

Cultural Landscape: Content, Perception, Transformation  
The Baltic States in European Garden Culture

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Kulturlandschaft: Inhalte, Wahrnehmung, Transformation

Das Baltikum in der europäischen Gartenkultur

Homburger Gespräch der Böckler-Mare-Balticum-Stiftung  
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Werner Reimers Stiftung, Bad Homburg, und der Lettischen Akademie  
der Wissenschaften, Riga

Turaida und Riga, September 14. – 17. September 2019

Conference languages: English, German

**FRIDAY, 13 September**

Arrival (Members BMBS, Participants from Germany and Poland)

**SATURDAY, 14 September**

Arrival of Guests

9.00-17.30 Boardmeeting Böckler-Mare-Balticum-Foundation

13.30-17.30 Guided Tour through Riga with Dr. Agnese Bergholde-Wolf.

18.30 Joint welcome dinner in the Latvian Academy of Sciences (Akademijas laukums 1),  
observation deck of the Academy building (depending on weather condition)

**SUNDAY, 15 September (1<sup>st</sup> Excursion Day with Conference in Turaida)**

9.00: Start of the Excursion in Riga (Guided by Ojars Sparitis)

9.30-10.30 Dole (Dahlen, Dahlenholm) manor and park

11.15-12.15 Sigulda city (Segewold), Castle of Teutonian Order and park

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12.30 Arrival in Turaida (Treiden) Museum Reserve – protected cultural landscape and  
environment

12.30-13.00 Welcoming words by Dr. hist. Anna Jurkane, Director of the Turaida Museum  
Reserve

13.00-14.00 Lunch in Turaida Museum Reserve

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## **14.00 – 16.00 Conference panel (Papers à 20 Min.)**

### **Historical Parks and Public Space Nowadays – Problems of Conservation, Administration and Public Acceptance**

Opening of the conference by a representative of the Böckler-Mare-Böckler-Foundation

**Kristīne Dreija** (Jelgava): The Functionality of Historical Parks Nowadays

**Helena Gūtmane / Ilze Rukšāne** (Jelgava): Public Space and Green Infrastructure in Latvian Cities: Transformations Traits in Post-soviet Cultural Environment

**Heikki Hanka** and **Helena Lonkila** (Yuvaskyla): Negotiating Cultural Environment – Challenging Conventions in Education and Administration. The Study Programme of Cultural Environment in the University of Jyväskylä

**Iris Lauterbach** (München): Europäische Gärten im Baltikum: Fragen an die Gartenforschung

### **Discussion**

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16.00-17.00 Walking tour through the territory of the Museum Reserve

17.00-18.30 Transfer to Ungurmuiža (Orellen) and visit of the manor and park

19.00 Check in Hotel Cesis / Dinner

## **MONDAY, 16 September (2<sup>nd</sup> Excursion Day)**

8.00 Breakfast

9.00-11.00 Walking tour through the old town of Cesis (Wenden), visiting the castle of the Teutonian Order, park and St. John's Church

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11.00-13.30 Transfer to Rauna (Ronneburg), Visiting of the Bishop's castle, church and the pre-Christian castle mound

13.30-14.30 Lunch

14.30-15.45 Transfer to Alūksne (Marienburg)

15.45-18.00 Visit of the manor park in Alūksne, Lutheran church, Temple Hill

18.00-21.00 Retour to Riga

## **TUESDAY, 17 September (2<sup>nd</sup> Conference day in Riga)**

Venue: Latvian Academy of Sciences (Akademijas laukums 1, Portrait Hall, 3<sup>rd</sup> floor)

**9.30 Opening words by Ojars Sparitis** (President of Latvian Academy of Sciences), Dietmar Popp (Böckler-Mare-Balticum-Stiftung), Albrecht Graf von Kalnein (Werner Reimers Stiftung)

## **9.45 – 18.00 Conference panels (Papers à 20 Min.)**

### **Section 1 (9.45-11.15): Garden Philosophies – Theories and Methods**

**Juris Dambis** (Riga): View in Multiple Treasures of Cultural Landscape of Latvia

**Igors Šuvajevs** (Riga): Lettlands kulturgeschichtliche Landschaften. Einige philosophische Bemerkungen

**Juhan Maiste** (Tartu): Der Park auf dem baltischen, literarischen und künstlerischen Feld der Erinnerung. Auf den Spuren des ästhetischen Erbes von Alexander von Keyserling

#### **Discussion**

*- Coffee break -*

### **Section 2 (11.30-12.30): Wilderness, Garden and Identity – Two Lithuanian Case Studies**

**Giedrė Mickūnaite** (Vilnius): „Bisonomachia“: From Myth to Spectacle

**Deima Katinaitė** (Vilnius): Trunk, Mask, and Witness: Baublys in the Garden of Dionizas Poška

#### **Discussion**

*- Lunch in the Cafe of Latvian Academy of Sciences (12.30-14.00) –*

### **Section 3 (14.00-15.30): Networks**

**Barbara Werner** (Warszawa): The book of princess Izabela Czartoryska *Myśli Różne o Sposobie Zakładania ogrodu* (Various Thoughts on Garden Establishing) – a Monograph on the Studies and Rehabilitation of 19<sup>th</sup>-century European Gardens

**Cord Panning** (Bad Muskau): Schlösser, Gärten, Politik – das Netzwerk der Familie Biron von Kurland in Deutschland und weiteren europäischen Staaten

**Jens Spanjer** (Schloß Dyck): Das European Garden Heritage Network (EGHN)

#### **Discussion**

*- Coffee break -*

### **Section 4 (16.00-18.00): Manor Gardens - Public Green and Private Gardening**

**Agnese Bergholde-Wolf** (Marburg): Georg Kuphaldt – Gartendirektor der Stadt Riga und Gärtner des Zaren

**Dalia Klajumienė** (Vilnius) Impact of Commercial Gardening onto Cultural Landscape, 19<sup>th</sup> - early 20<sup>th</sup> century: the Case of Vilnius

**Antje Kempe** (Greifswald): Grow and Flow. New Semantics of Water in Contemporary Gardens

#### **Discussion & Conclusion**

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#### ***Wine & snacks***

*at the Latvian Academy of Sciences (on invitation, 40 Persons)*