

FAILED LEADERSHIP

INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE

June 21-22, 2019

SWPS University, Campus in Warsaw, at Chodakowska 19/31

Conference Halls S305 and S306, 3rd floor

CONFERENCE PROGRAM

Day 1, June 21st, Friday

9:00 Opening ceremony

9:15 Prof. Richard Little, keynote speaker (University of Cumbria, Institute for Leadership and Sustainability, UK) – "Flying Saucer of Leadership".

9:50 CONFERENCE SESSION BLOCK 1 "GENERAL REFLECTION ON LEADERSHIP"

- 1. Dr Gil Bozer (Sapir Academic College Shderot, Israel) "Leadership under fire: to be or not to be".
- 2. Dr Marcin Jacoby (SWPS University, Department of Asian Studies, Poland) "Failed Political Leadership in Ancient China: Lu Buwei and the First Emperor of Qin".
- 3. Prof. Roman Backer (University of Nicolaus Copernicus in Toruń, Poland) "Bifurcation leaders position".

Review and discussion (20 min.)

11:30 - 11:45 Coffee Break

11:45 CONFERENCE SESSION BLOCK 2 "GENERAL REFLECTION ON LEADERSHIP"

- 1. Piotr Czarnecki (SWPS University, Management & Leadership Program, Poland) "How leaders can fail in agile transformation".
- 2. Prof. Krzysztof Obłój (Kozminski Business School, Poland), Przemysław Powalacz (Geberit Poland) "Ignoring the past: how missing a right anchoring can harm leadership mission?".
- 3. Dr Marta Żerkowska-Balas (SWPS University, Institute for Social Sciences, Poland) "The Revolt of the Masses political opinion leadership in digital era".
- 4. Michał Kaźmierski (Gilead, Poland) "Influence of "Folwark Culture" archetype on contemporary management styles and behaviors of Polish managers".

Review and discussion (20 min.)



13:45 – 14:30 Lunch break

14:30 CONFERENCE SESSION BLOCK 3 "BUSINESS RESEARCH AND REFLECTION"

- 1. Krzysztof Tarka (TES Change | Tarka Executive's, Poland) "Under pressure. Technologies, networks, youth. Polish leaders failing to stay in control".
- 2. Mateusz Trawiński (CentroPolis S.A., Poland) "Rules of engagement. Failed leadership and (past and future) financial crisis".
- 3. Kazimierz Żurek, Arkadiusz Grochala (4Results, Poland) "How not to fail in managing young employees? 4Results survey results".
- 4. Joanna Meyer (StepIntoLife Mindful Leadership Consulting, Germany) "Risk Management Systems' Blindness to Leadership Failures".

Review and discussion (20 min.)

16:45 Coffee break

16:45 CONFERENCE SESSION BLOCK 4 "OPEN ISSUES ON LEADERSHIP"

- 1. Jo Chaffer (Institute for Leadership and Sustainability University of Cumbria UK) "Who determines failure, when and with what authority?".
- 2. Dr Vartika Dutta (Goa Institute of Management, India) "Failed Leadership in Education: Evidence from Select Indian Secondary School".

Review and discussion (20 min.)

19:00 SUMMARY OF THE DAY 1

Day 2, June 22nd, Saturday

9:00 Rostislav Benak, keynote speaker (Assessment System, Czech Republic) – "Leadership Derailing and Failures: Where Central Europe&World Matches or Differs".

9:35 CONFERENCE SESSION BLOCK 5 "POLITICAL CASES ON LEADERSHIP"

- 1. Bohdana Sybikovska (University of Warsaw, American Studies Center, Poland) "Woodrow Wilson's Failed leadership in the League of Nations issue".
- 2. Prof. Ian Barnes (University of Lincoln, International Business School, UK) "Failed Leadership and the British attempts to exit the European Union (Brexit)".
- 3. Michał Kobosko (SWPS University, Management & Leadership Program, Poland) "Who screwed up Brexit?".
- 4. Pedro Ponte e Sousa (New University of Lisbon, Faculty of Social Sciences and Humanities, Portugal)- "Failed leadership in right-wing EU contestation: the case of Portugal".

11:30 - 11:45 Coffee break



- 5. Dr Joanna Gocłowska-Bolek (University of Warsaw, Center for Political Analysis, Poland) "Only death will take me off streets". The rise and fall of Luiz Inacio Lula da Silva a Brazilian most famous leader".
- 6. Prof. Andrzej Kondratowicz (SWPS University, Department of Management, Poland) "Donald Trump a failed leader? An economist's assessment".
- 7. Dr Agnieszka Bógdał-Brzezińska (University of Warsaw, Institute of International Relations, Poland) "The collapse of the idea of socio-political reforms of the Emperor Joseph II of Austria (1780-1790) psychological and political consequences".

Review and discussion (20 min.)

13:45 - 14:30 Lunch break

14:30 CONFERENCE SESSION BLOCK 6 "PSYCHOLOGY AND LEADERSHIP"

- 1. Dr Magdalena Łużniak-Piecha (SWPS University, Department of Management, Poland) "Failed Leadership or Faked Leadership?".
- 2. Dr Maciej Bachryj-Krzywaźnia (University of Wroclaw, Department of European Studies, Poland) "How to lose and remain undefeated? Post-failure rationalization of unfavorable electoral results in political leaders' narratives".
- 3. Dr Włodzimierz Świątek (SWPS University, Department of Management, Poland) "The Dark Side of Leadership: Why Leaders Fail?".
- 4. Wojciech Koć (SWPS University, Management & Leadership Program, Poland)- "Leadership and spirituality looking for new ways to break paradigm".

16:45 Coffee Break

- 5. Darwen Shamoon Yousif (Schlumberger, Iraq) "Powerful leader".
- 6. Jan Gargul (SWPS University, Management & Leadership Program, Poland) "Toxic leaders: the way they operate and impact".
- 7. Dr Katarzyna Adamiak (University of Ecology and Management, Poland) "The role of leadership in coopetition".

Review and discussion (20 min.)

19:00 SUMMARY OF DAY 2.