

RENET activities 2016

Date	Event	Keyspeakers/Discussants
29 th of February, 2016	Virtual Seminar <i>“Do Cross-Sector Partnerships Deliver? Social Innovation and Value Creation Perspective”</i>	Presenter - PhD student Jurgita Mikolaitytė (Šiauliai University, Lithuania), Supervisor - prof. Dr Diana Šaparnienė (Šiauliai University, Lithuania). Discussants: prof. Dr Carol E. Ebdon (University of Nebraska Omaha, USA), prof. Dr Agota Giedrė Raišienė (Mykolas Romeris University, Lithuania), assoc. prof. Dr Uroš Pinterič (Faculty of organization studies in Novo mesto, Slovenia)
18 th of April, 2016	Virtual Discussion <i>“The Great Recession of 2007-2008: Causes, Consequences and Lessons”</i>	Presenter - prof. Dr Mark Cassell (Kent State University, USA) Discussants: Prof. Dr Kenneth A. Kriz (Wichita State University, USA), researcher Dr Adam Jarosz (Zielona Gora University, Poland)
21 st of April, 2016	Virtual seminar <i>“Single subject research: Multiple baseline design for research in education”</i>	Assoc. prof. Dr Philip D. Nordness (University of Nebraska Omaha, USA)
27 th of April, 2016	Round table discussion <i>“RENET - Researchers' Excellence Network”</i>	Moderator - prof. Dr Diana Šaparnienė (Šiauliai University, Lithuania) Speakers - members of RENET: assoc. prof. Dr Uroš Pinterič (Faculty of organization studies in Novo mesto, Slovenia), PhD student Jurgita Mikolaitytė (Šiauliai University, Lithuania), prof. Dr Ingrida Šaulienė (The director of Institute of Science in Šiauliai University, Lithuania), Dr Eglė Gerulaitienė (The Head of the Center of Social Partnership and Innovations, Šiauliai University, Lithuania). Presentation for participants of the XI International Week.
3 rd of May, 2016	Virtual lecture-discussion <i>“Remembrance Narratives and Transitional Identity Politics: Comparative Analysis”</i>	Junior researcher Dr Patryk Wawrzynski (Nicolaus Copernicus University, Poland)
13 th of October, 2016	Pre-conference (discussion) <i>“The Model of Good Governance: What we can change?”</i> (in Lithuanian, “Gero valdymo modelis: ką galime pakeisti?”)	Presenters: Vaidotas Petronis (the leader of the project „Lietuvos Respublikos ir Norvegijos karalystės institucijų bendradarbiavimas perteikiant žinias ir gerą patirtį administracinio-finansinio valdymo bei korupcijos mažinimo ir prevencijos srityje Lietuvos Respublikos valstybės ir savivaldybių institucijoms“), Rita Šikšnienė (the head of the sub-unit of the corruption prevention in Šiauliai Board of the Special Investigation Service of the Republic of Lithuania),

		<p>PhD student, lector Rita Toleikienė (Department of Public Administration, Šiauliai University, Lithuania) Organizers - Special Investigation Service of the Republic of Lithuania, RENET, Public Administration Department of Šiauliai University (Lithuania). Participants - representatives of ethics commissions, Councils and Administration in municipalities of Lithuania, members of RENET, interested persons.</p>
<p>14th of October, 2016</p>	<p>5-th International Scientific-Practical Conference “Good Governance at Local Self-Government: Opportunities and Challenges in Developing Collaborative Governance”</p> <p>RENET Working Group “Global Challenges in Developing Collaborative Governance”</p>	<p>Moderators: Prof. Dr Miro Haček (vice-president of Central Eastern European Political Science Association (CEPSA), University of Ljubljana, Slovenia), Prof. Dr Diana Šaparnienė (Researchers’ Excellence Network, Šiauliai University, Lithuania), Lect. Dr Vita Juknevičienė (Researchers’ Excellence Network, Šiauliai University, Lithuania).</p> <p>Presenters: Prof. Dr Mark Cassell (Kent State University, USA) <i>America’s Presidential Election: Should the World be Worried?</i> Assoc. prof. Dr Uroš Pinterič (Faculty of Organisation studies in Novo mesto, Slovenia) <i>Challenges of Collaborative Governance in Slovenian Practice: Management of the National Heritage between Macro Interests, Legal Limitations and Responsibility</i> Adjunct Dr Adam Jarosz (University of Zielona Gora, Poland) <i>Role of Social Advisory-Consultative Bodies in Urban Politics</i> Assoc. prof. Dr Iveta Reinholde (University of Latvia, Latvia) <i>Towards New Public Governance in Latvia: from Competition to Collaboration</i> PhD student, lector Jurgita Mikolaitytė (Šiauliai University, Lithuania) <i>Value Creation in Cross-Sector Collaboration: Different Levels and Sources</i> PhD student Valdis Balcers (University of Latvia, Latvia) <i>The Elements and Feasibility of Collaborative Governance in the Advanced High-Tech Industries: the Case of Ventspils High Technology Park</i> Lector Dr Vita Juknevičienė, PhD student, lector Jurgita Mikolaitytė, Eglė Jonikaitė (Šiauliai University, Lithuania) <i>New Public Governance towards Smart Governance: The Analysis of a New Approach</i> Prof. Dr Diana Šaparnienė (Šiauliai University, Lithuania) <i>The Local Self-Government Autonomy in Europe: Dimensions and Index</i></p>

<p>17th of November, 2017</p>	<p>Virtual Seminar “Reformation Road to Lithuania - Lithuanian Writings of Reformers of XVI c. Grand Ducy of Lithuania” (In Lithuanian, „Reformacijos kelias į Lietuvą – XVI a. LDK reformatų lietuviški raštai“)</p>	<p>Presenter - PhD student Kęstutis Dambrauskas (Šiauliai University, Lithuania), Supervisor - prof. Dr Bronius Maskuliūnas (Šiauliai University, Lithuania)</p> <p>Discussants: Prof. Dr Dalia Pakalniškienė (Klaipėda University), Dr Jūratė Pajedienė (Lithuanian Institute).</p>
<p>7th of December, 2017</p>	<p>Science Festival in Šiauliai University “Scientific Discoveries for the Future Innovators” (In Lithuanian and English)</p>	<p>Presenters: Prof. Dr Ingrida Šaulienė (Šiauliai University Vice-rector for Research and Art, Lithuania), Helin Haga (Coordinator of External Funding in AHHA), Guðrún J. Bachmann (head of public science communication projects at University of Iceland), Assoc. prof. Dr Alfredas Lankauskas (Šiauliai University, Lithuania). Organizers: Šiauliai University Research Institute Cross-Sectoral Partnership Centre (Lithuania). Participants - members of RENET, representatives from Lithuanian schools, practitioners.</p>