Literatures, seeks candidates for an assistant, associate, or full professor appointment in early Russian literature through 19th c., or in Russian cultural studies. Ph.D. scholarly publications, teaching experience, interest in literary theory and cultural theory, and native fluency in Russian and English. Send application, c.v., and letters of reference to: Prof. Gregory Freidin, Slavic, Stanford Univ., Stanford, CA 94305-2006. Application deadline is December 14, 1992.

University of Virginia, Department of Slavic Languages and Literatures announces three openings:
1) Slavic linguistics, tenure track, begins Au. 1993. Ph. D., fluency in Russian and English, and ability to teach Polish, Czech, or Serbo-Croatian required.
2) Russian language and literature, tenure-track, begins Au. 1993. Ph.D., fluency in Russian and English, and specialization in literary criticism and cultural studies required.
3) Lecturer or assistant professor of Russian language and literature for Spring 1993. Send application, c.v., and dossier to: Julian Connolly Chair, Dept. of Slavic Languages and Literatures, 109 Cabell Hall, Univ. of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA 22903. Application deadline: December 1, 1992.

Wake Forest University, Department of History, is seeking a tenure-track professor of modern Russian history to begin August 1993. Applicants should be able to teach introductory Western civilization and/or world history surveys. Send complete credentials to: Michael Sinclair, Department of History, Wake Forest Univ., Box 7806, Winston-Salem, NC, 27109. Application deadline is December 1, 1992.

Yale University, Department of Slavic Languages and Literatures, is seeking a tenured associate or full professor of Slavic literatures with special strength in 19th and 20th century Russian poetry, another Slavic literature, and Slavic literary theory. Requirements: Ph.D. or equivalent, teaching experience, fluency in Russian and English. Send letter of application, c.v., and three letters of recommendation to: Alexander Schenker, Acting Chair, Department of Slavic Languages and Literatures, P.O. Box 1504A Yale Station, New Haven, Connecticut 06520. Application deadline is December 15, 1992.

CONFERENCES & MEETINGS

1992

November 19-22, 1992. The 24th National Convention of AAASS hosted by the Western Slavic Association, will be held in Phoenix, Arizona, at the Hyatt Regency and Omni Adams Hotels.

December 28-30, 1992. Annual meeting of the American Association of Teachers of Slavic and East European Languages (AAASS Affiliate) at the Grand Hyatt Hotel, New York. For information, contact: Janet G. Tucker, Dept. of Foreign Languages, Kimpel Hall 425, Univ. of Arkansas, Fayetteville, AR 72701; (501) 575-6061.

1993

March 18-20, 1993. Call for Papers and Panels. 31st Annual Conference of the Southern Conference on Slavic Studies (AAASS Regional Affiliate), Atlanta. Contact: Thomas Owen, History Department, Louisiana State Univ., Baton Rouge, LA 70803; (504) 388-4501.

March 20, 1993. Mid-Atlantic Slavic Conference (AAASS Regional Affiliate) at the University of Delaware, Newark. For information, contact: Donald Barry, Exec. Sec.-Treasurer, MASC, Dept. of Government, Maginnes Hall 302, Lehigh Univ., Bethlehem, PA 18015.

March 25-28, 1993. Conference on the Teaching of Foreign Languages in Des Moines, Iowa. For information, contact: Jody Thrush, CSC Executive Dir., 3550 Anderson St., Madison, WI 53704; (608) 246-6573.


April 21-24, 1993. Rocky Mountain Association for Slavic Studies (AAASS Regional Affiliate) annual meeting, Corpus Christi, TX. Gunther Schraarschmidt, Dept. of Slavonic Studies, Univ. of Victoria, P.O. Box 3045, Victoria, British Columbia, Canada, V8W 3P4; (604) 721-7506; fax: (604) 721-8653.


May 13-15, 1993. Call for Papers. 8th International Conference on Non-Slavic Languages; and May 16, 1993: Conference on the Cultures of Caucasia at Univ. of Chicago. Topics: linguistic aspects of languages presently or historically spoken on the territories of the successor states of the USSR. Send one-page abstracts to: Howard Aronson or Bill Darden, NSL-8, Dept. of Slavic Languages and Literatures, Univ. of Chicago, 1130 E. 59th., Chicago, IL 60637; (312) 702-8033, FAX (312) 702-9861.

June 4-6, 1993. Call for Papers and Panels. Conference of the Canadian Association of Slavists in Ottawa. Topics include historical, social science, environmental, literary, and linguistic themes related to East Central Europe and the successor states of the USSR. Send proposals by January 1, 1993 to: Joan DeBardeleben, Dir., Inst. of Soviet & East European Studies, Carlton Univ., Ott., K1S 5B6, Canada.

June 4-6, 1993. International interdisciplinary conference on "Russian Religious Philosophy" at the Univ. of Wisconsin, Madison. For information, contact: Judith Kornblatt, Dept. of Slavic Languages; and Literatures, 720 Van Hise Hall, Univ. of Wisconsin, Madison, WI 53706.

June 7-10. Call for Papers. International conference on "Privatization and Socioeconomic Policy in Central and Eastern Europe" in Crakow, Poland. Send proposals to: Joseph F. Quinn, Dept. of Economics, Boston College, Chestnut Hill, MA 02167; (617) 552-3670, FAX (617) 552-8828.


October 29-30, 1993. Call for Papers. The 17th Annual Conference on the Teaching of Foreign Languages and Literatures at Youngstown State University. Send proposals for workshops (2 hours), or presentations (30 or 50 minutes), by March 15, 1993, to: Foreign Language Conference, Department of Foreign Languages, Youngstown State University, Youngstown, OH 44555.

November 19-22, 1993. The 25th National Convention of the AAASS hosted by the Western Slavic Association, in Honolulu, Hawaii at the Hilton Hawaiian Village. Special theme: "Eurasia Reconfigured" but proposals on all topics are welcome.

December 26-28, 1993. Conference on "Russian Jewry on Three Continents: A Tale of Migration" at Tel Aviv Univ., Israel. For information, contact: Paul Ritterband, Ctr. for Jewish Studies, Box 465, Graduate Ctr., 33 W. 42 St., New York, NY 10036-8099; (212) 642-2180.

1994

September 1994. The 7th Congress of the International Association for Southeast European Studies (AIESEE) will be held in Athens or Rhodes, Greece. Themes: the rural universe and the evolution of the village communal structures: Balkan cooperation in the retrospective and prospective; unity and diversity in Southeast European popular cultures in modern times; is there a "Balkan mentality?"--the evidence of written culture and figurative language; Hellenisms, the influence of Latin, and Turkisms in the Balkan languages: original semantics and the evolution of meanings; Byzantine hagiography and the importance of this literary genre for the cultural history of Southeastern Europe; Byzantine influence on the laws of the Balkan peoples; women in the economies of Southeastern Europe after the First World War; the unifying role of artistic activities in Southeastern Europe in the 14th-19th centuries. For information, send a self-addressed stamped envelope to: U.S. National Committee of AIESEE, c/o Department of Slavic Languages, CB#3165 Dey Hall, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, NC 27599-3165.


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