

# COLD WAR:

## Collective Memory and Identity

Conference at the Norwegian Aviation Museum, June 4-5 2024

### TUESDAY 4. JUNE: 10:00 - 17:00

09:30 Registration

10:00 - 10:30: Opening

10:30 - 12:20: Session 1. Chair: Stian Bones

#### Stories, Memories and Reflections as Tools in Cold War Historiography

ULLA EGESKOV: Government Facility Regan Vest and How Testimonies Helped Gaining Knowledge about a Secret Story

PETER JOHNSTON: Foe to Friend. A Multi-National Oral History of the British Forces Germany During the Cold War

DIETER BACHER: Remembering Secrets. The Role of Written Memoirs for Intelligence Studies on Cold War Austria

JOCHEN KRÜGER: Checkpoint Charlie - A New Place of Remembrance for the Cold War Between Personal Stories and Global Entanglements

12:20 - 13:20: Lunch

13:20 - 14:50: Session 2. Chair: Harald Høiback

#### The Cold War as Creator of National Identity

PAUL MADDRELL: The Legacy of Betrayal During the Cold War to Contemporary Germany

ELENA GROSSFELD: A Memory Called Empire

ANNA GRAF-STEINER: Austrian Neutrality as Cold War Legacy

14:50 - 15:20: Break

15:20 - 16:30: Session 2 continues

MARIE ČERNÁ: The Legacy of Second World War Myth in the Public Space of the Czech Republic

TILMAN LÜDKE: Observing and Undergoing Identity Formation: The org. Gehlen/BND in the Middle East

16:30 - 17:00: Comments / Sum up and end of day 1

19:30 - 22:00: Conference Dinner at the Aviation Museum

### WEDNESDAY 5. JUNE: 09:00 - 16:00

09:00 - 10:30: Session 3. Chair: Steinar Aas

#### The Cold War as Cultural Heritage

AVE PAULUS & ROBERT TREUFELDT: Shifts in the Sociopolitical Context of the Cold War Military Infrastructure on the Coastal Areas of Lahemaa National Park, Estonia

ROXANE PERMAR & SUSAN TIMMINS: Art and Engagement with the Cold War in Shetland and its Northern Neighbours

SIMONE LABS: From the Iron Curtain to the European Green Belt

10:30 - 10:45: Break

10:45 - 11:45: Guided tour of the museum

11:45 - 13.15: Session 4. Chair: Bodil Nyaas & Kristjan Raba

#### Stories from Cold War Hotspots – a European Documentation Project

TOBIAS HENRIKSEN: Exploring Methodology: A Reflection on Semi-Automated Interviews

KARL L. KLEVE: Is the Cold War Still Relevant? An Analysis of the Documentation Project 'Stories from Cold War Hotspots'

BERND KOSTKA: BERLIN - Magnifying Glass for Cold War History and Collecting Basin for Cold War Identity

13:15 - 14:15: Lunch

14:15 - 15:45: Session 4 continues

IAN BROWN: Scotland's Cold War

TERJE ANEPAIO: Was there a Cold War? Mapping Estonians' Memories of the Soviet era

JEPPE HØRSHOLM: Langeland in the Cold War

15:45 - 16:00: End of conference

18:00 - 21:00: Preview of the exhibition 'Stories from Cold War Hotspots' at Norwegian Aviation Museum