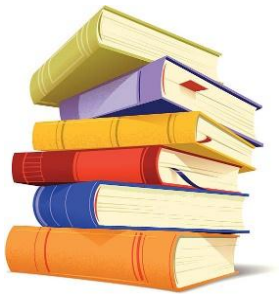
Czech and Slovak Literary Ventures 2025-2026

Join us for small-group informal discussions of Czech and Slovak books in English translation. Everyone is welcome. Please read the books in advance. Meetings are held both in-person and virtually.

Discussions are cosponsored by the Czech and Slovak Cultural Center of Minnesota, Czech and Slovak Sokol Minnesota, and the Office of the Honorary Consulate of the Czech Republic/Minneapolis.



Saturday, September 20, 10 a.m. – noon
Linguaphile: A Life of Language Love with visit by author Julie Sedivy – Book discussion

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Saturday, October 18, 10 a.m. – noon
Milan Rastislav Štefánik: A Man of Iron Will by Jozef Banaš – Part 1 – Book discussion

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Saturday, November 15, 10 a.m. – noon
Milan Rastislav Štefánik: A Man of Iron Will by Jozef Banaš – Part 2 – Book discussion

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Saturday, December 20, 10 a.m. – noon
To See the Sea – Film viewing

Saturday, January 17, 10 a.m. – noon
The Golem … Two German Supernatural Novels edited by Gustav Meyrink, Paul Busson, and E. F. Bleiler, or other edition – Book discussion

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Saturday, February 21, 10 a.m. – noon
Beyond the World of Men: Women's Fiction of the Czech Fin de Siècle edited by Geoffrey Chew – Book discussion

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Saturday, March 21, 10 a.m. – noon
Skoda: Laurin & Klement by Ivan Margolius and Charles Meisl – Book discussion

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Saturday, April 18, 10 a.m. – noon
The Accidental Hero: A Journey of Discovery, Liberation and Legacy by Patrick Dewane – Book discussion

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Saturday, May 16, 10 a.m. – noon
The Book of Prague: A City in Short Fiction edited by Ivana Myšková and Jan Zikmund – Book discussion

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Questions? Contact gwen@cs-center.org