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Antal Szerb: A Central European Contribution to Comparative Literature

**A workshop celebrating the publication of
*Reflections in the Library, Selected Literary Essays 1926–1944***

Thursday, 8 June 2017

At the Institute of Modern Languages Research, University of London, Room 243, Senate House,
Malet Street, WC1E 7HU

10.30 Registration / Coffee

11.00 Welcome / Introduction

Catherine Davies (Director of the Institute of Modern Languages Research, London)

Elinor Shaffer (British Comparative Literature Association / Legenda Editorial Committee)

Zsuzsanna Varga (University of Glasgow)

11.15 Opening Lecture

Ágnes Peter (Eötvös Loránd University, Budapest): The European Context of Szerb's Critical Concepts

12.30 Lunch (own arrangements)

14.00 Peter Sherwood (University of North Carolina): Four Journeys by Moonlight: Some Thoughts on Translating from Hungarian

14.20 Len Rix (University of Zimbabwe/Manchester Grammar School): Theory into Art: What the Novels Tell Us

14.40 Galin Tihanov (Queen Mary, University of London): Foreword to Szerb's *Reflections in the Library*

15.00 Nicholas Lezard (*The Guardian*): What Szerb Offers to his English Readers

15.20 Tea

15.50 George Gömöri (University of Cambridge): Growing up with Szerb

16.10 Round Table Discussion (speakers and audience participation)

17.00

Evening Programme at the Hungarian Cultural Centre, 10 Maiden Lane, Covent Garden, WC2E 7NA

18.00 Book Launch and Reception

Advance registration for the Workshop required

(£10 per person). Please register at

<http://www.sas.ac.uk/events/event/7331>



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