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Past Futures

Historical Approaches to the Analysis of Uncertainties and Ruptures

Conference organized by the SIEF-Working-Group „Historical
Approaches in Cultural Analysis“ and the Department of History
and European Ethnology of the University of Innsbruck

29-30th of September 2022, University of Innsbruck, Austria

Conference Venue: New Orleans Lecture Hall (1st floor, room: 1119),
Main University Building, Innsbruck University, Innrain 52

Conference Program

Thursday, 29 September 2022

- 10:00 **SIEF-Working Group Meeting**
“Historical Approaches in Cultural Analysis”
Pre-Conference-Meeting for members of the HACA-WG
(Room: 52U109SR, open to anyone interested)
- 12:00 Lunch break (individual)
- 13:30 **Arrival and get-together**
- 14:00–14:15 **Opening Remarks**
Konrad Kuhn (University of Innsbruck, Austria)
- 14:15–15:30 **Session I**
Years without history. Female futures in the aftermath of the Second World War
Anna Leyrer (University of Vienna, Austria)
Creating the present and imagining the future in Warsaw during the Revolution of 1905
Clara M. Frysztacka (European University Viadrina Frankfurt/Oder, Germany)
- 15:30–16:00 Coffee break
- 16:00–17:15 **Session II**
Crisis in Past Futures: Eugène Pittard and Anthropology in Turkey in the 1930s
Hande Birkalan Gedik (Goethe University Frankfurt, Germany)
Did sixteenth-century merchants never let a good crisis go to waste?
Jeroen Puttevils (University of Antwerp, Belgium)
- 17:15–18:45 Break and individual city-walk
- 18:45 Conference-Dinner at Restaurant Glasmalerei, Glasmalereistraße 3, 6020 Innsbruck, <https://restaurant-bar-glasmalerei.business.site>

Friday, 30 June 2022

- 09:15–09:30 Arrival and Coffee
- 09:30–10:45 **Session III**
Cyclical Repetition or an Open Future? A Future Horizon During an Outbreak of the Plague in the 16th Century
Max-Quentin Bischoff (University of Antwerp, Belgium)
Nineteenth-Century Cholera Epidemics in Sweden from Popular Perspective
Anders Gustavsson (University of Oslo, Norway)
- 10:45–11:15 Coffee break
- 11:15–12:30 **Session IV**
The concept of a normal life in Yugonostalgic memory narratives
Milica Popović (Central European University Vienna, Austria)
Negotiating the future from below. The diary of a 19th century miller
Katre Kikas (Estonian Literary Museum Tartu, Estonia)
- 12:30–13:30 Lunch break (individual)
- 13:30–14:45 **Session V**
“No heritage, no Future”: Time and Loss in Beirut
Katarzyna Puzon (LMU Munich, Germany)
“Won’t you burn out on a holiday in tropics?”: Social and systemic denial of a burnout society (and individual)
Mateja Habinc (University of Ljubljana, Slovenia)
- 14:45–15:15 Coffee break
- 15:15–16:00 Wrap up and future plans
- 16:00 Optional get-together at “Uni Café Innsbruck”