

Facing the communist past II

Communism, Opressed communities and European Integration -conference-

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- 9:30 – Opening speech – A criminal system and opressed communities
László Tőkés MEP
- 9:40 – Opression of the minorities in the light of the secret files
László Csendes, president, The National Council for the study of the Securitate Archives
- 9:50 – The eastern block, methods of opression of different minorities
George Scöpflin, MEP
- 10:00 – Research, truth and normality
Marius Oprea – director, Institute of Investigation of the Communist Crimes,
Bucharest, Romania
- 11:00 – Communist crimes – crimes against umanity
Raluca Grosescu – Institute of Investigation of the Communist Crimes, Bucharest,
Romania
- 11.00 –11.30 Debate, questions, comments
- 11:40 – Opression of minority churches
Mihály Nagy, Hystorian, Bucharest
- 11:50 – Opression of the Turks in Bulgaria
Sezgin Myumyun – Justice Bulgaria Federation
- 12:00 – Exiled collective memory?
Dinu Zamfirescu – director, Institute for Memorial of the Romanian Exile
- 12:10 – Communism and fascism. Symetries and assymetries
Andrei Oisteanu – Group for Social Dialogue, Bucharest

Debate

12.30-13.00 Press conference