Workshop **The Environmental History** of the Central European **Borderlands** since 1980s

20 September 2019 **Charles University, Faculty of Social Sciences** Prague, Smetanovo nábřeží 6, Room H212

9:00 **REGISTRATION**

9:15 WELCOME AND INTRODUCTION (Kateřina Vnoučková, Prague)

9:20 KEYNOTE LECTURE

(Doubravka Olšáková, Prague)

'The nature has circumscribed a circle about me that I can't cross': Environmental history since 1989 – trends, directions, and limits

10:00 **DISCUSSION**

10:30 COFFEE BREAK

10:45 PANEL I: POLLUTION (Chair: Václav Šmidrkal, Prague)

Kateřina Vnoučková (Prague)

Pollution of the Thaya River as a cross-border problem

Alexandra Wedl (Basel)

Air pollution in Czechoslovakia: Transnational perspectives and discourses

12:30 DISCUSSION

13:00 LUNCH

14:30 PANEL II: NATURE PROTECTION (Chair: Ota Konrád, Prague)

Pavla Šimková (Munich)

Transboundary Natures: Human and More-than--Human Mobilities in Bavarian Forest and Šumava National Parks

Zhanna Baimukhamedova (Munich)

This Land is Mine: History, Identity, and Environmental Thinking in the Bavarian Forest Region

Anna Barcz (Dublin) Re-bordering the forest – the case of Białowieża

Daniela Neubacher (Budapest) Actors of System Change. Cross-border networks during the Gabčíkovo-Nagymaros protests

16:15 **DISCUSSION**

Jonas Stuck (Munich)

Behind the Trash Curtain. The movement of waste in Cold War Germany's Toxic Borderlands from the 1980s until the Fall of the Wall

Marko Zajc (Ljubljana/Koper)

Environmental issues and border river disputes: the case of the Slovenian-Croatian border



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16:45 **Coffee Break**

17:00 WORKSHOP WRAP-UP (Tobias Huff, Mainz)

18:00 CONCLUSION

19:00 **DINNER**

