

NEWS

NEW PUBLICATIONS

1. GHI Reference Guides

Cornelia Wilhelm, *German Jews in the United States: A Guide to Archival Collections*. GHI Reference Guide 24. (Washington, DC, 2008)

2. Bulletin Supplements

Sonja Duempelmann, ed., *Pückler and America*. Bulletin Supplement 4 (2007)

3. Transatlantische Historische Studien (Franz Steiner Verlag)

Ursula Prutsch, *Creating Good Neighbors? Die Kultur- und Wirtschaftspolitik der USA in Lateinamerika, 1940–1946* (THS, vol. 33; Stuttgart: Steiner, 2008)

Johannes Dillinger, *Die politische Repräsentation der Landbevölkerung in Neuengland und Europa in der Frühen Neuzeit* (THS, vol. 34; Stuttgart: Steiner, 2008)

4. Other Publications Supported by the GHI

Christof Mauch and Thomas Zeller, eds., *The World Beyond the Windshield: Roads and Landscapes in the United States and Europe* (Ohio University Press, 2008)

Christof Mauch and Thomas Zeller, eds., *Rivers in History: Perspectives on Waterways in Europe and North America* (University of Pittsburgh Press, 2008).

LIBRARY REPORT

We are happy to announce the acquisition of the series *Handbuch der historischen Buchbestände in Deutschland*, *Handbuch der historischen Buchbestände in Österreich* and *Handbücher deutscher historischer Buchbestände in Europa* on CD-Rom. The *Handbücher* are directories of collections of material printed or published between 1450 and 1900. It comprises publications from the German-speaking countries as well as German-language

publications printed in other European countries. It includes books, periodicals, newspapers, music, maps, and ephemera. Furthermore, we were able to acquire sixteen films (on DVD) produced by the East German film studio DEFA. This collection comprises East German classics like *The Gleiwitz Case*, *Jacob the Liar*, and *Naked among Wolves*. Other important additions to our collection are the works of Johann Gottlieb Fichte (in thirty-six volumes) and the two encyclopedias *Europe 1789 to 1914* and *Europe since 1914*, edited by John Merriman and Jay Winter.

We would like to express our gratitude to the following people and institutions that donated books to the GHI library: David Binder, Cambridge University Press, Forschungsstelle für Zeitgeschichte in Hamburg, Claudia Haupt, Peter Horwarth, Dirk Hoerder, Goethe-Institut Chicago, Thomas F. Johnson, Joachim Kaiser, David Lazar, Corinna Unger, Peer Volkmann, Volkswagen AG Historische Kommunikation.

RECIPIENTS OF GHI FELLOWSHIPS

Doctoral Fellowships

JAN PHILIPP ALTENBURG, Justus-Liebig-Universität Giessen, "Die Aneignung des Stadtraumes: Großstadtleben in Philadelphia und Frankfurt in den 1920er Jahren"

KLAUS DITTRICH, University of Portsmouth, "Bildungspolitik auf Weltausstellungen im 19. Jahrhundert: Akteure, Praktiken und Diskurse in einem Zeitalter früher Globalisierung"

STEPHAN GEIER, Friedrich-Alexander-Universität Erlangen-Nürnberg, "Die friedliche Nutzung der Kernenergie und die Außenpolitik der Bundesrepublik Deutschland unter besonderer Berücksichtigung des deutsch-amerikanischen Verhältnisses 1954–1977"

MELANIE HENNE, Universität Erfurt, "Doing sports and 'Whiteness': Zur Selbstwahrnehmung von ImmigrantInnen in Chicago, 1921–1945"

STEPHAN KIENINGER, Universität Mannheim, "Der konzeptionelle Dualismus in der amerikanischen Europapolitik und das transatlantische Netzwerk der Transformationspolitiker, 1969–1977"

ESTHER KRUG, Universität Augsburg, "Die Operational History (German) Section und ihre Nachfolger: Die deutsch-amerikanischen Militärkontakte im Spannungsfeld von Kriegserinnerung, Geschichtspolitik und strategischer Planung im Kalten Krieg 1945–1961"

DEREK R. MALLET, Texas A&M University, "Hitler's Generals in America: US Policy toward High-Ranking Prisoners of War"

CARLOS A. MEISSNER, University of York, UK, "A Resilient Elite: German Costa Ricans and the Second World War"

CHRISTOPH ROSOL, Bauhaus-Universität Weimar, "Angewandte Voraussicht: Zur frühen Geschichte der numerischen Klimamodellierung in den USA"

STEFAN SCHOLL, Universität Bielefeld, "Grenzziehungen des Politischen im transatlantischen Diskurs der Ökonomen (1880–1980er Jahre)"

ANDREA WIEGESHOFF, Philipps-Universität Marburg, "Die Internationalisierung internationaler Eliten: Gruppenbiographische Studien zum diplomatischen Korps der Bundesrepublik Deutschland 1945/49–1969"

RECIPIENTS OF GHI INTERNSHIPS

The GHI was again fortunate to have a number of excellent interns who made valuable contributions to our work. The interns conducted research in libraries and archives, helped prepare and run conferences, assisted editors, librarians, and administrators, and cheerfully performed all other tasks that came their way. For their excellent work we would like to thank OLIVER MALICK (University of Rostock) and RUBEN MARC HACKLER (Humboldt University Berlin).

STAFF CHANGES

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