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# Two Decades of Post-Communist Change in Europe and the CIS: What Has Been Achieved? What Is Still To Be Done?

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Katarina Zajk: "Court backlogs and their influence on the economy in Slovenia"

Milica Vukotic on Montenegro

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Tomasz Mickiewicz: "Is Poland a nation of entrepreneurs?"

Krassen Stanchev: "Democratization and Nuclear Power in Bulgaria"

Two decades of Post-communist Change: What have we learnt? – Not Available

Chairman: Silvana Malle

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### The Readings for the Colloquium

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From Social Democracy to Liberal Socialism: A Property Rights Analysis of the Transition in Europe by Svetozar Pejovich, CRCE, London, 2010 http://www.crce.org.uk/briefings/brief10.shtml

Transition: Privatisation and Private Property by Ljubo Sirc, CRCE, London, 2001 http://www.crce.org.uk/briefings/brief4.shtml

Ideology and Central Planning: Lessons from the Cold War by John H. Moore

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