

# **PROGRAM**



## **Third Annual Conference of the Central Eurasian Studies Society**

**University of Wisconsin-Madison  
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**Central Eurasian Studies Society**  
&  
Central Asian Studies Program  
Center for Russia, East Europe, and Central Asia  
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## **CONFERENCE REGISTRATION\***

- \$40** General Registration
- \$30** Central Eurasian Studies Society Members & UW-Madison Faculty & Staff
- \$20** Central Eurasian Studies Society Student Members & UW-Madison Students

*(\*includes Friday evening reception/dinner, wine/soft drinks with Friday dinner, & coffee/tea breaks)*

Meetings are held except where specified at:  
**Lowell Center – University of Wisconsin**  
610 Langdon Street, Madison, Wisconsin 53703  
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## Thursday, October 17, 2002

Arrival & Registration, Lowell Center

## Friday, October 18, 2002

Registration, Lowell Center

- 7:00 - 8:00** Breakfast, Lowell Center  
*(complimentary for hotel guests)*
- 8:00 - 9:00** Registration, Lowell Center
- 9:00 - 9:30** Welcome & Opening Remarks (*Room B1B*)  
**Uli Schamiloglu** (Central Asian Studies Program, University of Wisconsin-Madison)  
**Robert J. Kaiser** (Center for Russia, East Europe, and Central Asia, University of Wisconsin-Madison)  
**V. Narayana Rao** (Department of Languages and Cultures of Asia, University of Wisconsin-Madison)  
**John Schoeberlein** (Central Eurasian Studies Society & Harvard University)
- 9:30 - 11:00** **SESSION 1A** (*Room B1A*) **International Relations I**  
*Chair: Robert M. Cutler (Carleton University)*  
**Pınar Akçalı** (Middle East Technical University)  
Globalization in Central Asia: A Reverse Trend?  
**J. A. M. Jamil Brownson** (University of Iowa)  
Geopolitics & Environmental Security, and New Alliances across the Silk Road from Turkey to Japan  
**Martin C. Spechler** (Indiana University/Purdue University-Indianapolis)  
“Central Asian Security Issues: Regional Responses”
- SESSION 1B** (*Room B1B*) **Social Issues**  
*Chair: Marianne Kamp (University of Wyoming)*  
**Adilia Daminova** (Columbia University)  
Domestic Violence in Uzbekistan  
**Inna Andreeva** (Columbia University)  
Potential Implementation Of American Child Abuse Prevention Policies Model In Kyrgyzstan  
**Leila Alieva** (Academy of Sciences of Azerbaijan, Institute of History/Baku Development Center)  
Globalization and Urban Violence: Case Study of Baku
- SESSION 1C** (*Lower Lounge*) **Medieval Eurasian History**  
*Chair: Alexander Seleznev (University of Wisconsin-Madison/Omsk State University)*  
**Uli Schamiloglu** (University of Wisconsin-Madison)  
Western Eurasia in the 12th Century: The Travels of Abu Hamid al-Garnati  
**Patrick Wing** (University of Chicago)  
Tolui's Other Son: A Lineage-based Approach to Jochid-Toluid Relations in the Second Half of the 13th Century  
**Timothy May** (University of Wisconsin-Madison)  
A Mongol-Isma'ili Alliance?: Thoughts on the Mongols and Assassins

**SESSION 1D (Room 118) Language Policy**

*Chair: Alma Kunanbay (University of Wisconsin-Madison)*

**Luke O'Callaghan (Trinity College-Dublin)**

Language Standardisation in Kazakhstan

**Talant Mawkanuli (Indiana University-Bloomington)**

Language and Politics in Xinjiang: The Implementation of China's Language Policy

**Ganisher Rahimov (Boston University)**

Multinationalism and Language Policy in Uzbekistan

11:00 - 12:00

**SESSION 2 (Room B1B) Featured Speaker**

**James Millward (Georgetown University)**

Xinjiang/East Turkestan from a Long Perspective: Reflections on the Region's History and Current Crisis

12:00 - 1:00

Lunch (*not organized*)

12:00-2:00 PM

**CESS Board of Directors Meeting**

1:00 – 3:30

**SESSION 3A (Room B1A) Folklore and Music**

*Chair: Talant Mawkanuli (Indiana University)*

**Alma Kunanbay (University of Wisconsin-Madison)**

Nomadic Aitys on the National Mall

**Sayida Elemanova (Qurmangazy State Conservatory)**

The Concept of Time in Kazakh Folk-Professional Songs

**Izabella Horvath (independent scholar)**

Son-of-White Horse Folk Tale: Inner parallels in Hungarian and Inner Asian Folk Tale Construction

**Michael Rouland (Georgetown University)**

Music and Nation in the 1936 Festival of Kazakh Arts

**Gurdofarid Miskinzoda (SOAS, University of London)**

*Maddo*: The Tradition of Devotional Singing Among the Ismailis of Badakhshan, Tajikistan

**SESSION 3B (Room B1B) Geography**

*Chair: Robert Kaiser (University of Wisconsin-Madison)*

**Alexander C. Diener (University of Wisconsin-Madison)**

Settlement of the Returning Kazakh Diaspora: History, Climate, Family, and the Nationalization of Social Space?

**Aigul Zabirowa (Indiana University/Eurasian National University)**

The Latest Urbanization Processes in Kazakhstan: A Case Study of Astana

**William C. Rowe, Jr. (Macalester College)**

Agriculture and Society in the Hisor Valley of Tajikistan: The Effects of "Change"

**Botagoz Shaimardanova (Indiana University/Pavlodar State University)**

Ecological Monitoring of the Technogenic - Contaminated Region in Northeastern Kazakhstan: The Actual Information and Actual Processes

**Philippe Foret (Swiss Federal Institute of Technology)**

The Mapping of the Tibetan Plateau: Was It So Anti-British?

**SESSION 3C (Lower Lounge) Society & Politics I**

*Chair: Kamer Kasım (Abant İzzet Baysal University)*

**Lowell W. Barrington (Marquette University)**

Those Dirty, Stupid Kazakhs: Attitudinal and Demographic Determinants of Ethnic Stereotypes among Russians in Kazakhstan

**Jesse Sanford (University of California-Berkeley)**

The Talk of Corruption in Kazakhstan

**Khatchik DerGhoukassian (University of Miami) & Richard Giragosian**

Huntington Revisited: Ethnic Conflict, Economic Transition And Corruption in the Caucasus

**Alisher Kadyrov**

The Growth of Effectiveness of Territorial Structure of Industry of Republic of Tajikistan

**SESSION 3D (Room 118) Central Asian Politics**

*Chair: James Millward (Georgetown University)*

**Gulnoza Saidazimova (Radio Free Europe/Radio Liberty)**

Central Asia After September 11: (New?) Challenges to Regional Security

**Farrukh Naberayev (International Management Training Centre, Samarkand)**

Ethnocracy vs. Democracy: Central Asian Peculiarities

**Dolkun Kamberi (Radio Free Asia)**

Uyghurs and Uyghur Identity

**3:30 - 5:00**

**SESSION 4 (Room B1B) Presidential Address**

**John Schoeberlein (Harvard University)**

Muslim Hearts and Minds: The Contested Terrain of Central Asian Islam

**5:00-6:00**

**Musical Interlude**

**Jeffrey Werbock**

The Art of the Azerbaijani Mugham

**6:00 - 9:00**

**Reception & Dinner in Honor of Featured Speakers and Guests (220**

*Ingraham Hall – 1155 Observatory Drive)*

# Saturday, October 19, 2002

Registration, Lowell Center

8:00 - 9:00

Breakfast, Lowell Center (*complimentary for hotel guests*)

9:00 – 11:00

## **SESSION 5A (Room B1A) International Relations II**

*Chair: Pınar Akçalı (Middle East Technical University)*

**Yelda Demirağ (Başkent University)**

From Past to the Present: Turkey - Central Asia Relations

**Chien-peng Chung (Institute of Defence and Strategic Studies, Singapore)**

China's Great Game in Central Asia: On the Defensive?

**Jonathan Zartman (University of Denver)**

The Contributions of Social Constructivism to Conflict Resolution

**Asbed Kotchikian**

"Where Worlds Collide" The Geopolitics of the Caucasus in a "New World Order"

## **SESSION 5B (Room B1B) Economy & Law**

*Chair: Gregory Gleason (University of New Mexico)*

**Eric W. Sievers (Harvard University)**

Water and Conflict in Central Asia

**Philip M. Nichols (National University of Mongolia/University of Pennsylvania)**

Privatization of Land in Mongolia

**Anthony Pizur (Quickwater Research)**

The Short Run Viability of Central Asian-American Trade

**Kuatbay Bektemirov (Indiana University/Karakalpak Branch of the Uzbekistan Academy of Sciences)**

Challenges for Sustainable Development in Central Asia: Socio-economic and Institutional Aspects of Water Mismanagement

## **SESSION 5C (Lower Lounge) Languages of the Caucasus**

*Chair: : Marlys Macken (University of Wisconsin-Madison)*

**Bert Beynen (Des Moines Area Community College)**

A Semantic Analysis of the Georgian Suffixes *-gan* and *-dan*

**Lars Johanson (Johannes Gutenberg University, Mainz)**

Turkic-Speaking Groups Of The Caucasus Area

**John Colarusso (McMaster University)**

Altaic in the Context of Pontic

**V. Anastassov**

Knowledge About Language As Knowledge About The Location Of The "Ego" In Social Environment

**SESSION 5D (Room 118) TBA**

**SESSION 5E (Room 115) TBA**

**SESSION 5F (Room 116) TBA**

11:00 – 12:00

**SESSION 6 (Room B1B) Featured Speaker**

**Alexander Knysh (University of Michigan-Ann Arbor)**

A Clear and Present Danger: “Wahhabism” as a Rhetorical Foil

12:00 - 1:00

Lunch (*not organized*)

1:00 – 3:00

**SESSION 7A (Room B1A) Islam**

*Chair: Alexander Knysh (University of Michigan-Ann Arbor)*

**Vernon James Schubel (Kenyon College)**

From Ahmad Yasavi to Hajji Bektash, From Central Asia to Anatolia: Images of Spiritual Authority in the *Vilayetnameh*

**Ravil Bukharaev (BBC)**

Sufism in Russia: Nostalgia for Revelation

**Mehmet K. Karabela (Institute of Islamic Studies, McGill University)**

Disputes Between Musa Jar Allah Bigiyef (1875-1949) and One of the Last Ottoman Sheyhülislams Mustafa Sabri Efendi (1869-1954)

**Alexander Seleznev (University of Wisconsin-Madison/Omsk State**

**University) & Irina Selezneva (Russian Institute of Culturology, Omsk)**

Zange-Ata and Hazir-Ilyas in Siberia: On the Problem of the Central Asian Sources of Siberian Islam

**SESSION 7B (Room B1B) Culture I**

*Chair: Anatoly Khazanov (University of Wisconsin-Madison)*

**Tony Banks (Massey University)**

Kazak Nomads and Settlement in Xinjiang

**Russell Zanca (Northeastern Illinois University)**

The Importance of Anthropology to Collectivization Studies: The Uzbek Experience

**Cynthia Werner (Texas A&M University)**

Women, Marriage, and the Nation-State: The Rise of Non-Consensual Bride Kidnapping in Post-Soviet Kazakhstan

**Benjamin D. Koen (Ohio State University)**

The Embodiment of Local Symbol and Metaphor in the Music, Prayer, and Poetry of Badakhshan, Tajikistan

**SESSION 7C (Lower Lounge) Education**

*Chair: Martha C. Merrill (Indiana University)*

**Alan J. DeYoung (University of Kentucky)**

Creating an "Action Plan" for Educational Reform in the Kyrgyz Republic: 2001

**Zemfira Zeynalova (Indiana University)**

Distance Education in the Technology Supported Education Reforms in Azerbaijan

**Sarfarozi Niyozov (Institute of Ismaili Studies, London)**

Education in Tajikistan after the Collapse of the Soviet Union: The Policy Makers' Rhetoric and the People's Realities

**Elmira Ibraimova (University of Minnesota)**

The Educational System and the Necessity to Develop Leadership

**SESSION 7D (Room 118) Shifting Boundaries of Imperial Authority: War and Diplomacy in the North Caucasus 1700-1859**

*Chair: John Colarusso (McMaster University)*

**Brian J. Boeck (Harvard University)**

When Raiding became Robbery : The Creation of Boundaries on the Russian-

Ottoman Steppe Frontier (1700-1710)

**Sean Pollock (Harvard University)**

Ambiguity in the Treaty of Küçük Kaynarca: The Case of Kabarda

**Dana Sherry (University of California-Davis)**

Mosque and State in the Caucasus, 1828-1843

**Anna Zelkina (SOAS, University of London)**

Continuity and Change in the Post-Soviet Societies of Central Asia and the  
Caucasus: A Theoretical Approach

**SESSION 7E (Room 115) TBA**

**SESSION 7F (Room 116) TBA**

**3:00 – 5:30**

**SESSION 8A (Room B1A) Culture II**

*Chair: Russell Zanca (Northeastern Illinois University)*

**Michael G. Davis (Truman State University)**

On the Effects of the Introduction of the Domestic Horse in the Western  
Hemisphere and Its Implications for the Comparative Study of Equestrian  
Nomadism: Formulating the General Problem

**Radha Dalal (University of Minnesota-Twin Cities)**

Excavating Footsteps: 19th and 20th Century Travelogues on Khiva

**Marianne Kamp (University of Wyoming)**

Welfare, Mahalla, and Women in Uzbekistan

**Laura Adams (Babson College)**

Imagining the Audience: Global and National Influences on Culture Production  
in Uzbekistan

**Tristra Newyear (Indiana University-Bloomington)**

A History of the World: Mongolian Theater in the 1920s

**SESSION 8B (Room B1B) Society & Politics II**

*Chair: Martin C. Spechler (Indiana University/Purdue University-Indianapolis)*

**Regina Faranda (US Department of State) & David Nolle (US Department of  
State)**

Ethnic Social Distance in Kyrgyzstan: Evidence From a Nationwide Opinion  
Survey

**Maureen Nemecek (Oklahoma State University-Stillwater)**

Media Use and Credibility of International News in Kazakhstan: Perceptions of  
the Attacks in the U.S., the Attacks in Afghanistan and the Raising of the  
Kursk

**David J. Mikosz (IREX)**

Appropriation of Technology: The Internet in Central Asia

**Erin Epstein & Charity Fain (National Democratic Institute)**

Democracy in Central Asia



**SESSION 8C (Lower Lounge) Modern Central Asian History**

*Chair: Brian J. Boeck (Harvard University)*

**Nurten Kılıç -Schubel (Kenyon College)**

The Historiography of the Shibaniid-Uzbek Period in Central Asia

**Scott Levi (Eastern Illinois University)**

Challenging Central Asian Historiography: The Khanate of Khoqand

**Ron Sela (Indiana University-Bloomington)**

Whose Story is it Anyway? A Khivan Historian on the Russian Conquest of Khiva and the Massacre of the Yomut Turkmens

**Jeff Sahadeo (University of Tennessee)**

Class, Culture, and Colonialism in Revolutionary Turkestan

**Anvarbek Mokeev (International Manas University)**

New Historic Sources on Kyrgyz Resistance to Russian Colonists in the Nineteenth Century

**SESSION 8D (Room 118) Identity**

*Chair: Robert Olson (University of Kentucky)*

**Brian Glyn Williams (University of Massachusetts-Dartmouth)**

A Nation Exiled: The Historic Role of Ethnic Cleansing in Shaping Crimean Tatar National Identity

**Ahmet Ağır (University of Wisconsin-Madison)**

Reconstruction of Uzbek Identity in Uzbek Novels

**Ayşe Gün Soysal (Ataturk Institute, Boğaziçi University)**

"What do You Understand by Nationality?" - A Questionnaire in a Tatar Periodical

**Talinn Grigor (Massachusetts Institute of Technology)**

The Missing Authors: The Construction of Pahlavi Monuments and the Negotiation of Iranian Identity, 1934-1987

**SESSION 8E (Room 115) International Relations III**

*Chair: Eric W. Sievers (Harvard University)*

**Spyridon Kotsovilis (McGill University)**

Joint Custody? Towards a Political Accommodation of Turkey's Parents (Ataturk and Religion)

**Robert M. Cutler (Carleton University)**

Transnational Potentials for Conflict Reduction and Prevention in the South Caucasus

**Oksan Bayulgen (University of Texas-Austin)**

Azerbaijan: "Frontier of Capitalism"

**YounKyo Kim (St. Mary's College)**

The Resource Curse in Post-Communist Regimes: Russia and Kazakhstan in Comparative Perspective

**SESSION 8F (Room 116) TBA**

**5:30 – 7:30**

Dinner (*not organized*)

**7:30 – 10:00**

**Business Meeting (Room B1B)**

**Central Eurasian Studies Society**

(to be followed by meetings of various CESS committees)

## Sunday, October 20, 2002

Registration, Lowell Center

8:00 - 9:00

Breakfast, Lowell Center (*complimentary for hotel guests*)

9:00 – 11:00

### **SESSION 9A (Room B1A) Ottoman and Turkish Foreign Relations**

*Chair: John Schoeberlein (Harvard University)*

**İhsan Çomak (Institute of Oriental Studies, Moscow)**

Russian Foreign Policy Towards The Ottoman Empire at the End of the 19th and the Beginning of the 20th Centuries

**Michael Reynolds (Harvard University/Princeton University)**

The Inchoate Nation Abroad: Tsarist Russia, Nation-Building, and the Kurds of Ottoman Anatolia, 1908-1914

**Kamer Kasım (Abant İzzet Baysal University)**

Turkey's Foreign Policy Towards Azerbaijan, Georgia and Armenia

**Robert Olson (University of Kentucky)**

Turkey-Iran Relations, 2000-2001: The Caspian, Azerbaijan and Kurdish Issues

### **SESSION 9B (Room B1B) Society & Politics III**

*Chair: Maureen Nemecek (Oklahoma State University-Stillwater)*

**Martha C. Merrill (Indiana University)**

Contextualizing Central Asian Studies: Escape from the Post-Soviet Paradigm

**Gregory Gleason (University of New Mexico)**

Authoritarianism and Human Rights in Central Asia

**Alisher A. Khamidov (University of Notre Dame)**

Islamic Fundamentalism in Central Asia: Hizb-ut-Tahrir al-Islami as a New Challenge for Central Asian Security

**Anar M. Valiyev (Indiana University)**

Islamic Radicalism in Azerbaijan

### **SESSION 9C (Lower Lounge) Linguistics**

*Chair: Lars Johanson (Johannes Gutenberg University, Mainz)*

**Eva Agnes Csato Johanson (Uppsala University)**

The Late Swedish Turcologist Gunnar Jarring and his Kashkay Language Materials

**Kerim Demirci (University of Wisconsin-Madison)**

Kazakh Descriptive Verbs and Grammaticalization

**Ferhat Karabulut (University of Wisconsin-Madison)**

Kazakh Relative Clause Construction

**Rahat Mukasheva (Arabaev Kyrgyz State Pedagogical University)**

Language Culture in Kyrgyzstan

### **SESSION 9D (Room 118) Society & Politics IV**

*Chair: Bakhtiyor R. Karimov (National University of the Uzbekistan)*

**Bakhtiyor R. Karimov (National University of the Uzbekistan)**

Oikumen, Ethnosism, Ethnolingvopanism and the Problems of Preserving of Endangered Altaic and Turkic Peoples

**Vladimir I. Ionesov (Samara State Academy of Culture and Arts)**

Peace and Conflict in Transitional Culture (Post-Soviet Central Asia)

**Tatyana Trifonova (Samarkand State University)**

Better to be Healthy and Rich than Ill and Poor

**11:00– 12:00**

**SESSION 10 (Room B1B) Forum – CESS: Looking to the Future**

*Moderator: John Schoeberlein (Harvard University)*

**12:00 noon -**

**Departure of Workshop Participants**

**See you in Cambridge, October 2003!**

**The Fourth Annual Conference of the Central Eurasian Studies Society** will be held in October 2003 and hosted by the Program on Central Asia and the Caucasus at Harvard University. Please see the website for the Call for Papers and further information:  
*[http://cess.fas.harvard.edu/CESS\\_Conference.html](http://cess.fas.harvard.edu/CESS_Conference.html)*

**Workshop on Central Asian Studies  
Keynote Speakers**

**1996**

*The Legacy of Russian Colonialism in Central Asia*  
Adeeb Khalid (Carleton College)

**1997**

*The Formation of National Identities in Central Asia*  
Nazif M. Shahrani (Wilson Center & Indiana University)

**1998**

*Rewriting Central Asian History*  
Roziya G. Mukminova (Institute of Oriental Studies, Tashkent)

**1999**

*Knowledge, Sentiment, and the Fantasy of Empire:  
Some Thoughts on Russia and its Encounters with Crimea*  
Edward J. Lazzerini (University of New Orleans)

**Central Eurasian Studies Society Conference**

**Featured Speakers**

**CESS 1—2000**

*The Nart Sagas of the Caucasus: An Ancient Eurasian Epic Tradition*  
John Colarusso (McMaster University)  
*Music and the Reimagination of Tradition in Central Asia*  
Ted Levin (Smithsonian Institution/Dartmouth)  
*The Great Yasa of Chinggis Khan Revisited*  
David O. Morgan (University of Wisconsin-Madison)

**CESS 2—2001**

*Center-Periphery Relations in Uzbekistan*  
Alisher Ilkhamov (Tashkent)  
*Central Asia Ten Years After*  
Anatoly Khazanov (University of Wisconsin-Madison)  
*Democracy in Central Asia and the Caucasus*  
Ambassador Nelson Ledsky (National Democratic Institute)

**CESS 3—2002**

*A Clear and Present Danger: "Wahhabism" as a Rhetorical Foil*  
Alexander Knysh (University of Michigan-Ann Arbor)  
*Xinjiang/East Turkestan from a Long Perspective: Reflections on the Region's History and Current Crisis*  
James Millward (Georgetown University)  
*Muslim Hearts and Minds: The Contested Terrain of Central Asian Islam*  
John Schoeberlein (Harvard University)

**CESS 4—October 2003**

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