

# Economy, State and Society in Contemporary Belarus

Thursdays, Weeks 2, 4, 6 and 8, Michaelmas Term 2021

4.00–5.30pm, Via Zoom ([Register Here](#))

Convened by Professor Christopher Gerry &  
Professor Elena Korosteleva

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**Thurs 21 October  
(Week 2)**

***In Conversation with Frank Viachorka***

*Franak Viachorka, Senior Advisor to Svetlana  
Tikhanovskaya.*

**Thurs 4 November  
(Week 4)**

***Agency, Gender, and Citizenship in  
Belarusian Protests***

*Professor Elena Gapova, Western Michigan University.*

**Thurs 18 November  
(Week 6)**

***Stolen decades: the unfulfilled expectations  
of the Belarusian economic miracle***

*Professor Julia Korosteleva (UCL SSEES) and Ales  
Alakhnovich (economic advisor to Svetlana Tikhanovskaya)  
on the collapse of 'the Belarusian economic miracle'.*

**Thurs 2 December  
(Week 8)**

***Contemporary Belarus: twenty years on – a  
discussion of key developments***

*Professor Elena Korosteleva, Dr Irina Petrova and  
Professor Rosalind Marsh announcing their new  
'Contemporary Belarus' book, in conversation with  
contributors.*