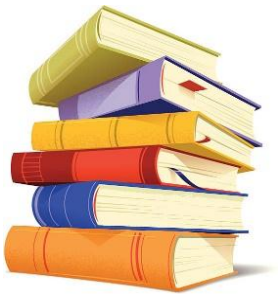
Czech and Slovak Literary Ventures 2026-2027

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 19, 10 a.m. – noon
Women's Artistic Dissent: Repelling Totalitarianism in Pre-1989 Czechoslovakia by co-author Hana Waisserova – Book discussion (three chapters available electronically)

Saturday, October 17, 10 a.m. – noon
Caravans Pursued by B. K. Oldre - Book discussion

Saturday, November 21, 10 a.m. – noon
Mule Boy by Andrew Krivak – Book discussion

Saturday, December 19, 10 a.m. – noon
A People Uncounted: The Untold Story of the Roma – Film viewing recommended by Bea

---

Saturday, January 16, 10 a.m. – noon
Lost and Found: Hidden Notes on my First Incarceration by Václav Havel, translated by Paul Wilson – Book discussion

---

Saturday, February 20, 10 a.m. – noon
The Book of Bratislava: A City in Short Fiction *edited by Julia Sherwood and Radoslav Passia* – Book discussion

---

Saturday, March 20, 10 a.m. – noon
My World by Peter Sagan (author) and John Deering (contributor) – Book discussion

---

Saturday, April 17, 10 a.m. – noon
Vendulka: Flight to Freedom by Ondřej Kundra – Book discussion

---

Saturday, May 15, 10 a.m. – noon
The Secret of Secrets: A Novel by Dan Brown – Book discussion

---

Questions? Contact gwen@cs-center.org