

Thursday, March 6, 2025

9:00 AM

Welcome and Opening

Christoph Witzentrath, *BCDSS, University of Bonn*

9:30 – 11:00 AM

Panel 1 Trade

Chair: **Aleksandr Lavrov**, *Sorbonne University, Paris*

Defining the Slaves: Rus' Prisoners and Slave Markets in Tenth-Century Byzantium

Oleksandr Fylypchuk, *EPHE, Paris*

Routes to the Gallies and the Courts: The Crimea, L'viv and St Petersburg in Networks of Coercion Labour

Ludolf Pelizaeus, *Université de Picardie, Amiens*

Commodifying Serfs: A Comparative Examination of Serf Advertisements in Moscow and Saint Petersburg

Nataliia Voitko, *BCDSS, University of Bonn*

11:00 – 11:30 AM – Coffee Break

11:30 AM – 1:00 PM

Panel 2 Violence

Chair: **Ricarda Vulpius**, *University of Münster*

Between Submissions and Challenges of Authority: Violence, Criminal Justice, and Peasant Dependency in Late Medieval Galicia (Red Ruthenia).

Yurii Zazuliak, *LMU Munich*

Spatial Configurations of Asymmetric Dependencies in Early Siberia: Russian Colonialism and Indigenous Hostages

Chechesh Kudachinova, *FU Berlin*

Terror and Climate as Agents in Muscovite Asymmetric Dependency?

Christoph Witzentrath, *BCDSS, University of Bonn*

1:00 – 2:00 PM – Lunch Break

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2:00 – 3:30 PM

Panel 3 (Im-)Mobility

Chair: **Elena Smolarz**, *BCDSS, University of Bonn*

Der Zar und seine Experten - wer braucht hier wen?
Asymmetrische soziale Abhängigkeiten im Russland des 17. Jahrhunderts

Stefan Schneck, *Berlin (online)*

Religious Aspects of Forced Migration into Muscovy.
Interconfessional Interactions of Dependent Foreigners in Mid-17th Century Russian Towns

Simon Dreher, *University of Münster*

Slaves without Slavery? Dependent Africans in the Polish-Lithuanian Commonwealth

Vitali Byl, *BCDSS, University of Bonn*

3:30 – 4:00 PM – Coffee Break

4:00 – 5:30 PM

Panel 4 Serfs

Chair: **Jan Kusber**, *University of Mainz*

People of Unknown Origin in 18th Century Russia

Andrey V. Gornostaev, *University of Toronto (online)*

How Extractive Was Russian Serfdom?
Income Inequality in Moscow Province in the Early 19th Century

Elena Korchmina, *University of Bologna*

Serfdom in 18th Century Russia: Slave, Kholop, Baptized Property, Non-Orthodox (An Exploration of the Concept of "Asymmetrical Dependency")

Lena Marasinova, *University of Münster*

7:00 PM – Conference Dinner for organizers, chairs & speakers

Friday, March 7, 2025

9:00 – 10:30 AM

Panel 5 Gender / Intersectional

Chair: **Julia Herzberg**, *GWZO, University of Leipzig*

Trafficking in Women in 17th Century Eastern Siberia
Angelina Kalashnikova, *University of Kiel*

Sexual Hierarchy in Early Modern Russia: Power, Inequality, Masculinity, Male Same-Sex Desire

Hanna Filipova, *University of Gothenburg*

Graded Dependency and Interpersonal Violence in Lithuania during the First Half of the Seventeenth Century

Angela Rustemeyer, *University of Düsseldorf*

10:30 – 11:00 AM – Coffee Break

11:00 AM – 12:30 PM

Panel 6 Agency

Chair: **Ingrid Schierle**, *University of Tübingen*

The Cost of Silence: Struggles between the Enslaved and the Enslavers in the Early Modern Crimean Khanate

Turkana Allahverdiyeva, *BCDSS, University of Bonn*

A Peasant War After All? The Pugachev Rebellion and Emancipation from Below

Kirill Ospovat, *University of Wisconsin-Madison*

The Comparison of Russian Runaway Bondspeople in the Hetmanate and Poland-Lithuania

Stanislav Mohylnyi, *BCDSS, University of Bonn*

12:30 – 1:30 PM

Wrap-up