

New York State
Association
of
European Historians

Fifty-Third Annual Conference

Friday, September 26
and
Saturday, September 27, 2003

SUNY Oswego

Oswego, New York

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Friday, September 26

All events will take place in the Hewitt Union at SUNY Oswego

4:30 pm Registration, Forum Restaurant Foyer

5:00-6:00 pm Social Hour, Forum Restaurant Foyer

6:00-7:30 pm Dinner, Forum Restaurant

7:30-9:00 pm Panel Discussion: “Rethinking History”

Formal Lounge

Please read John Lewis Gaddis’s *The Landscape of History: How Historians Map the Past* in preparation for the panel discussion

Discussion Leaders: James Valone, Canisius College

Georg Iggers, SUNY Buffalo (?)

Saturday, September 27

8:00-10:00 am Registration and Continental Breakfast

Forum, Hewitt Union

All sessions will take place in Hewitt Union. Room numbers will be available at Registration.

Session 1: 8:30 - 10:15 am

Panel 1A: *Church and State*

Room TBA

Chair: Luther Peterson, SUNY Oswego

“Church & State in 18th Century Brandenburg-Prussia: The Halle Testimonial System”
Tom Bach, Syracuse University

“Between Social Divinity and Divine Society: Catholic Solutions to Republican Predicaments in the Thought of P.J.B. Buchez”
Michael Behrent, New York University

“Hobbes vs. Bramhall: A Civil War-Interregnum Debate on Church and State”
Nicholas Jackson, Syracuse University

Comment: Luther Peterson, SUNY Oswego

Panel 1B: *Ethical Issues and German Policy*

Room TBA

Chair: Greta Bucher, United States Military Academy

“Cutting Down the Oak”
Andrew Aiken, United States Military Academy

“War Criminals or Elite Soldiers”
Erik Luedtke, United States Military Academy

“Vatican Concessions to Hitler”
Michael Nemeth, United States Military Academy

Comment: Greta Bucher, United States Military Academy

Panel 1C: *Cold War Crises*

Room TBA

Chair: Chris Mack, SUNY Oswego

“Best Friends: John F. Kennedy, Harold Macmillan and the Threat of War in Cuba and China”

David Devereux, Canisius College

“The Ideal of Italian Citizenship and Masculinity in the Bicycle Thieves”

Sarah McLean-Plunkett, ??

“The Fork in the Road: British Reactions to the Election of Apartheid Government in South Africa, May 1948”

Nicholas Waddy, Alfred State

Comment: Chris Mack, SUNY Oswego

10:15 - 10:30 am Break

Session 2 10:30 am - noon

Panel 2A: *Russia in the International Arena*

Room TBA

Chair: Ed Judge, LeMoyne College

“They Shall Beat their Swords into Ploughshares”

Andrew Glenn, United States Military Academy

“Narrowing the Chasm:

Ivan Hodes, United States Military Academy

Comment: Ed Judge, LeMoyne College

Panel 2B: *Cultural & Political Exchanges in 17th & 18th Century Europe*

Room TBA

Chair: David Devereux, Canisius College

“The Polish Tsar: Wladyslaw Vasa’s Expedition to Moscow 1617-1619”

Tomasz Kolodziej, Georgetown University

“In the Service of Two Different Gods: Jesuit Mission in China”

Yu Liu, Niagara Community College

“A Tale of Two Prisoners”

Andrew Nicholls, Buffalo State College

Comment: David Devereux, Canisius College

Panel 2C: *Post World War II Germany*
Room TBA

Chair: Barry Jackisch, Gannon University

“Dialogical Inroads and the GDR Intellectual Landscape: The Case of Jürgen Kuczynski”

Axel Fair-Schulz, University of Buffalo

“The Influence of the German Collective Memory on Germany’s Foreign Policy Regarding the Independence of Croatia and Slovenia in 1990-1991”

Martin Larose, University of Montreal

“Turks, Blacks, and Cowboys: Foreign Men’s Bodies in German Advertising”

Stefan Zahlmann, Humbolt University, Berlin

Comment: Barry Jackisch, Gannon University

Panel 2D: *Cultural Perceptions: 2 Views*

Room TBA

Chair: TBA

“Adalbert Fric”

Ute Ferrier, Ithaca College

“The Epitome of a Just Society: Ruskin’s Val D’ Arno”

Jennifer Lloyd, SUNY College at Brockport

Comment: TBA

12:15 – 1:30 pm Lunch and Business Meeting

Forum Restaurant, Hewitt Union

Session 3: 1:30 - 3:00 pm

Panel 3A: ***Women in Europe***
Room TBA

Chair: Cissie Fairchilds, Syracuse University

“The Secular Jewish Family and its Influence on the Writings of Simone Weil (1909-1943), Hannah Arendt (1906-1975) and Ayn Rand (1905-1982)”

Kathleen Carleton Johnson, University of South Africa

“Emancipation of Women in GDR (German Democratic Republic)”

Susanne Kranz, Southeast Missouri State University

“An Unsuitable Job for a Lady: Emilie du Châtelet, Female Scientist”

Leigh Whaley, Acadia University

Comment: Cissie Fairchilds, Syracuse University

Panel 3B: ***Legacies of World War I***
Room TBA

Chair: Stanislao Pugliese, Hofstra University

“The European Peace Award of 1924”

Carl Bouchard, University of Montreal

“Issues Facing Early Italian Diplomacy 1922-24”

Frederick Dotolo, St. John Fisher College

“The French Mediterranean Strategy on the Eve of the Second World War”

Martin Laberge, University of Montreal

Comment: Stanislao Pugliese, Hofstra University

Panel 3C: ***Manifestations of Nationalism in late 20th Century***
Room TBA

Chair: Mark Kulikowski, SUNY Oswego

“Peace and Justice in the Former Yugoslavia before the Dayton Accords”

Zdenka Gredel-Manuele, Niagara University

“Violence in Post-Communist Russia: War and Terrorism ”

Irina Mukhina, Boston College

“Greater Serbian and Greater Albanian Nationalism”

Vladimir Ortakovski, University of Sts. Cyril and Methodius Skopje, Macedonia

Comment: Mark Kulikowski, SUNY Oswego

3:00 pm Adjourn

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Take I-81 south to Route 104; follow Route 104 west through Oswego to campus.

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Take I-90 (New York State Thruway) west to Exit 34A (vicinity of Syracuse). Proceed north on Route 481 through Fulton to Route 104 in Oswego. Follow Route 104 west to campus.

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The closest airport is Syracuse Hancock International (26 miles from Oswego). Amtrak also serves the Syracuse Regional Transportation Center.

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Registration Fee _____ @ \$20.00 = _____
Students _____ @ \$10.00 = _____
Friday Dinner _____ @ \$30.00 = _____
Choice: ___ meat ___ seafood ___ vegetarian
Saturday Lunch _____ @ \$15.00 = _____
Total _____

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