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TRANSLATION AND IDEOLOGY IN THE SOVIET CULTURE OF THE STALIN ERA

International Seminar

Translation and Ideology in the Soviet Culture of the Stalin Era

Rome, 22 September 2025

Programme

9:00 – Welcome and introduction

ILARIA ALETTO, MARIA ZAVYALOVA (Roma Tre University, Research Unit 2)

9:15 – Keynote Lecture

BRIAN JAMES BAER (Kent State University)

From Techne to Device: The Role of Translation in Internationalist Aesthetics

10:10 – Talk

OLGA SOBOLEV (London School of Economics and Political Science)

Our Bernard Shaw: the Reception of Shaw in Stalin's Russia

10:40 – Coffee break

11:10– Talk

ALEKSEI SEMENENKO (Umeå University)

'Soviet Shakespeare' and the Problems of Ideology vs. Practice of Translation in the 1930s

11:40 – Roundtable discussion with all participants and Kristina Landa (University of Bologna, Principal Investigator), Alessandra Carbone (University of Siena, Research Unit 3)

12:40 Light lunch

15:00 – Cultural Visit – Basilica of San Clemente. An extraordinary site of historical stratification and a place linked to the memory of St. Cyril, apostle of the Slavs. The visit offers an opportunity to reflect on dialogue and cultural mediation across centuries.

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