



Bureaucratic Encounters



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9:00-9:15 Welcome Address

Margareth Lanzinger (Deputy Head of the Department of Economic and Social History)

Opening Remarks

Therese Garstenauer (Vienna)

9:15–10:45 Panel 1

Bureaucratic Encounters: Access to Healthcare

Chair: Veronika Helfert

Opening a Bureaucratic Can of Worms: Medical Insurance for Waste Pickers in an Indian City

V. Kalyan Shankar (Pune)

Credibility Contests at the Emergency Department

Marius Wamsiedel (Suzhou)

10:45–11:05Coffee break

11:05-13:00
Panel 2
Agency of
Bureaucratic Subjects

Chair: Therese Garstenauer

Stay Requests: The Dual Role Performances of Divorced Migrant Women During Bureaucratic Encounters in Hong Kong and Melbourne

Alexandra Ridgway (Hong Kong/Vienna)

Vagueness and Errors in Bureaucratic Practices (Austria, 1920s and 30s)

Sigrid Wadauer (Vienna)

Waiting, Queueing and Endless Delays: Temporality in Bureaucratic Encounters

Anna Tsalapatanis (Oxford)

13:00-14:15 Lunch Break

14:15-15:45
Panel 3
Administrative Reform:
Early 19th Century

Collegial Decision-Making as the Foundation of the Local Administration Reform in the Kingdom of Poland. The 1814 Debate of the Civil Reform Committee

Michał Gałędek (Gdansk)

Chair: Alexandra Ridgway

Bureaucratic Encounters in Post-Revolutionary France: The Case of Joseph-Marie de Gérando Martin H. Herrnstadt (Tel Aviv)

15:45–16:15Coffee Break

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16:15-17:45
Panel 4
Effects of War and
Totalitarian Regimes

Chair: Sigrid Wadauer

(Re-)Encounters with Former Perpetrators in the Bavarian Police and Security Forces 1945 until 1955.

Franziska Walter (Munich)

Between Sense of Duty and Sacrifice. Petitions of German- and Czech-speaking War-disabled Persons (1914–1918)

Thomas Rohringer (Vienna/Berlin)

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Panel 5
Modernisation and
Organisational Change

Chair: Thomas Stockinger

Bureaucracy as Intermediary Practice. Experience of Russian Private Rail Enterprises (1860–1914)

Egor Lykov (Vienna)

Revisiting the New Spirit of Capitalism: Encounters with Neoliberal Globalization or Liberal Bureaucratization in Corporate Management Practices?

Julian Klinkhammer (Heidelberg)

The Swiss Federal Archives as Information Broker between State and Citizens–From Over-the-Counter Business to Online User Interface

Peter Fleer (Bern)

11:45–12:00Coffee Break

12:00-12:30 Final Discussion

Concept and Organisation: Therese Garstenauer

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