



GERMAN HISTORICAL INSTITUTE, WASHINGTON, DC  
BMW CENTER FOR GERMAN AND EUROPEAN STUDIES, GEORGETOWN UNIVERSITY

EIGHTEENTH TRANSATLANTIC DOCTORAL SEMINAR

## GERMAN HISTORY 1770-1914

German Historical Institute, Washington DC  
May 02 - 05, 2012

### Conveners:

Anna von der Goltz (Georgetown University)  
Richard F. Wetzell (GHI)

### Faculty Mentors:

James Brophy (University of Delaware)  
Kenneth Ledford (Case Western Reserve University)  
Frank Müller (University of St. Andrews)  
Monika Wienfort (Technical University, Berlin)

### WEDNESDAY, MAY 2

6:30 – 8:00 pm      **Welcome Reception**  
German Historical Institute, Reading Room

### THURSDAY, MAY 3

8:15 – 9:00 am      Breakfast, GHI Reading Room

9:00 – 10:45 am

#### **Panel 1**

Chair: RICHARD WETZELL

MATTHEW BUNN (University of Texas at Austin)  
*"Censorship is Official Critique": Contesting the Boundaries of  
Scholarship in the Censorship of the Hallische Jahrbücher*

ARNO BECKER (Universität Bonn)  
*Das pressepolitische System Otto von Bismarcks*

Commentators: Katherine Hubler, Inka Le-Huu

10:45 – 11:15 am      Coffee Break

11:15 am – 1:00 pm **Panel 2**

Chair: ANNA VON DER GOLTZ

ALICE GOFF (University of California, Berkeley)  
*In the Place of the Statue: German Encounters with Art in the  
Revolutionary Period, 1798-1815*

NINA REUSCH (Albert-Ludwigs-Universität Freiburg)  
*Historische Räume und Regionalgeschichte in Familienzeitschriften  
des 19. Jahrhunderts*

Commentators: Albert Wu, Jonas Kreienbaum

1:00 – 2:45 pm Lunch

2:45 – 4:30 pm **Panel 3**

Chair: KENNETH LEDFORD

ANNA ROSS (University of Cambridge)  
*Post-Revolutionary Politics and Political Networks in Germany,  
1848-1858*

JANINE MURPHY (Johann Wolfgang von Goethe Universität,  
Frankfurt/Main)  
*The Transformation of Urban Politics: Cultural Liberalism in  
Germany, 1850-1864*

Commentators: Johannes Gramlich, Jeremy Best

8:00 pm

**Conference Dinner**

Dupont Circle Hotel -- Café Dupont  
1500 New Hampshire Ave. NW, Washington, D.C. 20036  
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**FRIDAY, MAY 4**

8:15 – 9:00 am Breakfast

9:00 – 10:45 am **Panel 4**

Chair: CLELIA CARUSO (GHI)

JOHANNES GRAMLICH (Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität München)  
*Entstehung, Entwicklung und Funktionieren des Kunstmarktes: vom  
19. Jahrhundert bis zum Ersten Weltkrieg*

MEGAN MCCARTHY (Columbia University)  
*Modern Design for Newark from the Rhine: German Applied Arts and  
Progressive Museum Practice in America*

Commentators: Matthew Bunn, April Trask

10:45 – 11:15 am Coffee Break

11:15 am – 1:00 pm **Panel 5**

Chair: CHRISTINA LUBINSKI (GHI)

FELIZITAS SCHAUB (Humboldt Universität zu Berlin)  
*Topographien der Bewegung im urbanen Raum: Berlin um 1900*

BARRY HANEBERG (University of Chicago)  
*Protestant Welfare for Maidservants and Migrant Women: Marthashof  
and Maidservant Homes*

Commentators: Arno Becker, Alice Goff

1:00 pm Lunch

Free afternoon

## **SATURDAY, MAY 5**

8:15 – 9:00 am Breakfast

9:00 – 10:45 am **Panel 6**

Chair: FRANK MÜLLER

INKA LE-HUU (Universität Hamburg)  
*Jüdisch-christlich Begegnung als kultureller Code: Die Debatte um  
einen Dienstmädchenverein 1842 in Hamburg*

ALBERT WU (University of California, Berkeley)  
*Ernst Faber and the Consequences of Failure: A Study in Changes in  
Nineteenth Century German Missionary Culture*

Commentators: Felizitas Schaub, Anna Ross

10:45 – 11:15 am Coffee Break

11:15 am – 1:00 pm **Panel 7**

Chair: MONIKA WIENFORT

KATHERINE HUBLER (Boston College)  
*“The Woman Question is also a Men’s Question”: The Promise and  
Problem of Male Allies of Wilhelmine Feminism*

APRIL TRASK (University of California, Irving)  
*Transforming the Sexual Body: Medicine, Glands and Gonads*

Commentators: Barry Haneberg, Janine Murphy

1:00 – 2:30 pm

Lunch

2:30 – 4:15 pm

**Panel 8**

Chair: JAMES BROPHY

JONAS KREIENBAUM (Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin)

*Koloniale Konzentrationslager um 1900. Wissenstransfers,  
gemeinsame koloniale Kultur und geteilte strukturelle Probleme*

JEREMY BEST (University of Maryland, College Park)

*Founding a Heavenly Empire: Raising Missionsgeist and Mission  
Funds in the Heimat*

Commentators: Megan McCarthy, Nina Reusch

4:15 – 4:45 pm

Coffee Break

4:45 – 6:00 pm

**Concluding Discussion**

7:30 – 10:00 pm

**Farewell Dinner**

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