

Session 3

Chair: Assoc. Prof. Penka Peykovska

14:30 Árpád HORNYÁK (IH RCH HAS)
Fight for the Straits. The Echo of the
Warfare between the Ottoman
Empire and the Entente in the
Hungarian Press

14:45 Angel DINEV (Military History
Commission)
The Military Art of Bulgarian
Cavalry in Dobrudja in 1916 - the
Resurrection of Militant National
Spirit

15:00 Csaba KATONA (IH RCH HAS)
“The Bulgarians Attacked the Serbs
at Knjazevac” – the Bulgarian
Participation in the War based on the
Hungarian Press

15:15 Voin BOJINOV (HIS BAS)
The WWI and the Bulgarian Choice
– Responsibilities and Consequences

15:30 *Coffee break*

Session 4

Chair: Dr. Gábor Demeter

15:45 Tibor BALLA (Museum and Institute
of Military History - Budapest)
The Activity of the 11. k.u.k.
Hussar Regiment Named after the
Bulgarian Tsar Ferdinand

16:00 Chavdar VETOV (IHS BAS)
Photographs of WWI in the
Documentary Heritage of Petar
Darvingov - a Prominent Activist for
National Unification

16:15 Penka PEYKOVSKA (IHS BAS)
War and Migration: the Refugees in
Bulgaria (1913-1923) in the Light of
Statistics

16:30 Discussion I

Invitation

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10:00 **Opening**

His Excellency, András KLEIN, Ambassador
of Hungary

Prof. DSc. Iliya TODEV, Director of the Insti-
tute for Historical Studies - BAS

Assoc. Prof. Imre RESS, Chairman of the
Hungarian Part of the Hungarian–
Bulgarian Joint Academic Commission
of Historians

Acad. Georgi MARKOV, Bulgaria and
Hungary in WWI, an opening speech

Session 1

Chair: Prof. DSc. Valery Stoyanov

10:15 Acad. Georgi MARKOV (IHS BAS)
The Ideal of Unified Bulgaria during
WWI

10:30 Imre RESS (IH RCH HAS)
The influence of the Hungarians on the
Foreign Policy of the Dual Monarchy
and the Strategy of Austria-Hungary on
the Balkans, 1914–1916

10:45 Gábor DEMETER (IH RSH HAS)
From Imperialism to Self-defense.
Austro-Hungarian Plans towards Serbia,
1913-1915

11:00 Kalcho KALCHEV (VTU)
The Nationalism in the Bulgarian Ar-
my on the Eve and at the Beginning of
WWI (1913-1915)

11:15 *Coffee break*

Session 2

Chair: Assoc. Prof. Imre Ress

11:30 Zoltan Oszkár SZŐTS (IH RSC HAS)
War Enthusiasm in the Hinterland in
1914 – the Example of the National
Széchényi Library

11:45 László SZARKA (IH RSH HAS)
Tisza István’s Policy towards
Germany and against German
Influence

12:00 Jr. Iván BERTÉNYI (IH RSC HAS)
The Notes of a Diplomat: Mensdorff-
Pouilly on Bulgaria in 1915 (New
Archival Sources)

12:15 Discussion

12:30 **Lunch**