In addition to being sent with the weekly calendar, many relevant calendar items can be found through the REEI website. Events may also be found on the REEI Calendar and our list of Upcoming and Ongoing Events. For more funding, conference, publication, and other opportunities, see the Academic Opportunities section of the REEI website.

If you would like to submit an item for REEI to advertise, please send an email to reei@indiana.edu with detailed information about the event or opportunity and a flyer, if possible. For inclusion in the weekly digest, it is strongly recommended that you submit your item by 5pm on Tuesday of the week you would like it to run.

**ACADEMIC EVENTS**

- March 3, 10:00am: IAUNRC & REEI present the “Syllabus Design Workshop,” GISB 3067 (please RSVP)
- March 4, 11:00am: In Light Film Festival Workshop on Documentary Filmmaking, Hoagy Carmichael Room (Morrison Hall 006)
- March 4, 12:00pm: Book Launch with Alvin Rosenfeld and Günther Jikeli (IU), “Deciphering the New Antisemitism,” GISB 4067
- March 4, 12:00pm: European History Workshop: Mona Siegel (Cal State, Sacramento), “European and Chinese feminists in the interwar period,” IMU Walnut Room
- March 8, 5:00pm, Panel Discussion: Carbon Taxes as Tools for Climate Change Mitigation, IMU Frangipani Room
- March 9, 4:15pm: Competitive Awards Application Workshop Series: Finding your Awards, HU 217

*For more academic events, check the Upcoming Events website*

**CULTURAL EVENTS**

- March 4, 9:30pm: In Light Film Festival, International Arthouse Series, and REEI present The Russian Woodpecker (2015), IU Cinema
- March 4-6: In Light Film Festival, IU Cinema and Fine Arts Bldg
- March 6, 5:00pm: In Light Film Festival and Borns Jewish Studies Program present What Our Fathers Did: A Nazi Legacy (2015), FA 015
- March 9, 5:00pm: Maslenitsa 2016, IMU University Club President’s Room (Facebook link)
- March 10, 5:30pm: Commemoration of the 1848 Hungarian Revolution, IMU University Club President’s Room
- March 10, 6:30pm: Poetry and Pierogi Night, GISB 1134

*For more cultural events, check the Upcoming Events website*

**CALL FOR PAPERS AND CONFERENCES**

- March 3-5, Conference: CLACS Graduate Conference, “ACCESS and CONTROL: Resources and Technology in the Global South,” IU Bloomington
- March 5, Conference: Phi Alpha Theta Regional Conference and Russian Symposium,
• March 11-12, Conference: 2016 SOYUZ Symposium, "Politics of Difference: Migration, Nation, Postsocialist Left and Right?" University of Chicago
• March 14-16, Conference: Oxford Symposium on Religious Studies, Old Library of the University Church of St Mary the Virgin, Oxford (UK)
• March 17-19, Conference: The 54th Annual Meeting of the Southern Conference on Slavic Studies, Tuscaloosa, Alabama
• March 17-20, Conference: American Comparative Literature Association (ACLA) 2016 Annual Meeting, Harvard University (Cambridge, MA)
• March 17-20, Conference: 47th Annual NeMLA Convention, Hartford, CT
• March 18-20, Conference: 13th Annual GOSECA Conference, “Insiders and Outsiders: Belonging and Identity in Eastern Europe,” University of Pittsburgh (PA)
• March 22, Registration Deadline: International Symposium “Education and social inequality,” XVII April International Academic Conference on Economic and Social Development, Moscow, Russia
• March 22-23, Conference: Ambiguous Geographies, IUB
• March 25, Submission Deadline: Cross Cultural Studies: Education and Science (new journal)
• March 25-26, Conference: Ninth Annual Romanian Studies Conference, IU Bloomington
• March 28, Registration Deadline: 2016 NCOLCTL Annual Conference
• March 29-31, Conference: “America’s Role in the World: Issues Facing the Next President” (Inaugural Conference), IUB
• April 1, Conference: Annual Pitt Undergraduate Research Symposium, "Europe: East and West," University of Pittsburgh (PA)
• April 1, Submission Deadline: Studies in Russian and Soviet Cinema, “Women in Cinema”
• April 1, Deadline for Abstracts: “Gender and Migration: Critical Issues and Policy Implications”
• April 2, Conference: MACES Graduate Student Mid-Atlantic Conference for Eurasian Studies, “Transnational Flows in the Eurasian Space,” George Washington University (DC)
• April 1-3, Conference: Central Association of Russian Teachers in America (CARTA) Annual Conference, Intercontinental Hotel, Kansas City, MO
• April 1-3, Conference: 1st Annual Pan-European Studies Graduate Conference, “Into the Darkness,” University of Virginia (Charlottesville)
• April 4, Submission Deadline: Forum for Modern Language Studies Prize – “Ecologies”
• April 5-6, Conference: International Workshop on Critical Approaches to Irregular Migration Facilitation: Dismantling the Human Smuggler Narrative, European University Institute (Florence, Italy)
• April 6, Conference: Doing Business in & with Russia and Ukraine, Indianapolis
• April 8-9, Conference: IU Medieval Studies Symposium, “Medieval Globalisms: Movement in the Global Middle Ages,” IU Bloomington
• April 8-9, Conference: Yale University Interdisciplinary Graduate Conference, “Cold War Narratives Reimagined,” Yale University (New Haven, CT)
• April 8-9, Conference: "RED ON RED: A Symposium on Post-Socialist Art and Critical Theory," Yale University (New Haven, CT)
• April 8-10: 2016 Midwest Slavic Conference, Ohio State University (Columbus, OH)
• April 14-16, Conference: “Resilient Europe?” Council of European Studies, Philadelphia, PA
• April 15, Proposal Deadline: PIASA’s 74th Annual Conference
• April 15, Deadline for Abstracts: The 10th Joint Conference of Bulgarian and North American Scholars, "Beyond the Borders"
April 19-21, Conference: International Symposium “Education and social inequality,” XVII April International Academic Conference on Economic and Social Development, Moscow, Russia
April 19-22: XVII April International Academic Conference on Economic and Social Development, National Research University Higher School of Economics (Moscow, Russia)
April 21-22, Conference: "From Oikonomia to Occupy: Intersections of the Religious and the Economic," A Graduate Student Symposium, University of Toronto (Canada)
April 21-24: NCOLCTL Annual Conference, “Positioning the LCTLs with Paradigm Shifts in U.S. Education,” Holiday Inn & Suites Atlanta Airport-North (GA)
April 30, Call for Papers (intent to submit): Canadian Slavonic Papers/Revue canadienne des slavistes, "Svetlana Alexievich: The Writer and Her Times"

For more calls for papers and conferences, check the Academic Opportunities website

FUNDING, GRANTS, SCHOLARSHIPS

- March 4, Application Deadline (Graduate): Sara and Albert Reuben Scholarships to Support the Study of the Holocaust
- March 4, Application Deadline: Undergraduate Anderson Overseas Study Scholarship
- March 4, Application Deadline: James D. Fielding Family Study Abroad Scholarship
- March 4, Application Deadline: Jewish Studies Grants-in-Aid of Research and Fellowships for Current Graduate Students
- March 6, Application Deadline: Paul Celan Fellowships 2016/2017 for translators
- March 10, Application Deadline: SEESA Travel Grant for 20th Biennial Conference on Balkan and South Slavic Linguistics, Literature & Folklore
- March 11, Application Deadline: IU GPSG Spring Travel Award
- March 15, Deadline for Course Proposals: Collins Living-Learning Center
- March 15, Application Deadline (Fall & AY 2016-2017): Title VIII Funding for American Councils Language Programs
- March 15, Application Deadline: Vaclav Havel Library Foundation Fellowship for Human Rights (undergraduates only)
- March 15, Application Deadline: RCEEE SG Student Award Opportunities for AAG 2016
- March 25, Application Deadline: 2016 International Summer School in Comparative Conflict Studies
- March 31, Application Deadline: REEI Summer Russian Scholarship Application
- March 31, Submission Deadline: Many Languages, One World Essay Contest
- April 1, Application Deadline: EURO Graduate Student Professional Development Grant
- April 1, Application Deadline: EURO Graduate Student Conference Travel Grant
- April 1, Application Deadline: EURO/Mellon Travel Awards for Faculty
- April 1, Application Deadline: CEUS Travel Funding
- April 1, Application Deadline: 2016 Scholarship Grants, Polish American Arts Association of Washington, DC
- April 1, Application Deadline: Postdoctoral Research Positions at the Laboratory for Corpus and Interdisciplinary Technologies, Higher School of Economics (Moscow, Russia)
April 28, Application Deadline: Alexander Herzen Junior Fellowships 2016/2017
Rolling Deadline (after February 1 priority deadline): IU Project GO Russian Scholarships for ROTC Students
Rolling Deadline: Jewish Studies Conference Funding for Graduate Students
Rolling Deadline: Jewish Studies Conference Funding for Undergraduate Students
Various Deadlines: Fulbright-Kennan Institute Research Scholarships (for Russian and Ukrainian citizens)
Various Deadlines: Kościuszko Foundation Scholarships
Various Deadlines: The Polish American Congress Scholarships
Various Deadlines: American Council for Polish Culture Scholarships

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LANGUAGE TABLES AND COFFEE HOURS (SPRING 2016)

- Hungarian Language Coffee Hour
  *Mondays, 4:00pm at The Pourhouse Café (314 Kirkwood Avenue)*

- Romanian Conversation Hour
  *Thursdays, 7:00pm at The Runcible Spoon (412 E 6th St)*

- Russian Table
  *Fridays, 5:00pm at Bear’s Place (1316 E 3rd St)*

- Ukrainian Conversation Hour
  *Fridays, 5:00pm at The Runcible Spoon (412 E 6th St)*

- Bosnian/Croatian/Serbian Table
  *Tuesdays, 6:00pm at Falafels (430 E Kirkwood Ave)*

- Finnish Movie Night
  *Thursdays (bi-weekly starting January 28) 5:30pm in Ballantine Hall*

OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS

- IU Summer Language Workshop, June 6 – July 29, 2016, Indiana University Bloomington
- Baltic Studies Summer Institute (BALSSI), June 6 – July 29, 2016, Indiana University Bloomington
- Slavic Linguistics Society membership is now open for 2016
- Rosinka Program in Russian Language and Culture
  *Fridays 5:00-6:00pm beginning January 22, Campus View Apartments (800 N Union St), room 120. If you are interested in participation, please email Mark Trotter at martrott@indiana.edu to register and learn more about the program.*

- Bridges: Children, Languages, World
  *Free language classes for children. Introductory Russian, Wednesdays 5:00-6:00pm beginning September 16, Mathers Museum of World Cultures (416 N Indiana Ave). If you are interested in participation, please email Vesna Dmitrieska at vdimitri@umail.iu.edu to register and learn more about the program.*

- Polish School for Children, Teens, and Adults
  *Polish school is beginning, with classes available for children, teens, and adults! Classes meet on Saturdays. If you are interested in participation, please email bloomingtonpolishschool@gmail.com to register or for more information. Classes meet at*
111 N Bryan Ave (Dept of Linguistics/Slavics) until October 19th, after which they will move into the new Outreach House on Atwater. Don’t miss this wonderful opportunity to learn Polish language and culture in Bloomington!

- **Biweekly “Przekładanie” – Polish Translation Practice Sessions**
  The Polish Studies Center organizes translation practice sessions ("Przekładanie") led by Lecturer Łukasz Siciński (lsicinsk@indiana.edu). The sessions will be held on Mondays at 5:30pm in GISB 4021. The dates for Spring Semester sessions are February 8 and 29, March 21 and 28, and April 18. Email polish@indiana.edu if you would like to participate.

- **Weekly Bulgarian Folk Dancing Sessions**
  This is an informal introductory class to the beautiful music and crazy steps of the Bulgarian folk dances! We will start “from scratch” with the easiest dances and build gradually to the most complicated. Some background to the dances, including the different ethnographic regions/costumes/styling will also be included. The sessions are held weekly on Fridays beginning January 15, and they will take place from 5-6pm in BH 003. Email Gergana May at ggmay@indiana.edu with any questions.

- **Peer Reviewers Needed for the Winter issue of Slovo**
  As part of the editorial process for the forthcoming Winter issue of Slovo – an interdisciplinary academic journal published at the Slavonic Department of UCL – we are looking for peer reviewers for some short articles. It would involve reading the article and briefly summarizing your thoughts on whether it makes a good contribution to CEE scholarship. For the current issue, the themes are:
    - Early Soviet culture (specifically, filmography on Alexander Medvedkin);
    - The politics surrounding the 2008 war between Russia and Georgia;
    - Political institutions in Russia (specially, regional-center relations in the Yeltsin era);
    - Concepts of the nation in Central Europe (specifically, in Serbian literature through David Albahari).

  In order to peer review these articles, you do not need to have expertise in the specific topic – only a knowledge of the broader areas in which they are based. Becoming involved with this issue would be an excellent way of alerting to future employers of your academic credentials. Please email slovo@sssees.ucl.ac.uk for further information, and indicating which of the fields you would be interested in reviewing. We look forward to hearing from you!