

# CONFERENCE PROGRAM

OCTOBER 20, 2012, Saturday

9: 00—10: 40 **Opening Ceremony**

Moderation: Prof. Dr. Wang Xinyan (Director of Marxist Research Institute of Wuhan University, China)

9: 00—9: 20

*Opening and Welcome* (6 minutes per person)

1. Dr. Lutz Pohle (Rosa Luxemburg Foundation, Director of Beijing Office)
2. Prof. Tao Delin (Wuhan University, China)
3. Prof. Zhu Zhifang (Wuhan University, Dean of School of Philosophy)

9: 20—10: 40

Keynote Speak: *Lenin and the World Outlook for 21<sup>st</sup> Century*  
(25 minutes per person)

1. Prof. Gu Hailiang (National Academy of Education Administration, China)  
*Contemporary Significance of the Basic Characteristics of Lenin's Theory of Imperialism*
2. Mr. Harpal Brar (Communist Party of Great Britain, UK)  
*V.I.Lenin's Thesis on Imperialism and Its Validity Today*
3. Prof. Paul le Blanc (La Roche Colledge, USA)  
*New Trends in Scholarship on Lenin: Impacts of the Quest for Revolutionary Democracy*

Commentator: Prof. Alexey V. Gusev (5 minutes)

10: 40—10: 55 Group Photo & Coffee Break

10: 55—12: 25

Plenary Session I: *Lenin and the Problems of the Russian Revolution*

Moderation: Prof. Ito Narihiko (Japan)

Report: (15 minutes per person)

1. Prof. Alexey V. Gusev (Moscow University, Russian)  
*Lenin and Leninism in Russian ideological and Political discourse of 1920s*
2. Prof. Yu Liangzao (Nanjing Normal University, China)  
*The Purpose of Lenin to the October Revolution: A Correction to the Prevailing*

*Concept*

3. Prof. Fritz Weber (Vienna University, Austria)  
*Otto Bauer's View on Socialism, Democracy and the Russian Revolution:  
An Example for the differences between "Western" Marxism and Lenin's ideas*
  4. Prof. Dr. Yan Mengwei (Nankai University, China)  
*The Debate of "Democracy & Autarchy" between Lenin and Kautsky*
  5. Prof. Roland Boer (University of Newcastle, Australia)  
*Miracles Can Happen: Lenin and Revolution*
- Commentator: Mr. Ottokar Luban (5 minutes)  
Discussion: (10 minutes)

12: 25—13: 30 Lunch (Buffet)

13: 30—15: 15

Plenary Session II: *Lenin and the National Question*

Moderation: Prof. Zhang Xiuqin (China)

Report: (15 minutes per person)

1. Prof. Dr. Wang Xinyan (Wuhan University, China)  
*Lenin's Theory of Capitalism and Its Contemporary Value*
  2. Researcher João Arsénio Nunes (Centro de Estudos de História Contemporânea of ISCTE)  
*Lenin's reception in Portugal during the twenties and thirties (from Carlos Rates to Bento Gonçalves)*
  3. Prof. Geoffroy de Lafercade (Wesleyan university, USA)  
*What's "Left" of Lenin? Internationalism, Post-colonialism, and the Revolutionary Subject in Latin America of Hugo Chávez to Evo Morales*
  4. Prof. Dr. Juan Ignacio Castien Maestro (Complutense University of Madrid)  
*Lenin and the National Question: Between Essentialism and Constructionism*
  5. Prof. Radha D'Souza (University of Westminster, UK )  
*Imperialism and the Right of Nations to Self Determination: Revisiting the Nexus*
  6. Prof. Gu Yulan (Nanjing Audit University, China)  
*Lenin's Several Important Viewpoints on the National Question*
- Commentator: Prof. Ito Narihiko (5 minutes)  
Discussion: (10 minutes)

15: 15—15: 30 Coffee Break

15: 30—17: 15

Plenary Session III: *The Theory of Lenin's Imperialism & Proletarian Revolution*

Moderation: Prof. He Shulin (China)

Report: (15 minutes per person)

1. Prof. Dr. Wu Ning (Zhongnan University of Economics and Law, China)

*The Development of Lenin's Theory of Unbalance and its Value Today*

2. Prof. Dr. Tian Shiding (Three Gorges University, China)

*Is the Imperialism the Last Stage of Capitalism? An Analysis Based on the Relative Texts of Lenin*

3. Prof. Yu Min (Nanjing Normal University, China)

*An Exploration to Lenin's Thought of "Truce for Peace" During Unordinary Conditions in Russia*

4. Prof. Dr. Li Zhi (Wuhan University, China)

*On the Stratum of the Socialist Revolutionary Subject: the Divergence Between Lenin and Luxembourg*

5. Dr. Wu Xinwei (Wuhan University, China)

*On Lenin's Cultural Leadership*

6. Mr. Li Deyang (Renmin University, China)

*On the Divergence of the Theory of Proletarian Dictatorship between Lenin and Luxembourg and Its Contemporary Value*

Commentator: Prof. Dr. Wang Dong (5 minutes)

Discussion: (10minutes)

17: 15—18: 20 Report: *Reread Lenin's Nation and Revolution*

Moderation: Mr. Ottokar Luban

Report: (25 minutes per person)

1. Prof. Norman Levine (The Institute for International Policy, USA)

*The De-Legitimization of Lenin's State and Revolution*

2. Prof. Dr. He Ping (Wuhan University, China)

*The State and Revolution in the eyes of Chinese people in Recent 30 Years*

Commentator: Prof. Paul le Blanc (5 minutes)

Discussion: (10 minutes)

18: 20—19: 00 Dinner (Buffet)

19: 00 Return to the hotel

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9: 00—10: 40

Plenary Session IV: *Lenin' Thought in China*

Moderation: Prof. An Qinian (China)

Keynote Speaker: (25 Minutes)

Prof. Dr. Yang Jinhai (The Compilation and Translation Bureau under The CPC Central Committee, China)

*The Translation and Spread of Lenin's Workers in China*

Report: (15 minutes per person)

1. Prof. Dr. Wang Dong (Peking University, China)

*The Chinese Research on Lenin Thought*

2. Prof. Dr. Ding Junping (Wuhan University, China)

*On Lenin's Thought about Anti-Corruption Construction*

3. Prof. Dr. Yang Qian (Nankai University, China)

*The Research on Lenin's thought about Ruling Party*

4. Prof. Dr. Zuo Yawen (Wuhan University, China)

*The Comprehension to Lenin's Late Thought of the Socialist Reform*

Commentator: Prof. Zhu Chuanqi (5 minutes)

Discussion: (10 minutes)

10: 40—10: 55 Coffee Break

10: 55—12: 40

Plenary Session V: *Lenin's Thought in the West*

Moderation: Mr. Harpal Brar (UK)

Report: (15 minutes per person)

1. Prof. Dr. Zhang Xiuqin (China's University of Political Science and Law, China)

*The Thought Relationship of Lenin with the Second International—Taking the Interpretation of Marx's Concept of Ideology For Example*

2. Mr. Ottokar Luban, (International Society of Rosa Luxemburg, Berlin, Germany)

*Cooperation and Controversies between Rosa Luxemburg and Lenin*

3. Prof. Ito Narihiko (Emeritus of Chuo University, Japan)

*Lenin and Luxemburg*

4. Mr. Holger Politt (Rosa Luxemburg Foundation, Berlin, Germany)

*Rosa Luxemburg and Lenin*

5. Mr. Benjamin Opratko (Austrian Academy of Science/University of Vienna)

*Gramsci's "Leninism" revisited. Lenin, Gramsci and the "truly political"*

6. Prof. Thomas Carmichael (University of Western Ontario, Canada)

*Althusser and Lenin: Aleatory Materialism and Althusser's Lenin*

Commentator: Prof. Paul le Blanc (5 minutes)

Discussion: (10 minutes)

12: 40—13: 30 Lunch (Buffet)

13: 30—15: 30

Plenary Session VI: *Lenin and Marxist Traditions of Thought*

Moderation: Prof. Dr. Yan Mengwei

Report: (15 minutes per person)

1. Prof. Zhu Chuanqi (Wuhan University, China)

*Lenin and Marx: Das Kapital is The Activity Bible in Lenin's Lifelong*

2. Prof. An Qinian (Renmin University, China)

*Lenin And Marx*

3. Prof. Paresh Chattopadhyay (University of Quebec, Montreal)

*Lenin's reads Marx on socialism*

4. Ms. Ella Rule (Communist Party of Great Britain, UK)

*Marxism and the Emancipation of Women*

5. Prof. Simon Boxley (University of Winchester, UK)

*Lenin on the Class Character of Education: Lessons for the Left*

6. Prof. Dr. Chen Shulin (University of Heilongjiang, China)

*Lenin's View of Culture and Its Contemporary Value*

7. Dr. Liang Xiaoyan (Hunan Women's College, China)

*The Revelation of Lenin's thought of Women Emancipation to the Contemporary Women's Movement in China*

Commentor: Prof. Norman Levine (5 minutes)

Discussion: (10 minutes)

15: 30—15: 45 Coffee Break

15: 45—17: 00

Section I: *Lenin and Rosa Luxemburg*

Place: The Simultaneous Interpretation Room (on the Third Floor)

Moderation: Prof. Fritz Weber (Austria)

Report: (20 Minutes)

Prof. Paul le Blanc (La Roche College, USA)

*Lenin and Luxemburg Though Each Other's Eyes*

Discussion: (55 Minutes)

Section II: *Reflection on the Movement of Socialist Reform*

Place: The Report Hall

Moderation: Prof. Zhang Xiuqin (China)

Report: (20 Minutes)

Prof. Yuan Yinchuan (Wuhan University, China)

*Evolution Path of Soviet Marxism and Its Historical Lessons*

Discussion: (55 Minutes)

17: 00—18: 20 Closing Ceremony

Moderation: Prof. Dr. He Ping (Director of Institute of Western Marxist Philosophy,  
Wuhan University, China)

Final Plenary Session:

Reports: *Lenin's Thought In Today* (5 minutes per person)

Prof. Gu Hailiang (China)

Prof. Alexey V. Gusev (Russian)

Prof. Ding Junping (China)

Prof. Paul le Blanc (USA)

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