Saturday, 21 September 2013

09:00-12:30 Fifth Panel
Historians and Politics in Europe
Chair: Jörn Rüsen (KWI, Essen)

Teodoro Tagliaferri (University Naples): The Scientific Historian as a Party Intellectual: the Case of Christopher Hill (1938-1957)

Georgios Giannakopoulos (Queen Mary University of London): The Historian as a Political Force in Central Europe: Revisiting the case of R.W. Seton-Watson (1879-1951)

Emilia Salvanou (University of Athens): Historians with a cause: Refugees' memory and historical practices in Interwar Greece

Vangelis Karamanolakis (University of Athens): Historians and the trauma of the past. The destruction of the personal records in Greece (1989)

Manos Avgeridis (University of Athens): How was the World War II historicized by the heirs of the Greek Civil War?

Tara Boyko (Tartu University): History as a Battlefield in the Ukraine

12:30-13:30 Lunch

13:30-15:00 Keynote

15:00 Departure

Historians as Engaged Intellectuals

Historical Writing and Social Criticism

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Thursday, 19 September 2013

13:00 Light Lunch

14:00 Welcome
Stefan Berger (Institute for Social Movements, Bochum)
Antonis Liakos (University of Athens)

14:30 Keynote
Nina Witoszek (University of Oslo): Historians as Dissidents: or Intellectual Eros in Action

15:30-18:30 First Panel
History, Theory and Ethics
Chair: Chris Lorenz (VU Amsterdam/ Ruhr-Universität Bochum)

Antonis Liakos (University of Athens): Conceptualizations of the Past in the Global Occupy Movement
Antoon de Baets (University of Groningen): Historians killed for political reasons (1945-2013)
Kalle Pihlainen (Abo Akademi University): Committed writing: history and poststructuralism revisited
Martin Wiklund (University of Gothenburg): The ideal of justice and its significance for the historian as intellectual
Effi Gazi (University of the Peloponnese): Historians and/or in the 'new-media

Friday, 20 September 2013

09:00 Keynote
Jörn Rüsen (Kulturwissenschaftliches Institut, Essen): Engagement in the perspective of meta-history

10:00-13:00 Second Panel
Politics and History in Modern Chinese and East Asian Historiography 1
Chair: Antonis Liakos (University of Athens)

Xuedian Wang and Yangmei Li (Shandong University): History as Political Critique in 1930s China
Dominic Sachsenmaier (Jacobs University Bremen): The Global Community of Historians and International Hierarchies of Knowledge
Feng Chen (Shandong University): Social History and Social Critics: Tao Xisheng and the Rise of Social History in China
Xin Fan (State University of New York, Fredonia): The Making of the Zangguo Clique. The Politicization of History Knowledge in Wartime China
Edward Q. Wang (Rowan University): Communism or Feudalism? Historical Reflections of Chinese Communist Practices in Post-Mao China

13:00-14:30 Lunch

14:30-15:30 Third Panel
Politics and History in Modern Chinese and East Asian Historiography 2
Chair: Nina Witoszek (University of Oslo)
Masayuki Sato (National Taiwan University): Politics of Chronology: Chronology Wars and the Engaged Historians in non-Christiandom 1873-2013
Michihiro Okamoto (Toyo University): Personalization of History and Collectivization of Memory in the Age of Globalization

15:30-16:00 Coffee

16:00-19:00 Fourth Panel
Postcolonial Engagements
Chair: Stefan Berger (Ruhr-Universität Bochum)

Nina Schneider (Universität Konstanz): Research or Human Rights? How to write about post-authoritarian Brazil
Aparna N. and Milind Brahme (Indian Institute of Technology, Madras): Historical Scholarship and Social Engagement in Postcolonial Historiography and Literary Writing
César Augusto Duque Sánchez (Universidad del Rosario, Bogota): History like science and History like Strategy: The Media, the interpretations and the objectives of two reads by the Colombian past
Meize Regina de Lucena Lucas (Federal University of Ceará): Brazil. Between Images and Texts: Censorship And Cinema In Brazil (1964-1985)
Martin Ottovay Jorgensen (Aalborg University): History and Place: a Postcolonial Critique