

The Department of Slavic Languages and Literatures presents

# The Windmills of Humanity:

Presenting a New Translation of Czech Philosopher Ivan Sviták's Writings on Politics and Culture

Philosopher and critic Ivan Sviták was among the leading Czech intellectuals during the lead-up to the "Prague Spring" of 1968, when tentative reforms by Communist Party leaders in Czechoslovakia sparked a mass movement for democratic socialism.

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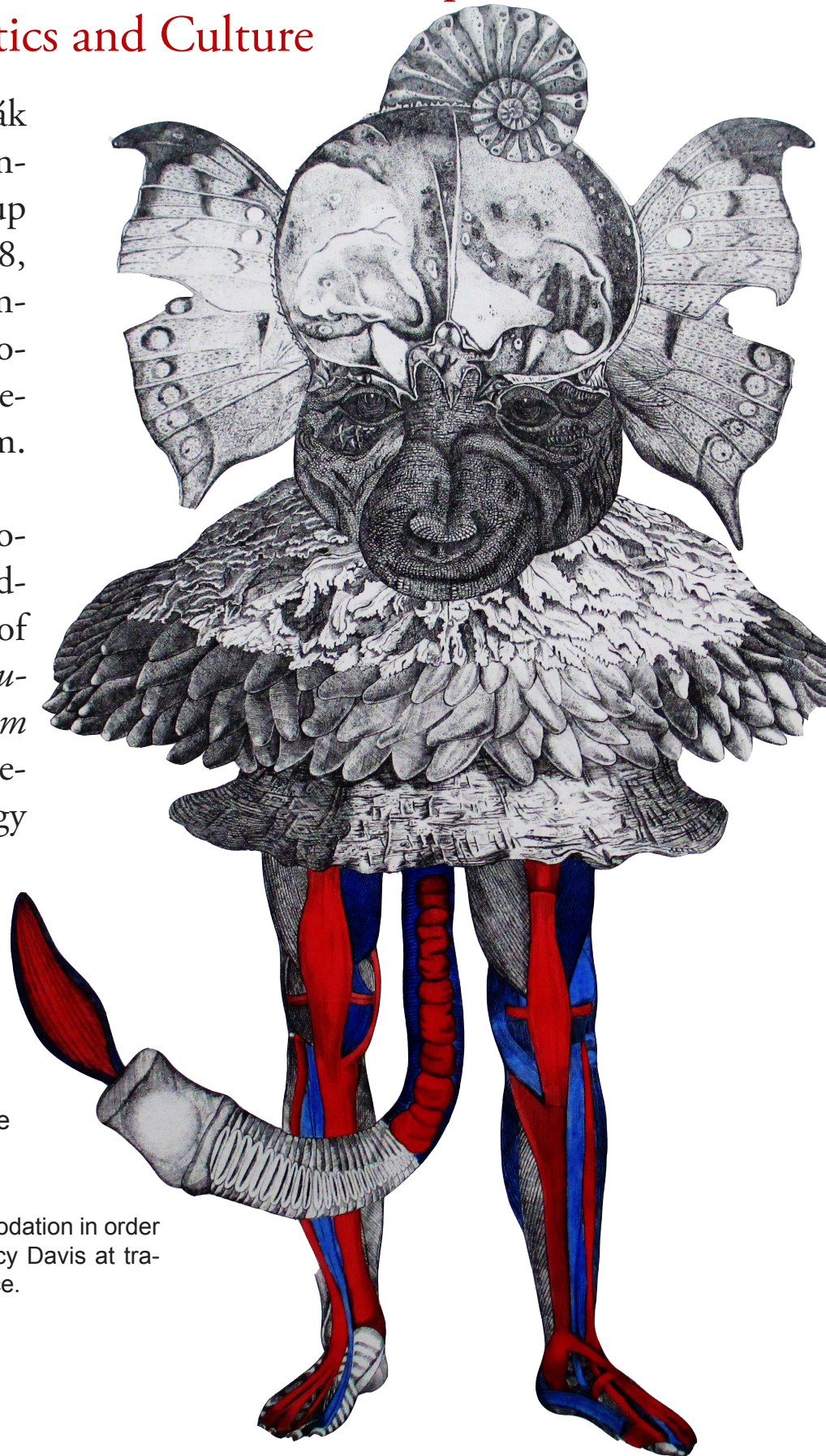
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