

Subject: Your Upcoming Border and Boundaries Workshop with Agata Rogos, PhD (Humboldt Universität zu Berlin)

9. March 2022

Dear Workshop Participants,

We're looking forward to seeing you coming week: <u>16.03.2022</u> at Prishtina University, Faculty of Philosophy (16.03 10.00 to 12.00 and 16.00 to 18.00) for the Border & Boundaries Workshop & Practicum.

This email contains important information and some advice on how to prepare.

The BBW&P is designed to give you a well-grounded experience using hands-on activities to stimulate border studies research and knowledge sharing, and also give you professional practice conversing about research with broader audiences. During the Workshop portion you will pick up new skills; in the afternoon you will practice them in a role play game and discussions.

Expect to have a good time.

Preparation: The Workshop begins with a 'Meet and Greet' role-play, the moment you walk into the room. You will circulate among the other guests as if you are among strangers at an interdisciplinary research conference, introducing yourself and giving these new acquaintances a brief (15-45 seconds) insight into what's interesting or exciting about your current research, but assuming they know little about your field. We recommend you prepare this brief introduction in advance – target it for someone with a good understanding of science but no special experience in your area - and practice it aloud. Don't worry about cramming a lot of information in. Your goal is to arouse their interest in learning more.

In the attachment you will find 3 short papers that we will discuss and comment in the second part of the morning session. We advice that you check them out before the Workshop.

Second part Practicum: We will work on a role play that will be introduced to you at the end of previous session.

End of the Workshop: We will wrap up by 18.00

If you have questions, please contact prof. Vjollca Krasniqi <u>vjollca.krasniqi@uni-pr.edu</u> or +383 44 508 861

We look forward to seeing you on 16/03/2022