10.00 – 11.30: Forms of civic engagement

Antje Grebner (Hague University of Applied Science)
Local responses to the authoritarian backlash: the case of human rights organisations in Voronezh

Vikki Turbine (University of Glasgow)
Researching citizens’ rights activism online in contemporary Russia

Francesca Stella (University of Glasgow)
Sexual citizenship and the politics of Pride and shame: The politicisation of sexuality in Russia

11.45 – 13.15: Ethnic politics

Saida Sirazhudinova (South Russian Institute of the Russian Presidential Academy of National Economy and Public Administration)
The development of civil society and protest activity in Russia and in the North Caucasus

Anna Koch & Alexandra Tomaselli (European Academy Bolzano/Bozen – EURAC)
Implementation of indigenous rights in Russia: shortcomings and recent developments

Tatiana Litvinova (Russian Academy of Science)
The methods of “information jihad” against Russia

13.30 – 14.30 Lunch

14.45 – 16.15: The politics of protest

David White (University of Birmingham)
The Moscow Protests: the Challenge of Mobilisation and the Political-Civil Society Nexus

Olga Nikolaeva (Activist and member of Russie-Libertés)
How Russian social movements interact with global counterparts

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Gregory Schwartz (University of Bath) and Claudio Morrison (Middlesex University)
Beyond Patience? The Anatomy of a Strike Movement in Russia, 2008-2012.

16.30 -18.00: Society-state relations

Mariana Semenyshyn (University of Glasgow)
Nashi: From youth organisation to a political party

Catherine Owen (University of Exeter)
Russia’s public monitoring commissions: Public control or state co-optation?

Anna Tarasenko (National Research University Higher School of Economics (St. Petersburg))
Managing social policy relying on civil society