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THE CONFERENCE PROGRAMME

21 August 2023

10:00–10:10 CSAI President's opening remarks

Online

Session One 10:10–12:10

Chairperson Dr Hogai Aryoubi

10:10–10:30. Angana Kotokey, Anchita Borthakur, *Exclusive Nationalism in Afghanistan and its Impact on the Afghan Sikh Community.*

10:30–10:40 Questions

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10:40–11:00 Sergei Andreyev, *A Russian Post-Imperial Policy Paper on the Imperial Political Logic Concerning Afghanistan and Central Asia.*

11:00–11:10 Questions

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11:10–11:30 Mateusz M.P. Kłagisz, *The 1976 Polish Ethnographic Expedition to Afghanistan and Its Photographic Documentation.*

11:30–11:40 Questions

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11:40–12:30 Break

Session Two 12:30–15:15

Chairperson Dr Mateusz M.P. Kłagisz

12:30–12:50 Mikhail Pelevin, *Conceptualizing the Confessional Component of Pashtun Identity.*

12:50–13:00 Questions

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13:00–13:20 Marcin Krzyzanowski, *Cultural interplay between Islam and Pashtunwali in Taliban post 2001 narrative.*

13:20–13:30 Questions

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13:30–13:50 Robert Nichols, *The Many Lives of Afghan Khpulwaki Tarun (Treaty of Independence) literature:1950s to 2010s.*

13:50–14:10 Questions

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14:10–14:30 Sharif Hozoori, *Afghan Diaspora and the Quest for Nation-State Building: Navigating Ethnic Divides amidst Continuity and Change in Afghan Conflicts.*

14:30–14:40 Questions

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14:40–15:00 Anchita Borthakur, Angana Kotokey, *Representation of 'Afghans' and 'Afghanistan' in the Popular Hindi Cinema*

15:00–15:10 Questions

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15:10–15:15 CESAI President's closing remarks

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15:15–15:40 Break

15:40–16:10 CESAI members meeting

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