

PROGRAM

Homophobia in Schools in Eastern Europe

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May 6

LOCATION: University of Ljubljana, Faculty of Arts, Aškerčeva 2, Ljubljana "Modra soba" (5th floor)

9.00 Introduction (Roman Kuhar, Peace institute & University of Ljubljana)

9.10 Welcome speech

prof. Lev Kreft, director of the Peace Institute

prof. Ksenija Vidmar Horvat, head of the Department of Sociology, Faculty of Arts

9.30 Key note speech

prof. Judith Stacey, New York University

Session 1 10.00 – 11.30

Tanja Renner	Homosexuality and school: students' attitudes towards discussing homosexuality in schools	University of Ljubljana, Slovenia
Dorottya Rédei	"It's disgusting, but I don't care as long as they don't approach me." Homophobia and the constitution of raced, classed, gendered sexualities in a secondary school.	Central European University, Budapest, Hungary
Biljana Rašković-Živković	Differences in social distances towards homosexuals between high school students from Serbia and from Germany	University of Novi Sad, Serbia

Session 2 12.00 – 13.30

Kateřina Liřková Lucie Jarkovská	Beyond Belief? Religious Conservatives and Sex Education in the Czech Republic	Masaryk University, Brno, Czech Republic
Nataša Bijelić, Gordan Bosanac, Amir Hodžić	"Croatian Heterosexual Universe": Homophobia in Educational System	Center for Education, Counselling and Research, Croatia Center for Peace Studies, Croatia Queer Zagreb
Ivana Pražić	Towards a Non-homophobic High School	Gayten LGBT-Center for promotion of human rights of sexual minorities, Belgrade, Serbia

Session 3 15.30 – 17.30

Alexandra-Elena Ciucu	Homophobia in Romanian schools	University of Bucharest, Romania
Maja Pan	The analysis of the homophobic hate speech in schools through the prism of the theory of performativity	University of Ljubljana, Slovenia
Kateřina Nedbálková	Homosexuality and gays in schools in the Czech Republic	Masaryk University, Brno, Czech Republic
Simon Maljevac	No place for faggots: Homophobic violence in schools	Lgbt non-governmental organization Legebitra, Ljubljana, Slovenia

17.40 – 18.00

Presentation of the book “Combating Homophobia: Experiences and Analysis Pertinent to Education” (M. Groneberg, C. Funke, eds.)

May 7

LOCATION: University of Ljubljana, Faculty of Arts, Ařkerčeva 2, Ljubljana
“Modra soba” (5th floor)

9.00 Introduction

Dr. Judit Takács (Institute of Sociology of the Hungarian Academy of Sciences):

Should gays and lesbians be free to live as gays and lesbians? (Social acceptance and homophobia in Europe)

Session 1 9.30 – 11.00

Nina Tuř Špilak	Talking about same-sex families in kindergartens in Slovenia	University of Ljubljana, Slovenia
Katalin Lanyi	Awareness raising project in Hungary - An effectiveness study	Budapest Business School, Hungary
Dagmar Kase	Homosexuality - forget about it?	Estonian Academy of Arts

11.30 – 13.00 Session 2

Rita Béres-Deák, Dorottya Rédai	Images of Hungarian teenagers about homosexuals – experiences of a school project	Central European University, Budapest, Hungary
Jasna Magić, Ana Janjevac	“Excuse me, teacher, are you a lesbian?” Experiences of glbt-teachers in schools in Slovenia	Lgbt non-governmental organization Legebitra, Ljubljana, Slovenia
Christian Funke	A citizenship rights effort to combat homophobia in schools	Westfälische Wilhelms-Universität, Münster, Germany

13.30 – 15.00 Round table: presentation of the selected results from the research “Citizens in Diversity: A Four-Nation Study on Homophobia and Fundamental Rights”

György Mészáros Tamás P. Tóth Judit Takács	How to Deal with Homophobia and Homosexuality in Schools? (Comparative analysis based on focus group interviews with LGBT people and trainee teachers in Hungary)	Institute of Sociology of the Hungarian Academy of Sciences, Budapest, Hungary
Tatiana Motterle	Italian homo- and heterosexual teachers dealing with homosexuality and homophobia in school settings	University of Padua, Italy
Živa Humer Simon Maljevac Roman Kuhar	Homosexuality in Schools: interpretations of trainee teachers and experiences of gays and lesbians in Slovenia	Peace Institute, Ljubljana, Slovenia Glb association Legebitra, Ljubljana, Slovenia
Neža Kogovšek	Homophobia and schools: The legal perspective	Peace Institute, Ljubljana, Slovenia