

**May 25, 2012, Friday, 11:00**

Lecture of

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**MAZEPA, PEATER AND UKRAINE – LOVE TRIANGLE  
("Prayer for Hetman Mazepa" by Yuri Illienko)**

The figure of Mazepa is one of the most controversial issues in the dispute over their common history between Russia - for whom he is a traitor - and Ukrainians - for whom he is a national hero. Yuri Illienko's film, however, presents not so much one or the other interpretation, but portrays Mazepa as the subject of and material for endless interpretations, that constantly quote and mirror each other.

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Lecture will be in Russian

"Zhovten Cinema", 26 Kostiantynivska St.,  
"Anshlag" hall, 1st floor