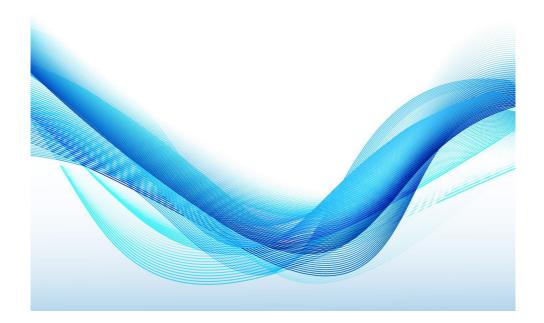
International Conference "Comparing Media Systems in BRICS Countries: A Review of Conventional Paradigms"





PROGRAM

April 25-26, 2016 National Research University Higher School of Economics Moscow, Myasnitskaya street, 9-11

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9.00–9.30

WELCOMING CEREMONY AND OFFICIAL OPENING OF THE CONFERENCE

9.30-10.30 Room 428

- Maria Yudkevich, Vice Rector of Higher School of Economics
- Andrej Bystritsky, Dean of the Faculty of Communication, Media and Design
- Iliya Kiriya, The Head of Department of Media
- Janet Wasko, Head of IAMCR
- Welcoming Words from the official guests

PLENARY SESSION

Chair – Iliya Kiriya, HSE, Russia 10.30–12.30

Room 428

- Daya Thussu, University of Westminster, UK
 BRICS for a New Media Order for the Digital Age
- Kaarle Nordenstreng, University of Tampere, Finland
 Empirical review of media systems in the BRICS countries
- Colin Sparks, Hong Kong Baptist University, China Comparing media systems: theory and reality

Coffee Break 12.30–13.00 Room 430

SESSION 1

COMPARING BRICS MEDIA INSTITUTIONS

Chair – Colin Sparks

13.00-15.00

Room 428

- Afonso de Albuquerque, Fluminense Federal University, Brazil
 Diógenes Lycarião, Ceará Federal University, Brazil
 BRICS as a concept for comparative media studies
- Jan Miessler, Hong Kong Baptist University, China

Contradictions in Chinese Media System in a Comparative Perspective

- Elena Sherstoboeva, National Research University Higher School of Economics, Russia, Joao Araujo Monteiro Neto, University of Fortalez, Brazil, University of Kent, UK
 Russian and Brazilian Policies on Online Content
- Shaim Shaimov, National Research University Higher School of Economics, Russia The transformation of legal framework for Audiovisual Media Services in Russia
- Liu Yan, Far Eastern Federal University, Russia

Media Systems in Transition: A Comparative Analysis of the Government Regulation on Online News Media in China and Russia

SESSION 2

DISCOURSES ON BRICS AND WITHIN BRICS

Chair – Yiannis Mylonas

13.00-15.00

Room 429

• Renira Rampazzo Gambarato, National Research University Higher School of Economics, Russia Fabiana Komesu, São Paulo State University (UNESP), Brazil

What are you laughing at? Dilma Rousseff's online memes across spreadable media contexts

• **Tom Dwyer,** University of Campinas (Unicamp), Brazil, **Olivier Arifon,** Université libre de Bruxelles, Belgium

Recognition And Transformation: Beyond Media Discourses on BRICS

- Gabriele Cosentino, Vesalius College, Belgium
- The political dimensions of reality TV in China and India: a comparative analysis
- Alexandra Astapenko, National Research University Higher School of Economics, Russia
- "Creative class" as "floating signifier" in Russian Mass Media in 2004-2015
- Yi Ding (Ronald), Hong Kong Baptist University, China

Multimedia Effects on Processing and Perception of Online Mews: A Case Study of Pictures and Title Length on Headline News (Toutiao)

Xie Xuan, Hong Kong Baptist University, China,
 Yue Yu, Chinese University of Hong Kong, China
 Media coverage and national image construction: Content Analysis of Reports made by Xinhua News Agency and the Associated Press During Beijing Olympics

Lunch 15.00–16.00 Dining Hall

PLENARY SESSION

BRICS AS ANTI-WESTERN IDEOLOGY

Chair - Keyan Tomaselli

Part 1 16.00–17.00 Room 428

- Bertrand Cabedoche, University Grenoble Alpes, France Cultural diversity and BRICS countries: a new ideologies
- Peter Dahlgren, Lund University, Sweden Is the Western Paradigm Useful for Brazil and South Africa?

Coffee Break 17.00–17.30 Room 430

PLENARY SESSION BRICS AS ANTI-WESTERN IDEOLOGY

Chair – Keyan Tomaselli

Part 2 17.30–18.30 Room 428

- Tristan Mattelart, University of Paris 8, France
 The literature on the rise of non-Western transnational media flows:
 Refiguring Western hegemony or denying it?
- Ilya Kiriya, National Research University Higher School of Economics, Russia BRICS media studies against Western databases: a critical study of BRICS publications

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PLENARY SESSION

BRICS MEDIA: BETWEEN LOCAL AND GLOBAL

Chair – Kaarle Nordenstreng

Part 1 9.30–10.45 Room 423

• Obaid Siddiqui, University Jammia Millia Islamia, India Media education in India

• Ruth Teer-Tomaselli, University of KwaZulu-Natal, South Africa, Keyan Tomaselli, University of Johannesburg, South Africa

Global expansion and diversification: A consideration of South Africa's NASPERS' adventures into BRICS country from a political economy approach

Coffee Break 10.45–11.15 Room 424

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Chair - Kaarle Nordenstreng

Part 2

11.15-12.30

Room 423

• Elena Vartanova, Lomonosov Moscow State University, Russia Hybridization of Media Policy: Embracing Digital Developments in Russia

• Joe Straubhaar, The University of Texas at Austin, USA
Brazilian Soft Power and its Impact in Portugal and Lusophone Africa

Coffee Break 12.30–13.30 Room 424

SESSION 3

MEDIA ECONOMY AND MEDIA MANAGEMENT

Chair – Elena Vartanova

13.30 - 14.30

Room 423

• Oliver Hahn, University of Passau, Germany, Miriam Witsch, University of Passau, Germany

The Dilemma of Community Radios in Brazil: Searching for New Financial Models as Alternative Media within the Transition – Towards a Paradigm Shift in German Media Development Assistance

- Cláudio Lucena, Paraíba State University (UEPB), Brazil Is multistakeholder the new Black? Brazilian experiences in Internet Governance and Digital Rights Policymaking
- Salma ElElimi, Regional Center for Strategic Studies, Egypt Media Economy Impact among BRICS countries
- Dinara Tokbaeva, University of Westminster, UK Charismatic leadership of media holdings in Russia: Cases of AltaPress and Abak-Press

Lunch 14.30–15.30 Dining Hall

RUSSIAN LANGUAGE SESSION

(Russian-English translation is provided)

Chair – Iliya Kiriya, HSE, Russia

15.30-17.00

Room 423

- Varvara Tchumakova, National Research University Higher School of Economics, Russia Cultural values and media usage in BRICS countries: the comparative analysis (on World Values Survey wave 6)
- Dmitry Eremenko, National Research University Higher School of Economics, Russia, Julia Kazakova, National Research University Higher School of Economics, Russia The building of common information space through the media «BRICS Now»
- Anastasiya Kazun, National Research University Higher School of Economics, Russia "Rally around flag": Participants of newspapers' discussions on economic sanctions and their arguments
- Alexandra Latysheva, The Russian Presidental Academy of National Economy and Public Administration, Russia

The peculiarities of transmedia in Russia: the problem of audience involvement

• Natalia Sokolova, National Research University Higher School of Economics, Russia "Turn to the East" in Russian Media

Closing Ceremony 17.00 Room 423

Farewell Party 17.30 Room 433

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