

Misliti o revoluciji: 100 let pozneje

Thinking About the Revolution: 100 Years After

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Med prelomi, ki so se vrezali v zgodovinsko podobo sveta, oktobrska revolucija s svojimi še dolgo v kasnejši čas segajočimi družbenimi, gospodarskimi in političnimi posledicami že celo stoletje priteguje pozornost svetovnega in domačega zgodovinskega, vpliva na oblikovanje politik in budi zanimanje široke javnosti. Tedaj se je zamajal uveljavljeni politični red, izbruhnila je „svetovna revolucija vzhajajočih pričakovanj“, ki se je sčasoma dotaknila skrajne točke zemeljske oble. Vojna, nacionalna gibanja, socialno / razredno nezadovoljstvo so delovali razkrajajoče in ustvarjalno obenem, odpirali so nove možnosti, navdihovali nova razmišljanja, oblikovali nove mentalne svetove. Zgodovinski pomen takratnega dogajanja so med drugim nazorno pokazala tudi radikalna ideološka in politična gibanja, ki jih je rodila moderna in jim je petrograjski oktober pomenil bodisi izhodišče bodisi poudarjeni smisel njihovega delovanja. Ob njegovi stoti obletnici imamo lepo priložnost, da spregovorimo o novih spoznanjih in ovrednotimo dosedanja, ki jih je o tem problemskem polju spodbudilo raziskovalno iskanje. V Inštitutu za novejšo zgodovino smo se zato odločili, da letos pripravimo Okroglo mizo o oktobrski revoluciji in preudarimo vprašanja, ki jih le-ta danes ponuja. Predstavili bomo poglede, ki jih o njej izražajo v mednarodnem zgodovinskega in tiste, ki so se izoblikovali v slovenskem prostoru.

Among the turning points that shaped the historical image of the world, the October Revolution with its long-lasting social, economic, and political consequences has been attracting the attention of historiographers around the world as well as in Slovenia, influencing the policy-making and spurring the interest of a wide public circle for the last one hundred years. At the time of the Revolution the established political order was shaken, a “global revolution of rising expectations” broke out, and it eventually reached the furthest ends of the globe. War, national movements, and social/class discontent were simultaneously disintegrative and creative, opening new opportunities, inspiring new ways of thinking, and shaping new mental worlds. The historical importance of these events was also clearly demonstrated by the radical ideological and political movements stemming from modernity which understood the October Revolution in Petrograd either as a starting point or an emphasised purpose for their activities. This centenary provides us with a marvellous opportunity to debate the new findings and evaluate the existing ones, brought about by the research endeavours with regard to this specific issue. The Institute of Contemporary History has thus decided to organise a round table about the October Revolution, in order to contemplate the various questions surrounding this topic nowadays. We shall present the viewpoints expressed by the international historiography as well as those shaped in the Slovenian space.

Preliminarni program / Preliminary programme

9.00 – 9.30 Jutranja kava / Morning coffee

9.30 Uvodna nagovora / Opening remarks (Damijan Guštin, Director of the Institute and Jure Gašparič for the organisers)

9.40 – 10.30 Panel 1: **Revolucija v globalni perspektivi / Revolution in the Global Perspective**

Alexander M. Semyonov (Department of History, Center for Historical Research, National Research University-Higher School of Economics in St. Petersburg), *Revolution or Imperial Breakup? 1917 as a Case of Imperial Transformations*

Andreas Schulz (Kommission für Geschichte des Parlamentarismus und der politischen Parteien, Berlin), *Impacts of the Russian Revolution on Weimar Germany*

10.30 – 10.45 Odmor za kavo / Coffee break

10.45 – 11.50 Jerzy Wiatr (University of Warsaw), *Reflections on the Russian Revolution*

Anton Bebler (Faculty for Social Sciences, University of Ljubljana), *On the Global Impact of the Russian Revolution*

Jure Gašparič (Institute of Contemporary History, Ljubljana), *Changing View on Russian Revolution 1917 – Slovenia in Global Perspective*

11.50 – 12.10 Odmor za kavo / Coffee break

12.10 – 13.10 Panel 2: **Revolucija v nacionalni perspektivi / Revolution in the National Perspective**

Janko Prunk (Faculty for Social Sciences, University of Ljubljana), *Salus revolutiae ultima lex*

Vida Deželak Barič (Institute of Contemporary History, Ljubljana), *Slovensko komunistično gibanje in Oktobrska revolucija 1920–1945*

Jurij Perovšek (Institute of Contemporary History, Ljubljana), *Pogledi meščanske politike na Oktobrsko revolucijo do druge svetovne vojne*



13.10 – 13.30 Odmor za kavo / Coffee break

13.30 – 14.30 Bojan Godeša (Institute of Contemporary History, Ljubljana), *Instrumentalizacija protikomunizma v delovanju predvojnih političnih elit*

Zdenko Čepič (Institute of Contemporary History, Ljubljana), *Jugoslovanska revolucija in Oktober*

Avzug Lešnik (Faculty of Arts, University of Ljubljana), *Ruski »oktober« v Britovškovem znanstvenem opusu*

14.45 Kosilo za udeležence / Lunch for participants

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