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Inaugural Conference of the Anglo-Taiwanese Historians Group

Wednesday 31 - Friday 2 September 2016

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Wednesday 31 August 2016

1.00pm

Arrival and Refreshments

1.25pm

Welcome and Introduction

1.30pm

Past and Present

The Present State of the Study of World History in Taiwan

Prof. Su-Hsien Yang (National Taiwan University)

A Reconstruction of the Battle of Marathon: History and Archaeology

Chia-Lin Hsu (Tung Hai University)

2.30pm

British Empire in Asia

The British Empire in Asia: An Oriental Perspective

Juo-Yung Lee (National Taipei University)

British Policy in the Neutral Zone of Iran 1907-1914

Li-Chiao Chen (Royal Holloway, University of London)

Networks of Capital: Foreign Bankers and China's Financial Internationalisation, 1885-1919

Ghassan Moazzin (University of Cambridge)

4.00pm

Break

Wolfson Room II

4.30pm

Women's History

Mix and Match: Women's Fashion and the Gender Controversy in Seventeenth-Century England

May-Shine Lin (National Chengchi University)

Elite mercantile women's attire in London, c. 1580-1630

Ioanna Tsakiropoulou (Lincoln College, Oxford and Haberdashers' Aske's Boys' School)

The Development of Dower Claims Suits in Medieval England

Sheng-Yen Lu (Institute of Historical Research)

6.00pm

Plenary Session 1

British Historians and Words: the Linguistic Turn, Conceptual History and new Digital Resources

Prof. Joanna Innes (Oxford University)

7.15pm

Conference Reception

IHR Common Room

Thursday 1 September 2016

09.00am

Arrival and Refreshments

09.30am

German History

The Reproduction of the Primitive and Savage: The 'Human Zoo' in the German Empire

Pi-Wen Wu (National Taipei University)

Poisonous Torte for Comrade Béla Kun: The Politics of Law and Order in Revolutionary Austria 1919-1920

Ke-Chin Hsia (Indiana University, Bloomington)

German Ideas of Human Prehistory 1850-1914

Dr. Chris Manias (King's College London)

11.00am

Break

Wolfson Room II

11.30am

Plenary Session 2

From National History to Global History (and back again)

Prof. Richard Drayton (King's College London)

12.45pm

Lunch

1.30pm

French History

Witchcraft in France 1789-1940

Dr. Will Pooley (University of Bristol)

Manet's Boy Portraits and Bourgeois Childhood in Mid-Nineteenth Century Paris

Chiao-Mei Liu (National Taiwan University)

The Sociability and Politicisation of Miners in the Valenciennois 1876-1884

Wei-Hsi Chang (Universite Paris I)

3.00pm

Break

Wolfson Room II

Please note that the IHR will provide all refreshments at break times, but delegates wishing to attend the conference will need to provide their own lunch

3.30pm

19th Century Britain

The Comparison of Trade Union between UK and Taiwan during the First Stage of Its History
Prof. Wen-Hsia Wang (National Cheng Kung University)

Constructing England's reformed electoral map: the 1832 Reform Act and the boundary commission
Martin Spychal (Institute of Historical Research)

Old corruption to Reformed parliament: continuity and change in the Palace of Westminster, 1830-1860
Rebecca Moore (Institute of Historical Research)

Pensions in the Post Office: The Debates and Constraints of the 19th Century Civil Service Pensions
Kathleen McIvenna (Institute of Historical Research)

5.30pm

Plenary Session 3

The political economy of the British state: long-run perspectives on transformations since 1970
Professor Martin Daunton (Cambridge University)

Friday 2 September 2016 - Day 5

09.00am

Arrival and Refreshments

09.30am

Britain and America in the 18th Century

The Debate on the Union of 1707 in the Context of Daniel Defoe's Political Economy

Chien-Yuan Chen (University of Edinburgh)

The Failure to Resolve the American Crisis 1763-1775

Prof. Harry Dickinson (University of Edinburgh)

The Fear of Anarchy: Loyalist Concepts of Limited Liberty

Cho-Chien Feng (Saint Louis University)

11.00am

Break

Wolfson Room II

11.30am

Plenary Session 4

'Can History inform Public Policy?

Prof. Pat Thane (King's College London)

12.45pm

Lunch

1.30pm

Intellect and Culture in 20th Century Britain

From Philology through Phonetics to Linguistics: The Transformation of Language Studies in Britain in the First Half of the Twentieth Century

Ku-Ming Chang (Institute of History and Philology, Academia Sinica)

Idealism, Professionalism and the Development of Workers' Educational Association Tutorial Classes 1909-1945

Chih-Hao Lee (Cambridge University)

Populist social history in Britain, c. 1918-69

Dr. Laura Carter (King's College London)

3.00pm

Plenary Discussion

3.30pm

Break & Conference End

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