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14TH CENTRAL EUROPEAN WORKSHOP – BRIDGING EARLY MODERN
HISTORY FOR YOUNG HISTORIANS FROM AUSTRIA, BULGARIA, THE
CZECH REPUBLIC, HUNGARY, SLOVAKIA, SLOVENIA, AND UKRAINE IN
EARLY MODERN HISTORY

NEW PERSPECTIVES ON
CENTRAL EUROPEAN HISTORY OF
THE EARLY MODERN PERIOD



PROGRAMME

THURSDAY, 26 JUNE

14:00	Welcome and Introduction Katrin Keller, Arno Strohmeyer
	SECTION I <i>Chair: Martin Scheutz</i>
14:15–15:00	Petr Klesal Masaryk University Brno <i>The Office of Governor in the Habsburg Monarchy around 1620 in Comparative Research</i>
15:00–15:45	Constanze Rammer University of Graz <i>Josephinism in the Province. On the publicistic controversy between Aquilin Julius Caesar and Franz Xaver Neupauer in the years 1785–1788</i>
15:45–16:15	COFFEE BREAK
	SECTION II <i>Chair: András Forgo</i>
16:15–17:00	Dariia Datsenko Taras-Schewtschenko-National University Kyiv <i>The social aspects of the persecution of witches in Germany in the XV–XVI centuries</i>
17:00–17:45	Dániel László Kovács University of Pécs <i>How to define a local elite? The case study of one county in pre-Reform Era Hungary</i>
18:30	Dinner

FRIDAY, 27 JUNE

	SECTION III <i>Chair: Peter Fedorčák</i>
09:00–09:45	Laila Dandachi University of Salzburg <i>Symbolic Representation and Diplomacy: The Historical Context of Military Parade Arms and Armor in Medieval and Early Modern Islamic Empires</i>
09:45–10:30	Erika Öner University of Szeged <i>Attacks on the Market Fairs at the End of the 16th Century in the Light of Ottoman-Turkish Sources</i>
10:30–11:00	COFFEE BREAK
	SECTION IV <i>Chair: Lena Oetzel</i>
11:00–11:45	Viktor Sinka Eötvös-Lorand-University Budapest <i>The intensification of the Habsburg-Ottoman border conflict in the Bosnian region in the early 1590s, based on the reports of the Habsburg ambassador to Constantinople</i>
11:45–12:30	Michael Vogelsberger IHB, OeAW <i>Bridging Empires: „Habsburg-Ottoman Relations and the Question of Permanent Embassies in Vienna (1790s–1830s)</i>
12:30–13:30	Lunch (Buffet at IHB)
	SECTION V <i>Chair: Maria Baramova</i>
13:30–14:15	Luka Dremelj University of Ljubljana <i>The House of Lamberg in Carniola (1326–1809)</i>
14:15–15:00	Stefan Feichtinger University of Vienna <i>Fight books in the early modern period – transfer of knowledge through northern Italian fencing manuals</i>

15:00–15:45	Johannes Neuwirth University of Graz <i>Das Recht der Langen Spieße – Judgement by the Pikes: Democratic Elements in the Military Law System in Early Modern Europe</i>
16:00	Special Guided Tour of the Wien Museum 1040 Vienna, Karlsplatz 4, Sarah Pichlkastner
19:00	Dinner

SATURDAY, 28 JUNE

	SECTION VI <i>Chair: Tomáš Knoz</i>
09:00–09:45	Alexander Zhabov University of Sofia „St. Kliment Ohridski“ <i>The Athonite printer Dionisie Iviritul (d. 1672) – notes on the importance of the Balkan monastic networks for the formation of the Greek-Slavonic-Romanian cultural commonwealth in 17th-century Eastern Europe</i>
09:45–10:30	Luisa Richter University of Vienna <i>Prayer Books as Artifacts of Religious Practices and Identity Formation (1700–1850)</i>
10:30–10:45	COFFEE BREAK
	<i>Chair: Stefano Saracino</i>
10:45–11:30	Marcus Gründlinger University of Salzburg <i>„in dißer so gefährlichen vndt sehr tewren zeit“. The Entanglement of Mediality and Crisis Management in the Correspondence of the Imperial Resident Daniel Johann Kramprich in The Hague during the „Year of Disaster“ 1672</i>
11:30–12:15	Mária Hudčeková Masaryk University Brno <i>Transoceanic missions of members of the Bohemian Province of the Society of Jesus in present-day Mexico</i>
12:15	Final discussion – perspectives