CALL FOR PAPERS

Department of English Studies and Center for Canadian Studies
University of Tartu, Estonia
Estonian Association for Canadian Studies

THE EIGHTH INTERNATIONAL TARTU CONFERENCE ON CANADIAN STUDIES

“NATIONAL AND CULTURAL IMAGINING: FORTY-FIVE YEARS OF MULTICULTURALISM”

October 15, 2016 at the University of Tartu, Estonia

On October 8, 1971, Prime Minister Pierre Trudeau announced multiculturalism as Canada’s official government policy. The conference seeks to explore the impact of this event on Canadian society, culture and imagination. Whether and how have the implications of embracing Canada’s multicultural dimension changed over the forty-five years? Furthermore, speakers are encouraged to address the past, present and future of Canadian diversity as well as the ways of conceptualising Canadian experience. We welcome case studies and theoretical papers as well as comparative analyses of Canada and other countries.

Confirmed keynote speaker:

Prof. Daniel Weinstock (McGill University, Canada)

The working language of the conference is English; however, presentations can be made either in English or French. The length of the plenary presentations is 40 minutes plus 20 minutes for discussion and the length of workshop presentations is 20 minutes plus 10 minutes for discussion.

Contributors are expected to submit an abstract of 250 words as well as a short CV (including title and institutional affiliation) by September 15, 2016.

Please send abstracts and CVs as well as possible enquiries via e-mail to Eva Rein (eva.rein@ut.ee).