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11 – 12 January 2024

Mary Ward House Conference and Exhibition Centre
5-7 Tavistock Place
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PROGRAMME

THURSDAY 11 JANUARY 2024

09.30-12.30 Palaeography Course (Dr Claudia Wedepohl, Archivist, The Warburg Institute)

12.30-13.15 Lunch

13.15-13.30 **Welcome and Introduction** by
CHRISTINA VON HODENBERG & INDRA SENGUPTA (GHIL)

SESSION I: STEPHAN BRUHN (GHIL)

13.30-14.00 Veronika Lahodinski

The Meanings of Excrements in England and the German countries 1470-1720

14.00-14.30 Harry O'Neill

Selfhood and Subjectivity in the Visions of Ursula Jost, 1524-1532

SESSION II: MARCUS MEER (GHIL)

14.30-15.00 Marvin Muensch

The Anglo-Prussian Relations during the American Revolutionary War, 1775 - 1783

15.00-15.30 J Michael Phillips

The Transformation of the Prussian Artillery 1860-1875

15.30-15.50 **BREAK**

SESSION III: MIRJAM HAEHNLE (GHIL)

15.50-16.20 Shamsher S. Bhangal

German Historicism and the National Project after Bismarck, 1890-1933

16.20-16.50 Friederike Schwelle

Modern Jews and Ancient Egypt: Patrons, Collectors and Scholars in Europe c1880-1950

SESSION IV: PASCALE SIEGRIST (GHIL)

16.50-17.20 Robbie Spiers

'Doctors of Philosophy: Therapies for a Century of Crisis'

17.20-17.50 Xiaojue Michelle Zhu

The 'Criminal' Other?: The Politics of Citizenship in the Visual Culture of the Weimar Republic

18.15-18.45 **Introduction to the GHIL Library, 17 Bloomsbury Square**

18.45- 19.45 **RECEPTION at the GHIL**

FRIDAY 12 JANUARY 2024

- SESSION V: CLEMENS VILLINGER (GHIL)**
09.30-10.00 Abbey Rees-Hales
(S)Ex-Libris: Women Artists and the Trade in Erotic Illustrated Books in Interwar Germany and France
- 10.00-10.30 Emma Teworte
The Criminalisation of Abortion in Germany, c. 1933-1950s
- 10.30-11.00 **BREAK**
- SESSION VI: MIRJAM BRUSIUS (GHIL)**
11.00-11.30 Désirée Paola Hotz
The lived experience of masculinity in the daily lives of the NS-Paramilitary Members, 1933-1939
- 11.30-12.00 Nicolas Garraud
Laughing Beyond the Walls: Humour and Laughter in the Warsaw Ghetto (1939-1943)
- 12.00-13.00 **LUNCH**
- SESSION VII: MARKUS MOESSLANG (GHIL)**
13.00-13.30 Jack Traynor
Seán Russell and the Irish Republican Movement during the darkening international scene of the 1930s
- 13.30-14.00 Jake Holliday
Security of the German Soldier: The Changing Character of Wehrmacht Security Measures on the Eastern Front, 1941 - 1943
- 14.00-14.30 **BREAK**
- SESSION VIII: OLE MUENCH (GHIL)**
14.30-15.00 Mairead Barrett
Power, Politics and Peace of mind: The study of how German financial integration into the global economy before 1914 shaped debates about German national security
- 15.00-15.30 Edward Knudsen
Gravedigger of the Present: Historical Memory and the Making of the Neoliberal Economic Order
- 15.30- 16.00 Oliver Puckey
The Reception and Reimagining of German Music in Britain, 1820-60
- 16.00 CLOSING REMARKS
- 16.30 **CONFERENCE END**