Since 2008, the international doctoral workshop New Perspectives on Late Modern European History yearly brings together PhD students and post-doctoral research fellows from the Université Libre de Bruxelles, the Humboldt University of Berlin and from the Universities of Oxford, Paris X – ENS Cachan and Geneva and, on two occasions, from the Central European University in Budapest and the University of Bologna. The aim of this workshop is to facilitate and encourage exchanges and collaborations between researchers in the initial, intermediate or final stage of their projects, to provide a place to discuss working hypothesis and to listen to inspirational presentations. The University of Geneva will have the pleasure to host the 2017 edition of this workshop on the 23 and 24 of June. During those two days, participants will be invited to present their research projects in panel discussions moderated by senior researchers from the collaborating universities. The workshop brings together proposals on contemporary and late modern history (19th – 21th century) without any thematic restrictions and will review emerging trends in ongoing researches.







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FRIDAY, 23RD JUNE

10h00 Introduction

10h30 Panel I: Europe and Colonialism

Chair: Prof. Amandine Lauro (Brussels)

Avner Ofrath (Oxford): How Ruling Algeria Shaped French Conceptions of Citizenship and the Republic, ca. 1870-1940

Quentin Gasteuil (Paris): Colonial Experts and Colonial Expertise within the British Labour Party and the French Socialist Party during the Interwar Period

Pedro Cerdeira (Geneva): Portuguese Administrators and African Chiefs in Colonial Guinea-Bissau: The Case of Cacheu

12h00 Lunch

13h30 Panel II: New Trends in International Relations History

Chair: Prof. Gabriele Metzler (Berlin)

Jan Stöckmann (Oxford): Lessons from the Study of International Relations, 1914-1939

Liliane Stadler (Oxford): The Role of Neutral States in Post-Détente International Relations

Mao Mao (Oxford): British-Yugoslav Cultural Communications during Late 1940s and 1960s

15h00 Coffee break

15h30 Panel III: Environmental and Scientific History

Chair: Prof. Sandrine Kott (Geneva)

Tommy Stöckel (Berlin): Transnational Practice of Science of European and North American Sociologists (1890s-1930s)

Yoanna Alexiou (Brussels): In the Shadow of Physics: Recasting the International Solvay Conferences on Chemistry (1928-1980)

Sophie Lange (Berlin): Environmental Politics and Protest across the Inner-German Border in the Cold War, 1972-1990

17h00 Break

17h15 Panel IV: Confinement, Violence and Repressions

Chair: Prof. **Olivier Wieviorka** (Paris)

Valentine Dewulf (Brussels): Confinement Practices and Repressive Logics in the Belgian Colonial Empire (1885-1962)

Matthias Thaden (Berlin): Extremists in Exile. Political Violence of Croatian Exiles and its Impacts on Political Discourse and Practices in West Germany

19h30 Dinner

SATURDAY, 24TH JUNE

09h30 Panel V: Identities and Perceptions

Chair: Prof. Robert Gildea (Oxford)

Morgane Barey (Paris): The Free French Cadets: Fighting for France from England (1940-1944)

Marine Pierre (Geneva): The Interaction between European Integration and the Intellectuals' Discussion on European Identity after World War II

Benjamin Rhode (Oxford): Seducing a New Great Power: French Diplomatic Views of Britain and America in 1898

11h00 Coffee break

11h30 Panel VI: Economic History

Chair: Prof. Sandrine Kott (Geneva)

Giovanni Cadioli (Oxford): Soviet Economic Thought and Economic Policy in the 1940s. Influence on Post-Stalinist Reforms in the 1950s-1960s

Julien Del Marmol (Brussels): Property, Strategy and Structure in the Brewing Industry: Artois-Piedboeuf-Interbrew and Labatt, 1970-2000

12h30 Concluding remarks

13h00 Lunch