

## The Golden Horde in a Global Perspective: Imperial strategies

(Leiden University, Conference Room Vossius - University Library, 7-8 May 2015)

### Programme

#### Thursday 7 May

Morning session (9.00-12.45)

9.00 - 9.30: Welcome – Gabrielle van den Berg (Leiden University), Marie Favereau (Oxford University) & Alfrid Bustanov (European University at St.Petersburg)

#### Panel 1. The Headless Empire?

Chair: Petra Sijpesteijn (Leiden University)

9.30 - 10.10: Rafael Khakimov (Sh.Marjani Institute of History of Academy of Sciences of the Republic of Tatarstan), *'The combination of nomadic and hierarhic principles within the state organization of the Golden Horde'* [in Russian – English translation provided]

10.10 - 10.30: Maria Ivanics (University of Szeged 1, Hungary), *'Memories of statehood in the Defter-i Genghis-name'*

Coffee break: 10.30-10.50

Chair: Henk Kern (Leiden University)

10.50 - 11.30: Vadim Trepavlov (Institute of Russian History, Russian Academy of Sciences), *'The Imperial Legacy of the Jochids: transformations and decline'* [in Russian – English translation provided]

11.30-11.50: István Vásáry (Eötvös Loránd University, Hungary), *'Tarkhan and Soyurghal. From Nomadic to Feudal Privilege'*

11.50-12.10: Gabrielle van den Berg (Leiden University), *title tbc*

Questions/comments

Lunch break: 12.45-14.15

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Afternoon session (14.15-18.00)

#### Panel 2. Islamization: Transmission, Circulation and Shifts

Chair: István Vásáry (Eötvös Loránd University)

14.15 - 14. 55: Mark Kramarovsky (State Hermitage Museum, St. Petersburg), *Qrim and the Sultanate of Rûm in the second half of the thirteenth century and fourteenth century* [in Russian – English translation provided]

14.55 - 15.15: Roman Hautala (University of Oulu, Finland), *Latin Sources on the Religious Situation in the Golden Horde in the Early Reign of Uzbek Khan*

15.15 - 15.55: Ilnur Mirgaleyev (Sh.Marjani Institute of History of Academy of Sciences of the Republic of Tatarstan), *Islamization of the Golden Horde: New Data* [in Russian – English translation provided]

Coffee break: 15.55-16.15

Chair: Alfrid Bustanov (European University at St.Petersburg)

16.15 – 16.35: Devin DeWeese (Indiana University, Bloomington), *Khwarazmian Sufis and Scholars in the Ulus of Jochi during the 14th and 15th Centuries: Some Considerations on Vectors of Islamization in the Golden Horde*

16.35-17.15: Ilya Zaytsev (Institute of Oriental Studies, Russian Academy of Sciences), *Mengli Giray's Madrasa ("Zincirli") and its manuscript collection* [in Russian – English translation provided]

Questions/comments

Dinner: 18.30

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### **Friday 8 May**

Morning session (9.30 - 13.00)

### **Panel 3. The Golden Horde as inter-world: internal connections**

Chair: Elena Paskaleva (Leiden University)

9.30 - 10.10: Emma Zilivinskaya (Institute of Ethnology and Anthropology, Russian Academy of Sciences), *Buildings of Worship in the Golden Horde (Origin, Evolution, Traditions)* [in Russian – English translation provided]

10.10 - 10.30: Anastassia Teplyakova (State Hermitage Museum, St. Petersburg), *Italian and Turkish textiles in the Crimea and Northern Caucasus in the fifteenth century: production, trade and attribution problems*

10.30 - 11.10: Ilya Mustakimov (Central Archives of the Kremlin of the Republic of Tatarstan), *The place of the city of Bulgar within the urban system of the Golden Horde* [in Russian – English translation provided]

Coffee break: 11.10 - 11.30

#### **Panel 4. Invented legacies and traditions**

Chair: Jeroen Duindam (Leiden University)

11.30 - 11.50: Dariusz Kolodziejczyk (University of Warsaw, Polish Academy of Sciences), *'The "invention of tradition" in the Crimean Khanate at the beginning of the 17th century: possible contexts of the introduction of the terms baysa, Tat, and Tavgach in the khans' documents'*

11.50 - 12.10: Elena Paskaleva (Leiden University), *'Role and place of Amir Timur in the history of the Golden Horde as discussed by Soviet and post-Soviet historiography'*

12.10 - 12.30: Zifa Auezova ("Eurasian Perspective", Netherlands), *'Epic narratives of Turkic-speaking people in the history of Soviet scholarship'*

Questions/comments

Lunch break: 13.00-14.30

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Afternoon session (14.30-16.00)

#### **Panel 5. The Golden Horde as inter-world: external connections**

Chair: Gabrielle van den Berg (Leiden University)

14.30-14.50: Marie Favereau (Oxford University), *'Steppe Diplomacy at the end of the fourteenth century: the case of Toqtamish'*

14.50-15.10: Alfrid Bustanov (European University at St.Petersburg), *'A new manuscript of Ibn 'Arabshah's work on Timur and Toqtamish at Kazan' University Library'*

**Open discussion coordinated by** Gabrielle van den Berg, Marie Favereau & Alfrid Bustanov

#### **Concluding remarks**

17.00-18.30: Tour of historical Leiden on a boat ('borreltocht')