

SEPARATED BEDS – INTERWOVEN PROPERTY

DIVORCE IN CONTEXT | 1600-1900

1/2 OCTOBER 2021

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Property
Livestock
lottery
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proceedings
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mortgages
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Venue

University of Vienna, Hauptgebäude (Main Building),
Second Floor, Seminarraum Geschichte 2 (Seminar Room History 2)

Convener

Andrea Griesebner

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Department of Economic and Social History
Research Group "Figurations of Inequality"



Friday, 1 October 2021

- 13:00 Reception & Registration
13:30 Welcome & Greetings | Sebastian Schütze & Annemarie Steidl & Thomas Angerer (Vienna)
Introduction | Andrea Griesebner (Vienna)

Session 1: Early | Modern Europe (Catholic)

Chair: *Margareth Lanzinger*

- 14:00 Nere Jone Intxaustegi Jauregi (Bilbao) | Divorce in Early Modern Bilbao
14:45 Susanne Hehenberger & Andrea Griesebner (Vienna) | Separated Beds – Interwoven Property: Divorce in the Habsburg Monarchy
15:30 *Coffee Break*
16:00 Claire Chatelain (Paris) | Judicial Divisions and Material Challenges in France between the 16th and 18th Centuries
16:45 Marie Malherbe (Rouen | Vienna) | Interwoven Religious and Civil Divorce Trials: A Venetian Case Study (1785)
17:30 *Coffee Break*

18:00 **Keynote** | Maria Ågren (Uppsala) | Married Women's Work on the Threshold of Modern Society: Continuities and Change
20:00 *Dinner*

Saturday, 2 October 2021

Session 2: Early | Modern Europe (Islam & Orthodox)

Chair: *Nathalie Soursos*

- 09:00 Gamze Yavuzer Eper (Baltimore) | The Indistinct Line between Marriage and Divorce: The Ambiguous Nature of Marital Status in the Seventeenth Century Ottoman Empire

- 09:45 Evdoxios Doxiades (Burnaby) | The Influence of Islamic Law on Greek Orthodox Divorce under Ottoman Rule

10:30 *Coffee Break*

Chair: *Börries Kuzmany*

- 11:00 Ninja Bumann (Vienna) | Divorce under Sharia Law and its Economic Context in Habsburg Bosnia and Herzegovina (1878-1918)
11:45 Daniela Detesan (Cluj-Napoca) | Canonical Procedure of Matrimony Dissolution in the Transylvanian Orthodox Church (Second Half of the 19th Century)
12:30 *Lunch*

Session 3: Early Modern Europe (Protestant)

Chair: *Waltraud Schütz*

- 13:30 Krista Kesselring & Tim Stretton (Halifax) | Separations and Property in England, 1500-1750: Jointure, Dower and Private Contracts
14:30 Iris Fleßenkämper (Münster) | Enduring Animosity: Negotiating Post-separation Conflicts in the German County of Lippe (17th-18th century)
15:15 *Coffee Break*

Session 4: Modern Europe (Semi-secular & Catholic)

Chair: *Ellinor Forster*

- 15:45 Jessica Reich (Trento) & Zuzana Pavelkova (Pardubice) | Laws and Proceedings: The Marriage Courts of Prag and Trento
16:30 Birgit Dober (Vienna) | Material Matters: Dissolution of Economical Ties in the Context of Divorces in Rural Lower Austria in the 1930s

17:15 Concluding discussion
19:00 *Dinner*