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Research interests: Cultural and social history of the Americas in global perspective; Cold War; U.S. Hispanic studies; processes of migration, bordering and identification.

Education

- 1997-2005** *Charles University in Prague, Czech Republic. Faculty of Arts.*
Ph.D. in History. Field of study: Ibero-American Studies. Ph.D. Thesis: "El Imaginario Chicano. La iconografía civil y política de los mexicanos en Estados Unidos de América 1965-2000" (Chicano Imagery: Civil and Political Imagery of Mexicans in the United States of America 1965-2000").
- 1998-1999** *El Colegio de México. El Colegio de la Frontera Norte, Mexico.*
Doctoral level studies. With support of the government of Mexico.
- 1997** *Instituto Universitario de Investigación Ortega y Gasset, Spain.*
Postgraduate doctoral studies. With support of the EU grant scheme.
- 1989-1995** *Charles University Prague, Czech Republic. Faculty of Arts.*
Masters level: English and American Studies, Spanish and Latin American Studies. (Mgr.)
Bachelors Level: English and American Studies. Spanish and Latin American Studies (Bc.)
- 1993-1994** *University of Texas, Austin, USA. Institute of Latin American Studies. With support of the U.S. government.*
- 1991-1992** *Strathclyde University, Great Britain. Undergraduate studies with support of the EU-Tempus grant scheme.*

Academic experience

- 2010-2026** *Metropolitan University Prague, Czech Republic.*
Assistant Professor at the Department of International and European Studies (IRES). Tenure track. Director of its *Iberoamerican Center*.
- 2023-2024** *London School of Economics, Great Britain. Department of International History. Visiting Fellow. (May 2023-June 2024)*
- 2019-2026** *Charles University in Prague, Czech Republic. Institute of Political Studies (IPS) of the School of Social Sciences - external faculty.*
- 2013-2023** *Charles University in Prague, Czech Republic. Center of Iberoamerican Studies (SIAS) and East and Central European Studies (ECES), Faculty of Arts - external faculty.*
- 1999-2008** *Universidad Carlos III de Madrid, Spain. Faculty of Humanities. Lecturer.*
- 2003-2006** *Washington University in Saint Louis, campus Madrid, Spain. Lecturer.*

International research stays, research mobility

- 2026** *Science Po Paris, CERI - Center for International Relations (May 2026).*
- 2025** *Instituto de Historia de Cuba. Visiting researcher (September-October 2025).*
- 2025** *Tecnológico de Monterrey, Campus CDMX. Visiting researcher (June 2025).*
- 2024** *Universidad del Rosario, Bogotá, Colombia. Department of Anthropology. Department of International Studies. Visiting researcher (June 2024).*
- 2023** *University of Connecticut, USA, Visiting Research Scholar at the Center for Global Affairs and El Instituto: Institute of Latina/o, Caribbean, and Latin American Studies. Visiting researcher. (February 2023)*
Schomburg Center for Research in Black Culture, New York, USA. Field research (August 2023).
Republic of Cuba. Field research. (September-October 2023).
- 2022** *Short research stay, Republic of Cuba. Field work with support of MŠMT ČR. (September-October 2022)*
- 2022** *Short research stay, University of Mississippi in Oxford, USA. Field work with support of the Embassy of the United States of America in the Czech Republic (August 2022)*

- 2022** *Vienna University*, Masters Programme in Global History and Global Studies and the Institute of Romance Languages, Vienna University. Short research stay and teaching (1 week - May 2022)
- 2021** *Consejo Superior de Investigaciones Científicas (CSIC)*, Instituto de Historia; Madrid, Spain.
Visiting researcher: Instituto de Historia. June 16 –September 17, 2021. CZ.02.2.69/0.0/0.0/18_053/0017025 – support for the mobility of senior researchers.
- 2014-2020** Shorter research visits (selection):
Complutense University, Spain (February 2020);
University of Viena, Austria (October 2019, October 2018);
Tecnológico de Monterrey, Campus Querétaro, Mexico (February-March 2014, February 2017);
Teresa Lozano Long Institute of Latin American Studies, University of Texas, Austin (August 2016);
El Colegio de la Frontera Norte, Tijuana (October 2014);
- 2008-2010** *Universidade de São Paulo*, Brazil. Postdoctoral researcher.

Non-academic experience

- 1999-2006** *Multicultural Center Prague* (1999-2006) - founding Director and Director of Programmes.
1996-1998 *Open Society Fund Prague* – program manager.

Research projects and grants

- 2024-2027** *ELASOC II – 2024-2027 Latin American Writers in the European Socialist Countries during the Cold War*. Research fellow. Funded by Research and Development project of the Spanish Ministry of Science, Innovation and Universities. Researcher. Team member.
- 2025- 2027** *Medical Internationalism: Cuba and Eastern Europe 1959-1991* – funded by the Australian Research Council (ARC). Researcher. Team member.
- 2022-2023** *A Soviet Legacy at 30*. Research project funded by the Royal Society of Edinburgh (RSE2113). Team member.
- 2018-2022** HAR2017-82394-R Interdisciplinary research group *Transculturalidad, Mestizaje y Mundialización* (TRAMA). Universidad Complutense, Spain. Funded by Research and Development project of the Spanish Ministry of Culture and Innovation. Research fellow.
- 2013-2016** HAR2012-233462 Funded by Research and Development project of the Spanish Ministry of Culture and Innovation. Research fellow.
- 2007-2012** HAR2008-0407 (2008-2012) and PR41/06-15042 (2007-2008) Funded by Research and Development project of the Spanish Ministry of Culture and Innovation. Research fellow.
- 2012-2022** *Cold War Engagements: Czechoslovakia-Latin America*. Small research projects VVZ A6-21; VVZ-57-02 – 2019; VVZ 74-02, 2020; VVZ 87-03 – 2021; VVZ 93-03 – 2022; unded on a yearly basis by the Ministry of Education, Youth and Education, Czech Republic. Main researcher.
- 2022 - 2023** *Expanding American Mainstream? A series of speaker seminars and media activities*. Funded by the U.S. Embassy in the Czech Republic. Small Grants support to research and public outreach activities 2022-2023.
- 2019-2022** External collaboration: DG18P02OVV021 2017-2022 NAKI - interdisciplinary research project “Czech Broadside Ballads in the Historical Collections in Brno”. FF MUNI, Brno; Moravian Library, Moravian Museum and the Institute of Ethnology, Czech Academy of Sciences.

Publications:

Monographs, Edited volumes:

- Březinová, K.: “Latinos: Jiná menšina? Američtí Hispánci mezi Kennedym a Trumpem”. Praha: Libri, 2020. 978-80-7277-584-2
- Brenišinová, M., Březinová, K. a Křížová, M.: “Dějiny umění Latinské Ameriky“, Karolinum, 2018. ISBN: 978-80-246-3175-2

Manke, A., Březinová, K. (eds.): "Kleinstaat und sekundäre Akteure im Kalten Krieg. Politische, wirtschaftliche, militärische und kulturelle Wechselbeziehungen zwischen Europa und Lateinamerika", Transcript, 2016. ISBN 978-3-8376-3526-3

Březinová, K., Křížová, M. (eds.): "Latin American Borders". Central European Journal of International and Security Studies, Vol: 9:3, 2015, pp. 6-192, ISSN: 1802-548x (invited editor to the special issue)

Březinová, K.: "El imaginario chicano. La iconografía civil y política de los mexicanos en Estados Unidos de América 1965-2000". Karolinum, Charles University Prague, 2014.

Březinová, K. (ed.): "Cold War Engagements: Czechoslovakia and Latin America 1948-1989". Central European Journal of International and Security Studies, Vol: 7:3, 2013, ISSN: 1802-548x. (invited editor to the special issue)

Březinová, K.: "Aztecas". Editorial Vituco, Spain. 2007.

Březinová, Kateřina and Lobotka, Petr (eds.): "Social and Cultural Diversity in Central and Eastern Europe". International Visegrad Fund and Multicultural Center Prague, 2005.

Studies and journal articles:

Braun, M. and K. Březinová (2026): The New U.S. Approach to Trade and Partnership with the EU under Trump 2.0 in *Analýzy Svět v proměnách 2025, Ústav mezinárodních vztahů, Praha*. ISBN 978-80-87558-43-0.

Březinová, K., and H. Vondráková-Bortlová (2025). "¿Mi casa es tu casa? Casas de la Cultura en La Habana y Praga como actores y locaciones de flujo de ideas y la guerra fría cultural en el espacio euroamericano de la década de 1960." In *Entre América y el mundo. Actores, ideas y circulaciones, siglos XVI a XX* edited by Antonio Ibarra, Stefan Rinke, and Carlos Riojas. *Historamericana* Bd. 68 (Freiburg: Herder, 2025). (Open Access). Authorship percentage: 50%.

Březinová, K. (2024): Indiánská identifikace jako politický nástroj? Aztlán a bronzová rasa v procesu politizace mexické diaspory v USA in *Svět literatury 70 XXXIV* (2024), pp. 50-65. ISSN 2336–6729 <https://doi.org/10.14712/23366729.2024.2.4>

Březinová, K. Book Review "Vendula V. Hingarová, Česká a slovenská periodika v Argentině. [Los periódicos checos y eslovacos en Argentina], Praha: Univerzita Karlova, 2021, 246 pg. ISBN: 978-80-7571-078-9 (FHS UK print); ISBN 978-80-7671-019-1 in Iberoamericana Pragensia ISSN 0536-2520. (In print)

Březinová, K. Book review "Vázquez Cienfuegos, Sigfrido, Puentes antes que muros. Iberoamericanismo checoslovaco durante la Guerra Fría, Madrid, Sílex, 2022" in *Anuario de Estudios Americanos*, vol. 80 núm. 2 (2023), pp. 787-793, ISSN: 0210-5810; <https://doi.org/10.3989/aeamer.2023.v80.i2>

Březinová, K., Vázquez, S., "Institucionalización del interés historiográfico iberoamericanista en los países del bloque del Este: los casos de Checoslovaquia, República Democrática Alemana, Polonia y Hungría", KOVACEVIC PETROVIC, Bojana, GALLARDO SABORIDO, Emilio. *Las relaciones culturales entre América Latina y los países socialistas europeos durante la Guerra Fría*, CLACSO, CIBAM, 2023. ISBN 978-987-813-488-8 (Print and Open Access)

Březinová, K.: Subalterní hlasy v sertao: kulturní paměť brazilského cordelu, in *Bohemica Litteraria*, Brno, Filosofická fakulta Masarykovy Univerzity, v. 26, n. 1 (2023) <https://doi.org/10.5817/BL2023-1-12> (Open Access)

Březinová, K.: O dívce, co spatřila ďábla. Reprezentace genderu v brazilském cordelu, in Jiroutová Kynčlová, T., Baslarová, I. (eds.) *Gender a výzkum* (2022). ISSN: 2449-8483 Reprezentace genderu v populární kultuře. ISSN-online: 2570-6586. <https://doi.org/10.13060/gav.2022.006> (Open Access)

Březinová, K.: *Roaming Heroes and their Ballads. Brazilian Cordel Narratives in the Context of Global Broadside Ballad Tradition* in Kosek, P., Hanzelková, M. a Fumerton, P. (eds.): "Czech Broadside Ballads as Text, Art, Song in Popular Culture, c. 1600–1900, Amsterdam University Press, 2022, ISBN 9789463721554. (Open Access)

Březinová, K.: *Relatos del Fin del Mundo. La historia desde abajo en el cordel brasileño* in Grauová, Š., Hricina, J., Válová, K. (eds.): *Pensar o Passado, Compreender o Presente, Idealizar o Futuro*, Filosofická fakulta Univerzity Karlovy, 2019.

Březinová, K.: „Cordel“ mezi folklorem a populární kulturou. *Ilustrovaná brazilská poezie „na provázku“* in Grauová, Š., Rudolfová, A., Tichý, M. (eds.): *Brazílie v souvislostech*, Pavel Mervart, 2019. ISBN: 9788074653063.

Březinová, K.: *La frontera México-Estados Unidos. Prácticas de fronterización en el continente americano desde finales del siglo XX a principios del siglo XXI* in *Anuario Latinoamericano. Ciencias políticas y relaciones internacionales*, v. 6 (2018). ISSN: 2449-8483 *Fronteras y zonas fronterizas en America Latina y el Caribe*. doi:10.17951/al.2018.6.53-66 (Open Access)

Březinová, K.: *Néstor García Canclini: Hybridní kultury. Jak do modernity vstoupit a jak z ní vystoupit*. Překlad předmluvy k novému vydání, Editorial Paidós, 2001, in Flemrová, A., Grauová, Š. (eds.): „Zrcadla a Masky“, Karolinum, 2018. ISBN: 978-80-7308-873-6.

Manke, A., Březinová, K., Blecha, L.: *Conceptual Readings into the Cold War: Towards Transnational Approaches from the Perspective of Latin American Studies in Eastern and Western Europe* in *Revista Estudos Históricos*, Sao Paulo: Fundacao Getulio Vargas, v. 30, n. 60 (2017) *Perspectivas Globais e Transnacionais*. ISSN: 2178-1494.

Březinová, K.: *Od altepetlu po říši Aztéků: Struktury politické moci v centrálním Mexiku ve 14.-16. Století*, in Beránek, O., Cermanová, P., Hrubý, J. (eds.): „Jedno slunce na nebi, jeden vládce na zemi,“ *Academia*, 2017, str. 872-891. ISBN: 978-80-200-2738-2.

Březinová, K., Kostičová, Z. M., Křížová, M.: *Mocenské struktury na americkém kontinentu v předkolumbovské době*, in Beránek, O., Cermanová, P., Hrubý, J. (eds.): „Jedno slunce na nebi, jeden vládce na zemi,“ *Academia*, 2017, str. 827-845. ISBN: 978-80-200-2738-2.

Březinová, K.: *Der Kalte Krieg auf Film. Propaganda im Dienste tschechoslowakischer Aktivitäten in Lateinamerika* in Manke, A., Březinová, K. (eds.): „Kleinststaaten und sekundäre Akteure im Kalten Krieg. Politische, wirtschaftliche, militärische und kulturelle Wechselbeziehungen zwischen Europa und Lateinamerika“, Transcript, 2016. ISBN 978-3-8376-3526-3.

Březinová, K., Blecha, L., Manke, A.: „Einleitung. Kleinststaaten und sekundäre Akteure im Kalten Krieg aus der Perspektive der europäischen Lateinamerikaforschung“ in Manke, A., Březinová, K. (eds.): *Kleinststaaten und sekundäre Akteure im Kalten Krieg aus der Perspektive der europäischen Lateinamerikaforschung*, Transcript, 2016, pp. 11-34.

Březinová, K., Manke, A., Meding, H. M.: „Schlussbetrachtungen“ in Manke, A., Březinová, K. (eds.): *Kleinststaaten und sekundäre Akteure im Kalten Krieg aus der Perspektive der europäischen Lateinamerikaforschung*, Transcript, 2016, pp. 325-334.

Březinová, Kateřina. *Murales que hablan. La conflictiva construcción de la identidad chicana en los Estados Unidos de América.* In *Poder y Conflictividad Social en América Latina*, edited by "Sigfrido Vázquez Cienfuegos, 161-171. Prague: Karolinum, 2015.

Březinová, K.: *Cold War Edutainment: Understanding Czech Documentaries on Cold War Latin America* pp. 181-202 in Maguire L. (ed.): "The Cold War and Entertainment Television", Cambridge Scholars, 2016. ISBN: 1-4438-9069-3.

Březinová, K.: *Ecós y silencios sobre América Latina. Narrativas propagandísticas y acción exterior checoslovaca en América Latina durante la Guerra Fría, 1948-1989* in Opatrný, J. "Las relaciones entre Europa Oriental y América Latina 1945-1989", Praga: Karolinum, 2015.

Březinová, K.: From Imagined Communities to Bordered Societies? Bordering Processes in the Americas in the late 20th and early 21st century in *Central European Journal of International and Security Studies*, Vol: 9:3, 2015. ISSN: 1802-548x.

Březinová, K.: „*Turbines and Weapons for Latin America: Czechoslovak documentary film propaganda in the Cold War context 1948-1989*“ in *Cejiss* 7:3 2013: *Central European Journal of Security Studies*, ISSN: 1802-548X.

Březinová, K.: *Disrupt Thought and Destabilize Vision. Toward the representation of the Yanomami between art and anthropology* in Fernandez del Campo, E., Riviere, H. (eds.): "The Ark of Babel. Artistic Theory and Practice in a Transcultural Perspective". Madrid: ABADA Press, 2013.

Březinová, K.: „*Brazilští Yanomami a soudobé strategie indiánské (sebe)prezentace*“ in Pelant, M. (ed.): "Brasil Plural - Kolokvium brazilských studií". Praha: Filosofická Fakulta Univerzity Karlovy Praha, 2013.

Březinová, K. : *La labor de salvar al indio está en manos del gobernante. El indigenismo populista en México en la primera mitad del siglo XX y su repercusión hoy en día* in Majlátová, L. (ed.): "Populismo en América Latina" Bordeaux: Les presses Universitaires de Bordeaux (PUB), 2012

Březinová, K. : *Quarrel about Diversity? Post-Communist Czech Republic vic-a-vis the new realities of difference* in Pinto Ribeiro, A. (ed): "Can There Be Life Without the Other?" London: Carcanet Press Ltd., 2010.

Březinová, K. : "A República Checa Pós-Comunista perante as Novas Realidades da Diferença." in Pinto Ribeiro, A. (ed.): *Podemos viver sem o Outro?* Lisboa: Calouste Gulbenkian Foundation Conference Series, Tinta da China, 2009.

Březinová, K.: *Mexiko: návrat PRI a demokracie ve výstavbě* in *Mezinárodní politika*, Institute for International Relations, Prague, Vol 9 / 2012. – *Latinská Amerika*, Praha, Ústav mezinárodních vztahů.

Březinová, K.: *El Movimiento Chicano en los Estados Unidos de América* in *Iberoamericana Pragensia*, Univerzita Karlova v Praze, Ročník 31/ 1997.

Other:

BŘEZINOVÁ, Kateřina, "Křehký génius aztéckých válečníků. K výstavě „Aztékové“ u příležitosti 500 let od příjezdu Španělů do Mexika", *Art Antiques*, Prague, marzo, 2020 (ISSN 1213-8398).

International Conferences convened and organized (last 10 years)

Transnational Training, Education, and Knowledge Exchange in Revolutionary Cuba.
Cambridge, University of Cambridge, Faculty of History, March 7-9. 2025. Co-hosted by Dr. Tanya Harmer, the London School of Economics, and Emily Snyder, the University of Cambridge.

The Cold War between the "Second" and the "Third" World. The Socialist Bloc and Latin America.
Prague, June 24, 2024

Co-organized by the Iberoamerican Center of the Metropolitan University Prague and Institute of Contemporary History of the Czech Academy of Sciences

Multiple modernities in the Americas.

Prague, November 23, 2018

Co-organized by the Metropolitan University Prague and Charles University in Prague.

The U.S. Foreign Policy.

Prague, March 31, 2017

Co-organized by the Metropolitan University Prague and Embassy of the United States of America.

Latino Americans. Latinos en los Estados Unidos de América.

Prague, May – November 2016.

Co-organized by the Metropolitan University Prague, El Instituto Cervantes de Praga, Embassy of the Mexico, Embassy of the United States of America.

Cultural Cold War. Eastern European Engagements in Latin America.

Prague, November 13, 2015

Co-organized by the Metropolitan University Prague and Charles University in Prague.

Poder y conflictividad social en América Latina. IV Seminario Internacional.

Prague, October 31, 2014. Co-organized by the Metropolitan University Prague, Charles University in Prague, E Instituto Cervantes de Praga, Universidad de Sevilla, Universidad Pablo de Olavide.

Borders in the Americas. Processes of bordering and identification in the Americas and their historical, cultural, political and security implications.

Prague, November 21, 2014. Co-organized by the Metropolitan University Prague and Charles University in Prague.

Cold War Engagements. Political, Economic, and Cultural Relations between Czechoslovakia and Latin America in the second half of the 20th century

Prague, November 8, 2013. Co-organized by the Metropolitan University Prague and Charles University in Prague.

Awards:

“**El Premio Iberoamericano**” 1995; Award to the best thesis on Spanish and Latin American issues - 1st position.

Award for the best academic title published by the Charles University Press in 2018: Brenišinová, M., Březinová, K a Křížová, M.: „Dějiny umění Latinské Ameriky“, Karolinum, 2018. Ranking 24.-27.

Membership in Professional Organizations:

Latin American Studies Association (LASA) –membership and active participation since 2013

Association of Historians of Latin America (AHILA)- membership and active participation since 2024

Česká a slovenská asociace amerikanistů – membership and active participation since 2023.

Společnost českých portugalistů SČP – membership and active participation since 2017.

Editorial Board Member - Norba: Revista de Historia. Universidad de Extremadura, Spain, since 2019.

Member of the Board of Reviewers, Ministry of Economy and Digital Transformation (MINECO), Spain, since 2020.

Association of European Brazilianists (ABRE) – scientific board member for the III International Congress Prague, 9/2021.

Editorial Board Member – Iberoamericana Pragensia, Charles University in Prague, Czech Republic, Universidad, since 2022.

ABRE- Association of European Brazilianists – member of academic board, since 2021.

Scientific Board Member - Transferencia - Universidad de Extremadura, Spain, since 2023.

ELASOC (Escritores latinoamericanos en el socialismo europeo durante la Guerra Fría). University of Seville, Spain. Scientific committee member, 2023.

Language proficiency:

Fluent in English (State Exam), Spanish (State Exam), Czech (mother tongue).
Intermediate in Portuguese and Russian.

Lectures in capacity of invited speaker by Dr. Březinová:

- *Freie Universität Berlin*. 20.1.2026. Forschungskolloquium zur Geschichte Lateinamerikas. Invited speaker. Talk: „Cuba-Czechoslovakia Soft Power Engagements, 1959-1990.“
- *Universität Bremen*. 9.7.2025. Institut für Geschichtswissenschaft's Research Colloquium. Invited speaker. Talk: “Cold War scientific and Education Diplomacy”.
- *Ca Foscari University of Venice*. 27.6.2025. International Conference Women's Internationalism and anti-imperialism in the 20th century: from the interwar to the Cold war period. Department of Humanities. Invited discussant.
- *Colegio de México*. México, D.F. 28.5.2025. Seminario de Historia Internacional. Invited Speaker. Talk: “Czechoslovak Educational Diplomacy”.
- *Freie University Berlin*: 24.7. 2024. International Conference Cultures and Conflict, Exploring Cultural Dimensions of the Cold War from Latin America. Invited speaker. Talk: “Czechoslovakia's Education Diplomacy in Cuba in the 1960s.”
- *London School of Economics, Tufts University*. 27.3. 2024. Seminar in Contemporary International History. Invited Speaker. Talk: *Cold War Scientific Diplomacy. The First Generation of Cuban students in Czechoslovakia*.
- *Universidad Rey Juan Carlos and Fundación Yuste*. 21.3.2023. International conference: "Relaciones entre Europa y América Latina, El Caribe y Europa: „Imágenes y Visiones en las dos Orrillas ". Keynote: "Poder blando de la „otra Europa“ en América Latina? La diplomacia cultural y científica de Checoslovaquia en Cuba.“ Guadalupe, Spain.
- *Masaryk University in Brno*. 25.10.2022. Invited Speaker. Talk: „Alterity and Identity in Contemporary History of the United States of America.“ Brno, Czech Republic.
- *Vienna University, Institut für Politikwissenschaft*. 23.5.2022. European Global History Master Invited Speaker. Talk: „Soft Power of the „Other“ Europe in Latin America.“ Vienna, Austria
- *Instituto Cervantes in Prague*. 20.1.2022. Invited Speaker. Talk: „Hispanos entre Kennedy y Trump: ¿Una minoría diferente en los Estados Unidos?“ Prague, Czech Republic.
- *U.S. Embassy in the Czech Republic*. 14.10.2021. Invited Speaker: „Hispanic population in the U.S.“ Prague, Czech Republic.
- *Universidad de Extremadura. Facultad de Filosofía. Departamento de Historia*. 14.9.2021. Invited Speaker. Paper: „Consideraciones metodológicas y prácticas de la investigación histórica y cultural.“ Cáceres, Spain.
- *Universidad Rey Juan Carlos and Fundación Yuste*. International conference: "Relaciones entre Europa y América Latina: un espacio de encuentro". 18.3.2021. (hybrid modality) Keynote Speaker. "Relaciones entre Europa y América Latina en la Guerra Fría: hacia enfoques transnacionales." Spain.
- *German Historical Institute and University of California, Berkeley*. 26. 2. 2021. Keynote Speaker (online modality). Paper: "Mexico and the US. Frontierization and Migration Policies." USA.
- *Karlova Univerzita v Praze*. Guest speaker in the Iberoamerican studies seminar. 15.5. 2019 Talk: „Exodus? Migrace v rámci Latinské Ameriky a USA“.
- *Bielefeld University's Social Science and History Department*. 22.1.2019. International seminar cycle. Invited Speaker. Paper: “The Cultural Cold War in Latin America.” Bielefeld, Germany.
- *Vienna University and University of Chicago*. Cátedra Friedrich Katz. International Conference. 18.10. 2018. Keynote: „Walking Through Walls, Transgressing Frontiers: Border Regimes and Phantom Borders in North America and Central Europe since 1848.“ Austria.
- *Karlova Univerzita v Praze*. Guest speaker in the Iberoamerican studies seminar. 5.12. 2018 Talk: „Latinos ve Spojených státech amerických.“
- *Universität zu Köln*. Invited speaker to expert series. 15.6.2016. Talk: „Ecos y Silencios sobre América Latina. Narrativas propagandísticas y acción exterior checoslovaca en Américas durante la Guerra Fría.“

Conference participation 2018-2025:

BŘEZINOVÁ, Katerina, 12. 9. 2025. International Colloquium of American Studies & Biennial Conference of the Czech and Slovak Association for American Studies, University of J. Šafárik in Košice, Slovakia. Talk: “Neither here nor there”

DACA and Belonging in the 21st c. America.

BŘEZINOVÁ, Kateřina, 1. 7. 2025 El Congreso Internacional de Americanistas / International Congress of the Americanists (ICA). Novi Sad, Serbia. Talk: *Translating utopias? East-Central Europe's Cultural Engagements with Latin America.*

BŘEZINOVÁ, Kateřina. 13. 6. 2025 IV Congreso Internacional de escritoras latinoamericanas. Universidad Complutense de Madrid, Coventry University, Te Herenga Waka Victoria University of Wellington, Instituto Complutense de Investigaciones Feministas. Talk: *Her-Story en la Guerra Fría: El relato del exilio en la Checoslovaquia socialista en Jardim do Inverno de Zélia Gattai.*

BŘEZINOVÁ, Katerina, 24. 5. 2025. Latin American Studies Association (LASA). International Conference. San Francisco, USA. Talk: *Translating Latin American Revolutions in Cold War Czechoslovakia. Local Actors and Circulation of Ideas between the Americas and the Socialist Bloc.*

BŘEZINOVÁ, Katerina, 14.19. 2024 Hidden History. International Congress, SIAS, Charles University in Prague, Universidad de Salamanca, Universidad de Valladolid. Talk: *Doy gracias: Gender and Femininity in Mexican Votive Tradition.*

BŘEZINOVÁ, Katerina, 6.9. 2024 AHILA international Congress, L'Orientale Università di Napoles. Talk: *Casas de Cultura en La Habana y Praga como actores y locaciones de flujo de ideas en el espacio euroamericano 1960-1990.*

BŘEZINOVÁ, Katerina, 24.7. 2024 International Conference Freie University Berlin: Cultures and Conflict, Exploring Cultural Dimensions of the Cold War from Latin America. Invited speaker. Talk: *Czechoslovakia's Education Diplomacy in Cuba in the 1960s.*

BŘEZINOVÁ, Katerina, 24. 6. 2024. The Cold War between the "Second" and the "Third" World. The Socialist Bloc and Latin America. International Workshop, Prague, Czech Republic. Talk: *Czechoslovakia's Education Diplomacy in Cuba in the 1960s.*

BŘEZINOVÁ, Katerina, 13. 6. 2024. Latin American Studies Association (LASA). International Conference. Bogotá, Colombia. Talk: *Cold War Scientific Diplomacy. Czechoslovakia and Cuba.*

BŘEZINOVÁ, Katerina, 27.3. 2024. Guest lecture in the capacity of invited speaker. London School of Economics, Tufts University Seminar in Contemporary International History. Talk: *Cold War Scientific Diplomacy. The First Generation of Cuban students in Czechoslovakia.*

BŘEZINOVÁ, Katerina, 5. 10. 2023. International Colloquium of American Studies & Biennial Conference of the Czech and Slovak Association for American Studies, University of Ostrava Czech Republic. Talk: *Migration Narratives and Migration Policies. From DACA to the Los Angeles Declaration on Migration and Protection.*

BŘEZINOVÁ, Katerina, 9. 6. 2023. Workshop Středisko Iberoamerických studií a Centrum strategických studií, Charles University in Prague, Faculty of Arts, Czech Republic. Talk: *Indiánská identifikace jako politický nástroj? Chicanos v USA.*

BŘEZINOVÁ, Katerina, 27. 5. 2023. Latin American Studies Association (LASA). International Conference. Vancouver and online modality. Talk: *Cold War Entanglements: The House of the Czechoslovak Culture in Cuba and the House of Cuban Culture in Czechoslovakia.*

BŘEZINOVÁ, Katerina, 14. 4. 2023. International Workshop Global Soviet Legacy at 30. University of Aberdeen, U.K. Talk: *Exporting Socialism. Czechoslovakia in Cuba 1959-1991.*

BŘEZINOVÁ, Katerina, 23. 3. 2023. Universidad de Extremadura. IV Simposio internacional jóvenes investigadores. International Congress. Cáceres, Spain. Talk: *Historia cultural del cordel brasileño.*

BŘEZINOVÁ, Katerina, 21. 3. 2023. Fundación Academia Europa e Iberoamericana de Yuste. International Congress. Guadalupe, Spain. Keynote speaker: *¿Poder blando de la “otra Europa” en América Latina? La diplomacia cultural y científica de Checoslovaquia en Cuba?*

BŘEZINOVÁ, Katerina, 25. 2.2023. XXII Congreso de la Asociación Alemana de Hispanistas. Graz and online modality. Conference Session: “Mi avatar y yo. Autoría en entornos digitales.” Talk: *La moza ya no habla con Frei Damiao. Género en el cordel brasileño digital en el siglo XXI.*

BŘEZINOVÁ, Katerina, 8. 9. 2022. International Workshop “Czech Broadside Ballads in the International Context”. Faculty of Arts, Masaryk University in Brno, Institute of the Ethnology and History of the Czech Academy of Sciences and Moravian Library, Czech Republic. Talk: *Gender(ed) History from the Margins.*

BŘEZINOVÁ, Katerina, 14.6. 2022. CEISAL (Consejo Europeo de Investigaciones Sociales de América Latina) International Conference, Helsinki University, Finland. Session organized. Talk: *Elite migration narratives and social media: the case of Mexico and the United States of America.*

BŘEZINOVÁ, Katerina, 25. 5. 2022. Forschungsgruppe Lateinamerika Colloquium, University of Vienna, Austria. 25.5.2022. Talk: *La historia desde abajo y desde los márgenes - apuntes metodológicos.*

BŘEZINOVÁ, Katerina, 13.5. 2022. International conference “Dissent in the Transatlantic Perspective”. Faculty of Social Sciences of the Charles University in Prague. Talk: *Categorically Unequal? Belonging, Legal status and Dissent in the 21st century USA.*

BŘEZINOVÁ, Katerina, 22.4 2022. International conference CIELO. Faculty of Arts, Palacký University in Olomouc. Ponencia: *Imagen y Cuerpo en la memoria histórica.*

BŘEZINOVÁ, Katerina, 8. 5 2022. Latin American Studies Association (LASA) International Conference (online modality). Organizadora de la sesión. Talk: *„Historical memory from the margins.“*

BŘEZINOVÁ, Katerina, 22.9. 2021. Association of European Brazilianists (ABRE). International conference (online modality). 22.9.2021. Talk: *„Prácticas de fronterización en Brasil desde finales del siglo XX a principios del siglo XXI.“*

BŘEZINOVÁ, Katerina, 28.5. 2021. Latin American Studies Association (LASA) International Conference (online modality). Ponencia: *Multiple Soviet Era Legacy in Cuba.*

BŘEZINOVÁ, Katerina, 26.2.2021. Lecture Series de German Historical Institute and University of California, Berkeley, EE.UU (online modality). Conferencia magistral: *Mexico and the US. Frontierization and Migration Policies.*

BŘEZINOVÁ, Katerina, 4. 3. 2020. Ponente invitado en la mesa redonda: Environmental Policy in Brazil. A Challenge to the Amazon. Universidad Carolina en Praga, La República Checa.

BŘEZINOVÁ, Katerina, 16. 9. 2020. Ponente en el Colloquio internacional. El título de la ponencia: *Categorically Unequal? Conflicting Narratives about Migration and Belonging in the 21st Century United States of America*, Anglo American University, Praga, La República Checa.

BŘEZINOVÁ, Katerina, 4. 3. 2020. Ponente invitado en la mesa redonda: Environmental Policy in Brazil. A Challenge to the Amazon. Universidad Carolina en Praga, La República Checa.

BŘEZINOVÁ, Katerina, 20. 11. 2019. Ponente Invitado al colloquio del Instituto de Relaciones Internacionales de Praga: "Latin America-Caribbean and the EU in Global Climate Change" con la participación de Paola Amadei, Directora Ejecutiva de EU-LAC Foundation. Praga, la República Checa.

BŘEZINOVÁ, Katerina, 9. 10. 2019. Ponente Invitado al Colloquio de Forschungsgruppe Lateinamerika en Austria. El título de la ponencia: "¿De la Periferia al Centro de la Guerra Fría Global? Checoslovaquia en América Latina 1948-1989". Universidad de Vienna, Austria.

BŘEZINOVÁ, Katerina, 23. 11. 2018. Organizadora principal de la conferencia internacional titulada "Multiple modernities in Latin America" y convocada por Metropolitan University Prague y Charles University in Prague; ponente "Modernity and its Discontents in Latin America". Prague, Czech Republic.

BŘEZINOVÁ, Katerina, 18. 10. 2018. Conferencia Internacional „FOURTH CÁTEDRA FRIEDRICH KATZ“ coorganizada por la Universidad de Vienna y University of Chicago. La conferencia magistral "Walking Through Walls, Transgressing Frontiers: Border Regimes and Phantom Borders in North America and Central Europe since 1848".

BŘEZINOVÁ, Katerina, 25. 5. 2018 International Conference of Latin American Studies Association (LASA), Barcelona, Spain Ponencia: *Small states and secondary actors in Latin America and Europe during the Cold War*.

Public engagement / Science for Public:

BŘEZINOVÁ, Kateřina, 28. 4. 2025. „American Crossroads“ Expert discussion. Ústecký kraj public library. American Center Ústí nad Labem. Ústí nad Labem, Czech Republic.

BŘEZINOVÁ, Kateřina, 14.4. 2025. „Rozpadá se západní svět?“ Václav Havel Library. Expert discussion. Prague, Czech Republic.

BŘEZINOVÁ, Kateřina, "Americké křižovatky. O USA s nadhledem a v souvislostech". Expert podcast series 2023.

<https://open.spotify.com/show/64hLdXrM8EVmxewKknutXp>

- Historie - Je Amerika v kulturní válce o své dějiny? 4.10. 2023
- Jednota v různorodosti – Co dělá z Američanů jeden národ? 12.10.2023
- Melting Pot – život v různorodé společnosti. 18.10.2023
- USA jako země přistěhovalců. 27.10.2023
- Politické instituce – Nejvyšší soud USA 31.10. 2023
- Politické instituce – Fungují "brzdy a protiváhy" americké demokracie? 10.11.2023.

BŘEZINOVÁ, Kateřina, SUCHOCHLEB, Štěpán, "Blues v době velké migrace". Travelling exhibition. Blues Alive 2023. With support of the U.S. Embassy in the Czech Republic.

BŘEZINOVÁ, Kateřina, "Expanding American Mainstream (in Czech: Americké křižovatky. O USA s nadhledem a v souvislostech)". Convener and anchor of a series of expert speaker seminars in American Centers in six towns in the Czech Republic 2022-2023. With support from the U.S. Embassy in the Czech Republic.

- American Center at Moravian Library in Brno, November 23, 2022.
- American Center at Severočeská vědecká knihovna in Ústí nad Labem, December 5, 2022.

- American Center at the Palacký University in Olomouc, February 20, 2023.
- American Center at Ústřední knihovna in Ostrava, April 24, 2023.
- American Center at Západočeská univerzita Plzeň, Galerie Masné krámy in Plzeň, May 3, 2023.
- Studijní a vědecká knihovna in Hradec Králové, May 17, 2023.

BŘEZINOVÁ, Kateřina, SUCHOCHLEB, Štěpán, “Kořeny blues(Roots of the Blues)”. Travelling exhibition about the people, cultures and conditions that created the American blues music. Blues Alive 2022. American Center Olomouc 2023. With support by the U.S. Embassy in the Czech Republic.

BŘEZINOVÁ, Kateřina, “Křehký génius aztéckých válečníků. K výstavě „Aztékové“ u příležitosti 500 let od příjezdu Španělů do Mexika”, *Art Antiques*, Prague, March 2020 (ISSN 1213-8398).

BŘEZINOVÁ, Kateřina, Multicultural Center Prague (1999-2006)- Founding director and Director of Programmes; MigraceOnline.cz (Portál pro kritickou diskuzi o migraci) – founding director.

BŘEZINOVÁ, Kateřina, *Multicultural Center Prague* (2013-2025) Board Member (volunteer).

BŘEZINOVÁ, Kateřina, *Active Citizenship Fund*. Chairperson of a grant review committee for the “Open Society Fund” initiative for civil society organizations strengthening democracy and citizenship (2021 – 2022).

BŘEZINOVÁ, Kateřina, *European Cultural Foundation*. Amsterdam. Board member (volunteer). Foundation to promote European identity, democracy and citizenship in the EU (2005 – 2017).

BŘEZINOVÁ, Kateřina, *Journalism Award*. Selection Committee Member for award-winning recognition for outstanding journalistic work convened by the Open Society Fund, the Czech Republic. (2014– 2015).

Faculty in the Media:

Regular media appearances and expert analysis and commentaries relating to the U.S. in the Czech Public Radio, Public TV ČT 24, Podcast Vinohradská 12, Podcast 5:59, Podcast Spotlight, Voxpot, CNN Prima News, iRozhlas.cz. Selection of recent substantive appearances; not exhaustive:

- Dvacet minut Radiožurnálu, Czech Public Radio ('20 min) 10. 6. 2025 – „Imigrační politika USA je zoufale zastaralá“. Dr. Kateřina Březinová in interview.
- Podcast 5:59, Seznam Zprávy. 12.6.2025 ('26 min): „Los Angeles jako „pokusný králík“.“ Dr. Kateřina Březinová in interview.
- Interview Plus, Czech Public Radio ČR Plus. 12. 5. 2025 ('26 min): „Nový papež Lev XIV. Mezi globálním severem a jihem.“ Dr. Kateřina Březinová in interview.
- Czech Public TV. „Devadesátka“. 2. 4. 2025. „Executive orders and the US presidency“ (with K. Březinová, J. Kysela, K. Kozák, L. Vyhnánek).
- ČR Plus. 10. 2. 2025. Vztahy mezi Mexikem a USA v počínající druhé administrativě D. Trumpa. Dr. Kateřina Březinová in interview ('26 min).
- Spotlight interview, Aktuálně.cz. 12. 11. 2024 ('35 min): Dr. Kateřina Březinová in interview Aktuálně.cz.
- Czech Public TV. 20. 1. 2025. Special coverage of the U.S. presidential inauguration, ČT24 (with K. Březinová, M. Žantovský, J. Beneš, R. Joch).
- Czech Public Radio ČR Plus and Radiožurnál, 5.11. 2025: A special U.S. election broadcast Coverage of the US Presidential election 2024 (In Czech „Americká noc“).
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