

Invited symposium: Intergroup relations and social identities in multiethnic and multicultural regions

Moderator: Vladimir Mihić

The symposium papers deal with the issue of intergroup relations in multicultural regions as important aspect of social psychological researches into the causes and consequences of conflicts in the region. At the symposium five papers will be presented with research data from several international projects whose joint theme are different types of social identity and intergroup contact.

Papers deal with the important issues of social identities, intergroup attitudes and post conflict reconciliation in Bosnia, importance of socialization of ethnic majority and minorities in multicultural and multilingual regions in Croatia, as well as intergroup contact in Hungary with the focus on the attitudes toward minorities and the link between national identity and xenophobia.

Pozvani simpozijum: Međugrupni odnosi i socijalni identiteti u multietničkim i multikulturalnim regionima

Radovi na simpozijumu bave se problemom međugrupnih odnosa u multikulturalnim regionima kao važnim aspektom socijalno-psiholoških istraživanja uzroka i posledica konflikata u regionu. Na simpozijumu će biti predstavljeno pet radova sa istraživačkim podacima iz nekoliko međunarodnih projekata čija su zajednička tema različite vrste društvenog identiteta i međugrupni kontakt.

Radovi se bave važnim pitanjima društvenih identiteta, međugrupnim stavovima i pomirenjem nakon sukoba u Bosni i Hercegovini, važnošću socijalizacije etničke većine i manjina u multikulturalnim i višejezičnim regionima u Hrvatskoj, kao i međugrupnim kontaktima u Mađarskoj, s fokusom na stavove prema manjinama i vezom između nacionalnog identiteta i ksenofobije.

1. Tijana Karić, Vladimir Mihić (Department of psychology, Faculty of Philosophy, University of Novi Sad, Serbia): "Coexistence or acceptance? Lay people definitions of reconciliation in Bosnia and Herzegovina"
2. Anna Kende (Eötvös Loránd University, Budapest, Hungary): "Antigypsyism as the Obstacle to Roma Inclusion: The Last Acceptable Prejudice in Europe"
3. Anna Kende, Sara Csaba (Eötvös Loránd University, Budapest, Hungary): "National Identity and Xenophobia - A meta-analytic approach"
4. Lana Pehar, Iva Kapović, Ena Uzelac, Dinka Čorkalo Biruški, Margareta Jelić (Department of psychology, Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences, University of Zagreb, Croatia) : "Attitudes towards multiculturalism and assimilationism among majority and minority adolescents in Serbia and Croatia"

5. Vladimir Turjačanin, Srđan Dušanić, Siniša Lakić (Department of psychology, Faculty of Philosophy, University of Banja Luka, Bosnia and Herzegovina): "Social identifications and intergroup attitudes of youth in a multiethnic society "

