

Western Michigan University  
Department of History

invites you to a Public Lecture:

**“The Culture of Political Monuments  
in the Ukraine Today:  
From Soviet Heritage to Post-Modernity”**

Professor Thomas Wünsch  
University of Passau (Germany)

Tuesday, September 12, 2017 at 4 p.m.  
University Center for the Humanities (2500 Knauss Hall),  
Reception to follow

*Professor Wünsch holds the Chair in Modern and Contemporary History of East Europe and Its Cultures at the University of Passau. There he spearheads a multi-disciplinary initiative of the university and directs a new areas studies program aimed at building new bridges to East Europe. His lecture draws on recent visits and activities in the Ukraine. Professor Wünsch is also trained and has published extensively in late medieval history, especially Poland and the region of Silesia. This fall he is a visiting scholar in the Department of History through the WMU-University of Passau Short-Term Faculty Exchange Program.*

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