

Meeting “Representing Gypsies”
June 29th – July 2nd at Monastery Plasy/Czechia
– AGENDA –

Thursday, June 29th

until 17.00 Arrival

17.15 Prologue Prof. RNDr. Ivo **Budil**, Ph.D., DSc. / Head of the
Department for Anthropology of the University of
West Bohemia, Plzen

Opening Dr. Marek **Jakoubek**, Plzen
Prof. Dr. Bernhard **Streck**, Leipzig

18.00 *Buffet*

19.00 Film “*Shutka Book of Records*”

Friday, June 30th – “The scientific construction of Gypsy/Romani culture”

8.00 – 9.00 *Breakfast*

9.30 Prof. Dr. Judith **Okely** / University of Hull & Oxford Brookes
Representing Gypsies and the problem of modernization

10.15 Dr. Johannes **Ries** / University of Leipzig
*Writing (different) Gypsies. Anthropology and the scientific
representation of Roma*

11.00 – 11.30 *Coffee & Tea*

11.30 Lenka **Budilová** M.A. / Charles University Prague
Gypsies: between theory and field. The case of kinship

12.15 Olaf **Günther** M.A. / Humboldt University Berlin
Making the Difference. The constructions of the Gypsy in Central Asia

13.00 Michal **Růžička** MA / University of West Bohemia
Images of Roma

14.00 – 15.00 *Lunch*

15.30 Guided Tour through the Monastery Plasy / West Bohemian Hike

20.00 *Dinner at “NA ŠPICI”*

Saturday, July 1st – “The impact of Roma activism”

8.00 – 9.00 *Breakfast*

9.30 László **Fosztó** M.A. / MPI for Social Anthropology Halle
Activism and war reparations: notes from the field

10.15 Huub **van Baar** M.A. M. Sc. / University of Amsterdam
Romani Self-representations in Light of Memory Discourses

11.00 – 11.30 *Coffee & Tea*

11.30 Dr. Marek **Jakoubek** / University of West Bohemia
Are there any (local) Roma communities? – The case of Česká Kamenice

12.15 Prof. Dr. Bernhard **Streck** / University of Leipzig
Formal and informal realities – the contradiction of complex societies

13.00 Lukáš **Radostný** M.A. / Charles University Prague
Gypsy Music: Crossing the Fields

14.00 – 15.00 *Lunch*

15.30 Workgroup Meetings:

- Workgroup I “*The scientific construction of Gypsy/Romani culture*”
- Workgroup II “*The impact of Roma activism*”

19.30 *Dinner*

Sunday, July 2nd – “Quo Vadis, Gypsy/Romani Studies?”

8.00 – 9.00 *Breakfast*

9.30 Meta-Discussion I “*The scientific construction of Gypsy/Romani culture*”
Meta-Discussion II “*The impact of Roma activism*”

11.00 – 11.30 *Coffee & Tea*

11.30 Discussion “*Quo Vadis, Gypsy/Romani Studies?*”

Parting Words Dr. Marek **Jakoubek**, Plzen
Prof. Dr. Bernhard **Streck**, Leipzig