



The Fourth German-Russian Week of the Young Researcher

“Global History” German-Russian Perspectives on Regional Studies

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Welcome to the „4th German-Russian Week of the Young Researcher“!

Dear colleagues from Russia and Germany,

We would like to offer you a warm welcome to this, our „4th German-Russian Week of the Young Researcher“! When we convened the German-Russian Year of Science“, three years ago, the idea was born to invite young researchers from both countries to come together to discuss current topics of mutual interest. Since then it has grown from strength to strength. The success of the first week in Kazan encouraged us to turn it into an annual event. The following years we met in Ekaterinburg (2012) and in Novosibirsk (2013). The main goal of these meetings is to foster collaboration among young scientists and researchers who will be setting the agenda of scientific cooperation between Russia and Germany in the near future.

Research organizations and institutions of higher education of both our countries will be presenting their funding programmes and describing the platforms that they can offer to both Russian and German PhD students or PostDoctoral researchers. The over arching principle behind these presentations is to facilitate collaboration and to broaden research networks.

We have chosen the “northern capital” of Russia, Saint Petersburg, as the venue for our 4th German-Russian Week with good reason. Not only is St. Petersburg one of the leading scientific centres in Russia, but it is also closely linked to the topic of our discussion. In contrast to previous meetings, which focused on topics from the fields of engineering, energy or health, during this 4th German-Russian Week we will be debating on historical issues in various regions of the world. Bearing in mind that 2014 commemorates the 100th anniversary of the start of the First World War, which saw the fall of several European Empires, we considered it to be relevant and scientifically attractive to invite young historians to discuss modern approaches towards research on empires. The regions that we will be covering under the general theme of „Global history – Russian-German Perspectives on Regional Studies“ include Europe, Africa, Latin America and Asia.

We would like to express our deepest gratitude to St. Petersburg State University and its academic hospitality, to the Consulate General of Germany in St. Petersburg for its kind support, as well as to the Russian Foundation for the Humanities (RFH) and the Council of Young Scientists of the Russian Academy of Sciences (YRAS). And, of course, we thank all of you, the participants, for your involvement and cooperation in this conference.

СПАСИБО ВАМ!

Dr. Gregor Berghorn



German Academic Exchange Service
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October 5, Sunday		
	Arrival of Participants	<i>Hotel "Domina Prestige", Moika River Emb. 99</i>
12:00	Light Lunch	<i>Restaurant, Hotel "Domina Prestige", Moika River Emb. 99</i>
13:00	Excursion and Sightseeing Tour Catherine Palace and Museum of World War I, Tsarskoye Selo	<i>5a Fermskaya Street, Pushkin</i>
19:00	Words of Welcome to the participants of the week by <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dr. Gregor Berghorn, DAAD Moscow • Dr. Martin Krispin, DWIH Moscow • Dr. Jörn Achterberg, DFG Moscow 	<i>Hotel "Domina Prestige", Moika River Emb. 99</i>
October 6, Monday		
09:30	Registration of Participants at Saint Petersburg State University (SPSU)	<i>SPSU, Universitetskaya nab., building 7-9</i>
10:00	Official Opening of the Week with welcome addresses by <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prof. Dr. Nikolai Kropachev, Rector of SPSU • Dr. Heike Peitsch, Consul General of the Federal Republic of Germany in St. Petersburg • Prof. Dr. Margret Wintermantel, President of the DAAD • Prof. Dr. Peter Funke, Vice-President of the DFG • Dr. Yury Vorotnikov, Deputy Chairman of the Board of the Russian Foundation of Humanities (RFH) 	<i>SPSU, Universitetskaya nab., building 7-9, Aktovy zal</i>

11:00	<p>"The History of Modern Empires in a Global Perspective. Comparisons and Entanglements"</p> <p>Prof. Dr. Martin Schulze Wessel Chair of Eastern European History, Department of History, Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität, München</p> <p>- Discussion -</p>	SPSU, Universitetskaya nab., building 7-9, Aktovy zal
12:00	<p>"The EU Eastern Partnership: A Soft Power Empire's Project?"</p> <p>Prof. Dr. Aleksandr A. Sergunin Chair for Theory and History of International Relations, Department of International Relations, St. Petersburg State University</p> <p>- Discussion -</p>	SPSU, Universitetskaya nab., building 7-9, Aktovy zal
13:00	Lunch	
14:00	<p>Introductory Remarks to The Fourth German-Russian "Week of the Young Researcher"</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prof. Dr. Margret Wintermantel, President of the DAAD • Prof. Dr. Peter Funke, Vice-President of the DFG 	SPSU, Universitetskaya nab., building 7-9, Petrovsky zal
14:30	<p>Short Lectures of Young Researchers</p> <p>Chair:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prof. Dr. Martin Schulze Wessel, LMU München • Prof. Dr. Aleksandr A. Sergunin, SPSU <p>Mochalov, Artur: "Transforming Diversity into Solidarity: Federal Empires and State-building in Multinational Societies"</p> <p>Toganova, Natalja: "Comparative Economic Studies and German Unification: Has the <i>Systemvergleich</i> Been Abandoned and Has the (US-) Economic Imperialism Won?"</p> <p>Gleixner, Johannes: "Forced Continuity: Religion, Legitimacy, and the Post-Imperial State. The Cases of Czechoslovakia and Soviet Russia"</p>	SPSU, Universitetskaya nab., building 7-9, Petrovsky zal

16:00	Coffee Break	
16:30-17:30	<p>Short Lectures of Young Researchers</p> <p>Marchukov, Aleksandr: "Public Diplomacy 2.0 as a Tool of Contemporary Imperial Policy"</p> <p>Popov, Vadim: "Areas Open to Violence and Markets of Violence: Historical Reach of a Sociological Concept"</p>	<p><i>SPSU, Universitetskaya nab., building 7-9, Petrovsky zal</i></p>
19:00	Evening Reception	<p><i>Peter & Paul Fortress, Atrium</i></p>
October 7, Tuesday		
09:00	<p>Presentation of St. Petersburg State University</p> <p>Dr. Aleksey Zavarzin, Vice-Rector, Press Secretary, SPSU</p>	<p><i>SPSU, Vasilevsky Island, 22 linia, building 7, Aktovy zal</i></p>
09:30	<p>Presentation of St. Petersburg Scientific Centre of the Russian Academy of Sciences (RAS)</p> <p>Dr. Natalya Tyurnina, Chairperson of the Council of Young Scientists and Specialists (YRAS), St. Petersburg</p>	<p><i>SPSU, Vasilevsky Island, 22 linia, building 7, Aktovy zal</i></p>
10:00	<p>Presentation of Higher School of Economics in St. Petersburg (HSE SPb)</p> <p>Olga I. Okulova, Director, Center for International Cooperation</p>	<p><i>SPSU, Vasilevsky Island, 22 linia, building 7, Aktovy zal</i></p>
10:30	<p>DWIH Moskau Deutsches Haus für Wissenschaft und Innovation German Centre for Research and Innovation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dr. Gregor Berghorn, Managing Director • Dr. Jörn Achterberg, Deputy Director 	<p><i>SPSU, Vasilevsky Island, 22 linia, building 7, Aktovy zal</i></p>
11:00	Coffee Break	
11:30	<p>"Practicing Humanities Abroad. The German Historical Institute in Moscow"</p> <p>Prof. Dr. Nikolaus Katzer German Historical Institute, DHI Moscow</p> <p><i>- Discussion -</i></p>	<p><i>SPSU, Vasilevsky Island, 22 linia, building 7, Aktovy zal</i></p>

12:15	<p>"Imperial Decay or Renewal: Regionalism, Autonomism, and Federalism in the Russian Empire"</p> <p>Prof. Dr. Aleksandr M. Semyonov Center for Historical Research, Dean of Faculty of History, Higher School of Economics in St. Petersburg</p> <p>- Discussion -</p>	SPSU, Vasilievsky Island, 22 linia, building 7, Aktovy zal
13:00	Lunch	
14:00-15:30	<p>Short Lectures of Young Researchers</p> <p>Chair:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prof. Dr. Nikolaus Katzer, DHI Moscow • Prof. Dr. Aleksandr M. Semyonov, HSE SPb <p>Davies, Franziska: "Muslims in the Russian army, 1874 – 1917 – Global Perspectives "</p> <p>Kotenko, Anton: "The Romanov Empire as a Decentralized State"</p> <p>Sablin, Ivan: "Post-Imperial Projects in Siberia and Mongolia 1911-1924"</p>	SPSU, Vasilievsky Island, 22 linia, building 7, Aktovy zal
15:30	Coffee Break	
16:00-17:30	<p>Short Lectures of Young Researchers</p> <p>Shadursky, Andrey: "Does the Shale Revolution Mean the End of the <i>Russian Energy Empire?</i>"</p> <p>Makhotina, Yekaterina: "Fallen Heroes still Fighting: Imperial Legacy of the History Politics for the Russian-Baltic Relations"</p> <p>Yakubova, Lala: "Social Policy of Great Britain after World War II: Models, Priority Orientations, Realization Mechanisms"</p>	SPSU, Vasilievsky Island, 22 linia, building 7, Aktovy zal

October 8, Wednesday		
09:00	<p>Presentation of Freie Universität Berlin</p> <p>Tobias Stüdemann, Head of Liaison Office of Freie Universität Berlin in Moscow</p>	<p><i>SPSU, Vasilievsky Island, 22 linia, building 7, Aktovy zal</i></p>
09:30	<p>"The End of Imperial China in Global History"</p> <p>Prof. Dr. Klaus Mühlhahn Seminar of East Asian Studies, Department of History and Cultural Studies, Freie Universität Berlin</p> <p><i>- Discussion -</i></p>	<p><i>SPSU, Vasilievsky Island, 22 linia, building 7, Aktovy zal</i></p>
10:30	<p>"Global Histories of Empire: Promises and Challenges"</p> <p>Prof. Dr. Sebastian Conrad Chair of Modern History, Friedrich Meinecke Institute, Department of History and Cultural Studies, Freie Universität Berlin</p> <p><i>- Discussion -</i></p>	<p><i>SPSU, Vasilievsky Island, 22 linia, building 7, Aktovy zal</i></p>
11:30	Coffee Break	
12:00	<p>"Russian Images of China (Historical and Contemporary): Ambivalence of Perceptions"</p> <p>Professor Dr. Nikolay A. Samoylov Head of the Department of Theory of Asian and African Social Development, Faculty for Oriental Studies, St. Petersburg State University</p> <p><i>- Discussion -</i></p>	<p><i>SPSU, Vasilievsky Island, 22 linia, building 7, Aktovy zal</i></p>
12:45	Lunch	

13:30	<p>Short Lectures of Young Researchers</p> <p>Chair:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prof. Dr. Nikolay A. Samoylov, SPSU • Dr. Torsten Fischer, Group of Humanities and Social Sciences, DFG Bonn <p>Tutnova, Tatyana: "How China's Space Activities May Influence International Relations"</p> <p>Malashevskaya, Maria: "Japan's Diplomacy Conceptions Towards Russia in 1990s and the <i>Suzuki group</i>"</p> <p>Rysakova, Polina: "History of Chinese traditional education"</p> <p>Korell, Emmelie: "Historiography in Travel Guidebooks"</p>	<p><i>SPSU, Vasilievsky Island, 22 linia, building 7, Aktovy zal</i></p>
15:30	Coffee Break	
16:00-17:30	<p>Short Lectures of Young Researchers</p> <p>Khokholkova, Nadezhda: "Afrocentricity as the Alternative Paradigm of Global History"</p> <p>Dinkel, Jürgen: "The Asian-African Conference in Bandung 1955 and the Soviet (Re-) Discovery of the Third World"</p> <p>Goebel, Michael: "The Political Networks of Africans and Asians in Interwar Paris"</p>	<p><i>SPSU, Vasilievsky Island, 22 linia, building 7, Aktovy zal</i></p>
19:30	<p>Cultural Programme State Hermitage (museum open till 21:00)</p>	<p><i>Dvortsovaya Square, 2</i></p>
October 9, Thursday		
09:00	<p>DAAD - Deutscher Akademischer Austauschdienst German Academic Exchange Service in Russia</p> <p>Dr. Gregor Berghorn, Head of DAAD-Office in Moscow</p>	<p><i>SPSU, Vasilievsky Island, 22 linia, building 7, Aktovy zal</i></p>

09:45	<p>Alexander von Humboldt-Foundation</p> <p>Prof. Dr. Leonid Zhmud, Institute for the History of Sciences and Technologies, RAS, St. Petersburg</p>	<p><i>SPSU, Vasilievsky Island, 22 linia, building 7, Aktovy zal</i></p>
10:30	<p>Presentation of the Russian Foundation of Humanities (RFH)</p> <p>Dr. Yana Smirnova, Adviser, International Relations Department</p>	<p><i>SPSU, Vasilievsky Island, 22 linia, building 7, Aktovy zal</i></p>
11:15	Coffee Break	
11:45	<p>DFG - Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft German Research Foundation</p> <p>DFG - Cooperation with Russia Dr. Jörn Achterberg, Head of DFG-Office in Moscow</p> <p>DFG - Humanities and Social Sciences Dr. Torsten Fischer, Group of Humanities and Social Sciences, DFG Bonn</p> <p>DFG - Promoting Research Careers Dr. Jürgen Breitkopf, Group of Research Careers, DFG Bonn</p>	<p><i>SPSU, Vasilievsky Island, 22 linia, building 7, Aktovy zal</i></p>
12:30	Lunch	
13:15	<p>"Japanese Russian <i>Kulturkampf</i> in the Far East 1904-05: Organization, Methods, Ideas"</p> <p>Prof. Dr. Dmitry B. Pavlov Deputy Director of Institute for Russian History, RAS, Moscow</p> <p>- Discussion -</p>	<p><i>SPSU, Vasilievsky Island, 22 linia, building 7, Aktovy zal</i></p>

14:00	<p>Short Lectures of Young Researchers</p> <p>Chair:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prof. Dmitry B. Pavlov, Institute for Russian History • Dr. Torsten Fischer, DFG Bonn <p>Trecker, Max: "Aid for the "Third World"? Multilateral Cooperation Attempts in the Council for Mutual Economic Assistance (CMEA)"</p> <p>Mukhamatulin, Timur: "Formation of Image of Spain in Soviet Society, 1931-39"</p> <p>Kropp, Henner: "Local Actors and Transimperial Spheres: The Russian Colony in Alaska between Sankt Petersburg and Washington, 1787-1867"</p>	<p><i>SPSU, Vasilievsky Island, 22 linia, building 7, Aktovy zal</i></p>
15:30	Coffee Break	
16:00-17:00	<p>Workshop and Panel Discussion "Prospects for Young Researchers"</p> <p>Chairperson: Associate Professor Dr. Anna Litvinenko School of Journalism and Mass Communication, St. Petersburg State University</p> <p>Invited panelists: Young Russian and German Researchers, Representatives of DAAD, DFG, SPSU, YRAS</p>	<p><i>SPSU, Vasilievsky Island, 22 linia, building 7, Aktovy zal</i></p>
19:00	<p>Cultural Programme Ballet Swan Lake, Mikhailovsky Theatre</p>	<p><i>Arts Square, 1</i></p>
<p>October 10, Friday</p>		
09:00	<p>"The Spanish Colonial Empire in America: Functions and Dysfunctions"</p> <p>Prof. Dr. Stefan Rinke History of Latin America, Institute for Latin American Studies (LAI), Freie Universität Berlin</p> <p>- Discussion -</p>	<p><i>SPSU, Universitetskaya nab., building 7-9, Petrovsky zal</i></p>

10:00	<p>"Russia and Central America. Forgotten Past, Uncertain Future"</p> <p>Prof. Dr. Aleksandr I. Kubyshkin Chair of Northern American Studies, Faculty of International Relations, St. Petersburg State University</p> <p>- Discussion -</p>	<p><i>SPSU, Universitetskaya nab., building 7-9, Petrovsky zal</i></p>
11:00	Coffee Break	
11:15	<p>Short Lectures of Young Researchers</p> <p>Chair:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prof. Dr. Stefan Rinke, FU Berlin • Prof. Dr. Aleksandr I. Kubyshkin, SPSU <p>Shcherbakova, Anna: "Towards a Change in the Latin American Policy on Violence: How Different Types of Violence Determine Government Policy Implementation"</p> <p>Contreras Saiz, Monika: "Borderland Security in the Spanish Empire: the Case of Chile, 1760 – 1810"</p> <p>Vallen, Nino: "Negotiating Creole Identities at the Crossing of Imperial Pathways, 1571–1641"</p> <p>Protsenko, Anna: "Mexican Foreign Policy Strategy in the 21st century"</p> <p>Hölck, Lasse: "Trade or Tribute? Exchange- Relationships of the Spanish Empire with Independent Indigenous Groups in Spanish America and the Philippines"</p>	<p><i>SPSU, Universitetskaya nab., building 7-9, Petrovsky zal</i></p>
13:45	<p>Closing remarks Dr. Gregor Berghorn, Managing Director DWIH Moscow Dr. Jörn Achterberg, Deputy Director DWIH Moscow</p>	<p><i>SPSU, Universitetskaya nab., building 7-9, Petrovsky zal</i></p>
14:00	Lunch	
15:00	Departure of Participants	