

## Second Workshop “Ethnic Minorities in Russia”

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**Monday, 20 September 2010**

Location: European Academy, Viale Druso/Drususallee 1, Bolzano/Bozen  
*EURAC Conference Hall*

**9:00 - 9:30 Welcoming remarks:**

Werner Stuflesser (President of EURAC)

Joseph Marko (Director of the Institute for Minority Rights)

Benedikt Harzl (EURAC/IMR research fellow)

**9:30 - 11:00 Session 1: LEGAL PROVISIONS**

Chair: Oleh Protsyk (ECMI)

- Bill Bowring (University of London)

Paper Presentation: *Russian legislation in the area of minority rights*

→ Discussant: Alexander Osipov

- Stefan Oeter (Hamburg University)

Paper Presentation: *International norms and legal status of minority languages in Russia*

→ Discussant: Mahulena Hofmann

- Alexander Osipov (Centre for Independent Social Research)

Paper Presentation: *National-cultural autonomy*

→ Discussant: Bill Bowring

11:00-11:30 Coffee Break

11:30-13:00    Session 2:    ETHNIC FEDERALISM AND MINORITY GOVERNANCE

Chair: Benedikt Harzl (EURAC)

- Hans Oversloot (Leiden University)  
Paper Presentation: *Federalism and Regionalism*  
→ *Discussant*: Anna Matveeva
- Nikolai Petrov (Carnegie Endowment, Moscow)  
Paper Presentation: *Governance and types of political regimes in ethnic regions*  
→ *Discussant*: Paul Chaisty
- Anna Matveeva (Crisis States Research Center, LSE)  
Paper Presentation: *The northern Caucasus and challenges of minority governance*  
→ *Discussant*: Hans Oversloot

13:00-14:30    Lunch at the EURAC Cafeteria “La Terrazza”

14:30-16:00    Session 3:    MINORITY IDENTITY

Chair: Oleh Protsyk (ECMI)

- Emil Pain (Institute of Sociology, Russian Academy of Science/ Moscow High School of Economics)  
Paper Presentation: *Development of majority and minority identities*  
→ *Discussant*: Sergey Sokolovskiy
- Mahulena Hofmann (Giessen University)  
Paper Presentation: *Minority Identity in the normative context of language rights*  
→ *Discussant*: Stefan Oeter
- Sergey Sokolovskiy (Institute of Ethnology and Anthropology, Russian Academy of Sciences)  
Paper Presentation: *Government policies and minority identities*  
→ *Discussant*: Dmitri Gorenburg

## EVENING PROGRAM ON THE 20<sup>th</sup> OF SEPTEMBER

16:15 - 17:00	Bus trip to the city of Merano/Meran
17:00 - 18:00	Presentation of the historical ties between South Tyrol and Russia (delivered by Andrey Pruss, head of the South Tyrolean-Russian cultural association "Borodina")
18:00-18:45	Visit of the Russian Orthodox Church of Merano/Meran
19:00-21:30	Dinner with typical South Tyrolean gastronomic specialties at the restaurant "Forst" in Merano/Meran Weblink: <a href="http://www.braugartenforst.com/">http://www.braugartenforst.com/</a>
21:30-22:15	Return journey to Bolzano/Bozen

### Tuesday, 21 September 2010

EURAC Conference Hall

09:30-11:00    Session 4:    **POLITICAL PARTICIPATION AND REPRESENTATION**

Chair: Valerie Bunce (Cornell University, tbc)

- Robert Moser (University of Texas at Austin)

Paper Presentation: *Electoral rules*

→ Discussant: Nikolay Petrov

- Paul Chaisty (Oxford University)

Paper Presentation: *Legislative representation*

→ Discussant: Robert Moser

- Dmitry Gorenburg (Harvard University)

Paper Presentation: *Ethnic mobilization*

→ Discussant: Emil Pain

11:00-11:30 Coffee Break

**11:30-13:00 Final Session: NEXT STEPS AFTER THE BOZEN/BOLZANO MEETING**

Chair: Oleh Protsyk (ECMI)

- Publication matters
- Further group activity

**13:00-14:30 Lunch at the EURAC Cafeteria “La Terrazza”**

**END OF THE WORKSHOP**