11.30: Glyn Hambrook (Wolverhampton): "Missives with a Mission: Enrique Gómez Carrillo's Chronicles to the Hispanic World from Paris".

12.15: Véronique Pauly (Versailles Saint-Quentin-en-Yvelines): "Writing from a Foreign Perspective: Joseph Conrad and the Polish question"

Lunch (University Café) + guided tour: 1-3-pm

Afternoon session: chair Jan Borm

3pm: Aidan Byrne (Wolverhampton): "Writing Home: O. M. Edwards, Cartrefi Cymru and the Exile's Reconstruction of 'Home'".

3.45: Mihaela Frant (Versailles Saint-Quentin-en-Yvelines): "Durrell-Miller Correspondences (1935-1980)"
4.30: Loredana Polezzi (Warwick): "Almost Orient: Paolo Rumiz and the Remapping of Europe"

8pm Dinner (Restaurant "Žemaičiai", Vokiečių st. 24)





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Conference Programme

Thursday, September 25

Venue: Faculty of Philology, Canada Room (Universiteto st. No.5)

9.30 Words of welcome

Morning session: Chair Benjamin Colbert

9.45: Fanny Moghaddassi (Université

Marc Bloch-Strasbourg II): "Mandeville's Travels: between Fiction and Factuality. An Account of the East in 14th century England"
10.30: Regina Rudaitytė (Vilnius):
"Construction of Identity: Lithuanian Travel-Writing from Renaissance to the Present"

Coffee break 11.15 -11.30

11.30: Jan Borm (Versailles Saint-Quentinen-Yvelines): "Georg Forster's Letters from Vilnius" 1215: Genovaitė Dručkutė (Vilnius), "Les Memoires' du docteur Joseph Frank: écriture de voyage et connaissance de l'Autre"

Lunch: 1-2pm (Restaurant "Forto Dvaras", Pilies st. 16)

Afternoon session: chair Loredana Polezzi

2pm: Ludmilla Kostova (Veliko Turnovo): "Visions of Elite Identity in Mary Wortley Montagu's Turkish Embassy Letters and Elizabeth Craven's 'A Journey through the Crimea to Constantinople in a Series of Letters'"

2.45: Betty Hagglund (Nottingham Trent): "From Travel Diary to Printed Book: the Indian Travel Writings of Maria Graham 3.30: Benjamin Colbert (Wolverhampton): "The Romantic Inter-Nation: Newspaper Aesthetics in John Scott's *Visit to Paris* and Galignani's *Messenger*"

Coffee break 4.15-4.30

4.30: Monika Coghen (Jagiellonian University, Krakow): "The Correspondence between Zygmunt Krasinski and Henry Reeve"

5.15: Sharon Ouditt (The Nottingham Trent University): "Craufurd Tait Ramage: Tutor, Traveller, Classicist"

6.30 Cocktail (Hall of Arts, Faculty of Philology)

Friday, September 26

Morning session: chair Regina Rudaitytė

9.30: Dalia Čiočytė (Vilnius): "Travel as Political Meditation in Antanas Baranauskas' Poem 'Journey to Petersburg' (1858-1859)"

10.15: Hilary Weeks (University of Gloucestershire): "'Translation in Transit: George Borrow's Letters to the British and Foreign Bible Society' "

Coffee break 11-11.30