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International multidisciplinary teleconference

TOWARDS AN INTEGRATED UNDERSTANDING OF THE USER IDENTITY IN THE CYBERSPACE OF THE INTERNET: A MULTIDISCIPLINARY DIALOGUE

Coordination Center: Faculty of "Artes Liberales," University of Warsaw Friday, 12 July 2013

9:00 - 9:10 a.m. Opening of the teleconference - Faculty of "Artes Liberales," University of Warsaw (Dr. Nadiya Zudilina)

9:10 - 9:15 a.m. Welcoming remarks - Chair of Philosophy, Taurida National V.I. Vernadsky University (Prof. Dr. Lora Ryskeldieva)

9:15 - 9:25 a.m.

Prof. Dr. Lora Ryskeldieva (Taurida National V.I. Vernadsky University) The Internet and Epoch of "New Middle Ages" (Intuitions of an Outside Observer) (in Russian)

9:25 - 9:35 a.m.

Discussion

9:35 - 9:45 a.m.

Mgr. Martina Philippi (Leipzig University) Life-world versus Virtual Worlds. A Phenomenological View on Identity in the "Web 2.0" (in English)

9:45 - 9:55 a.m.

Discussion

09:55 - 10:05 a.m.

Dr. Nadiya Zudilina (Taurida National V.I. Vernadsky University) Is It Possible for User to Have Multiple Identities in the Cyberspace of the Internet? Monism vs. Pluralism (in Russian)

10:05 - 10:15 a.m.

Discussion of the report

10:15 - 10:25 a.m.

Mgr. Darya Nikolaenko (Taurida National V.I. Vernadsky University) Transformation of Physical Identity of Subject in the Cyberspace (in Russian)

10:25 - 10:35 a.m.

Discussion of the report

[Coffee break 10:35 - 10:45 a.m.]

10:45 - 10:55 a.m.

Mgr. Evgeniy Bagretsov, Dr. Katerina Kokorina (Taurida National V.I. Vernadsky University) User's Identity in the Conditions of Anonymization and De-anonymization of the Culture of the Internet Cyberspace (in Russian)

10:55 - 11:05 a.m.

Discussion of the report

11:05 - 11:15 a.m.

Mgr. Anastasia Turpetko (Taurida National V.I. Vernadsky University) Axiological Aspect of Identity in the Cyberspace of the Internet (in Russian)

11:15 - 11:25 a.m.

Discussion of the report

11:25 - 11:35 a.m.

Dr. Yuliya Korotchenko (Taurida National V.I. Vernadsky University) Value Matrix of Internetidentity (in Russian)

11:35 - 11:45 a.m.

Discussion of the report

11:45 - 11:55 a.m.

Dr. Yuliia Horoshko (Crimean Republic Institution (V.N. Orlov Library for Children)") The Role of Religious Identity in the Social and Cultural Communication (based on the Websites of Ukraine and Russia) (in Russian)

11:55 - 12:05

Discussion

[Break for lunch 12:05 - 12:50]

12:50 - 01:00 p.m.

Dr. Vasiliy Malkin (Taurida National V.I. Vernadsky University) Virtual Identity and Typology of the Interpersonal Communication in Social Networks (in Russian)

01:00 - 01:10 p.m.

Discussion

01:10 - 01:20 p.m.

Dr. Malgorzata Abassy (Jagiellonian University) The Identity of Interlocutor in Cyberspace in the Light of Philosophy of Meeting by Martin Buber (in Russian)

01:20 - 01:30 p.m.

Discussion

01:30 - 01:40 p.m.

Mgr. Andriy Ignatov (NGO, "Ukrainian International Forum") "About Me": Reconstructing the Concept of Self in Social Media (in Russian)

01:40 - 01:50 p.m.

Discussion

01:50 - 02:00 p.m.

Dr. Olena Achylova (Taurida National V.I. Vernadsky University) Verbal Aggression as a Way of Virtual Identification (based on Ukrainian Political Websites) (in Russian)

02:00 - 02:10 p.m.

Discussion

[Coffee break 14:10 - 14:20 p.m.]

02:20 - 02:30 p.m.

Mgr. Vitaliy Stepanov (Taurida National V.I. Vernadsky University) Tools for Constructing of Identity in Computer Games (in Russian)

02:30 - 02:40 p.m.

Discussion

02:40 - 02:50 p.m.

Mgr. Katarzyna Jasińska-Zdun (University of Warsaw) Identity of Users of Websites with Games (in Russian)

02:50 - 03:00 p.m.

Discussion

03:00 - 03:10 p.m.

Dr. Oleg Zarapin (Taurida National V.I. Vernadsky University) Identity of Text (in Russian)

03:10 - 03:20 p.m.

Discussion

03:20 - 03:40 p.m. Summary of the teleconference. Final discussion. Closing of the teleconference (Dr. Nadiya Zudilina (*Taurida National V.I. Vernadsky University*))

Guests online:

Dr. Ievgeniia Druzhvnina (Taurida National V.I. Vernadsky University)

Mgr. Ganna Kostromits'ka (Taurida National V.I. Vernadsky University)

Mgr. Khatidzhe Mamutova (Taurida National V.I. Vernadsky University)

George Mikhailovsky, Dr. Sci.(Biology) (President and CEO of Global Mind Share non-profit organization, USA)

Local guests in Warsaw are invited to the Conference Room at the Faculty of "Artes Liberales", Nowy Świat 69, entrance B, 4th floor.

On July 12, 2013, the Faculty of "Artes Liberales," University of Warsaw and Taurida National V.I. Vernadsky University (Sinferopol, Ukraine) co-organized a Teleconference – *Towards an Integrated Understanding of the User's Identity in the Cyberspace of the Internet: A Multidisciplinary Dialogue* with participation of about scholars from Poland (Warsaw and Kraków), Ukraine, Germany (Leipzig) and the US.

The idea of such a conference came initially from the Open Seminars Cycle conducted by the Faculty of "Artes Liberales" and attended by Dr. Nadyia Zudilina from Sinferopol, who came to Poland for the first time in 2009, still before her PhD, within the program International School of Humanities (Międzynarodowa Szkoła Humanistyczna) and came back since several times. Dr. Zudilina has worked on the subject of identity in the Internet for several years now; it was also the theme of her PhD dissertation successfully defended in 2012.

With practically no financial resources, she managed to put together a team of researchers from a variety of disciplines (various philologies, psychology, philosophy, cultural studies) willing to participate in research and international debates, of which the July 12 Teleconference was the first stage; it was made possible by the Faculty of "Artes Liberales" of the University of Warsaw ensuring the venue, IT and academic support. As most of the members of the team spoke or understood Russian, the expense of translation services was avoided, however interested researchers from Belgium, Germany, and Czech Republic were unable to participate online. A second teleconference is being planned for next year and this time either the language of the conference will be changed to English, or funding will be sought for simultaneous translation.

A wide range of stimulating issues related to the identity in the cyberspace of the Internet was discussed during this first teleconference, including diversity of such identity, a Phenomenological view of identity in the Web 2.0, single or multiple identities, physical identity vs. virtual identity, anonymity & personalization in the cyberspace, axiological aspects of cyber identity, a matrix of values for an Internet identity, religious aspects of virtual identity in social and cultural communication, typology of interpersonal communication within social networks, an interlocutor in cyberspace according to the Philosophy of Meeting by Martin Buber, concept of self in social media, verbal aggression as a way of virtual identification, identities in computer games.

The July 12 conference was the first conference of its kind and scope organized at the Faculty of "Artes Liberales," an invaluable, successful experience that shows what can be done with available technology, a lot of enthusiastic effort and a true spirit of dedicated scholarship.