

Programme for ADEF-Conference

"Competitors & Companions: Britons and Germans in the World"

Berlin, 19-20 May 2017

Convenors:

Julia Eichenberg, Humboldt University Berlin Daniel Steinbach, University of Exeter Tobias Becker, German Historical Institute

Location:

Humboldt University Berlin Centre for British Studies /Großbritannienzentrum Mohrenstraße 60 10117 Berlin





Friday, 19 May

14.00 - 14.30 Arrival & Registration

14.30 - 15.00 Welcome & Opening Remarks

Christiane Eisenberg,
Director of the Centre for British Studies

Bernhard Dietz, President of the ADEF

Julia Eichenberg, Humboldt University Berlin Tobias Becker, German Historical Institute Daniel Steinbach, University of Exeter

15.00 – 17.00 Session I: Competitive Collaboration

Chair: Christiane Eisenberg, HU Berlin

Axel C. Hüntelmann, Charité, Berlin The Foundation and early Establishment of Public Health Institutions in Germany and Britain around 1900

Volker Barth, University of Cologne Competing Partners: The Global Collaboration between Reuters and Wolff, 1859-1934

Chris Bannister, University of London The War of Words in the River Plate: Propaganda in Argentina during the Second World War

Tea Break

17.30 - 19.00 Keynote Lecture

Gaynor Johnson, University of Kent

19.00 - 20.00 Drinks Reception

Saturday, 20 May

9.00-11.00 Session II: Post-War Re-encounters

Chair: Wencke Meteling, University of Marburg

Ben Holmes, University of Exeter 'To give hope must be our mission above everything else': British Humanitarian Aid to post-war Germany, 1919-1925

Tara Windsor, University of Birmingham 'If the students are cooperating today, surely there is hope for tomorrow!': Student Associations and German-British Exchange after the First World War

Emily Oliver, University of Warwick 'Fagin in Berlin Provokes a Riot': Anti-Semitism and Anglo-German Relations in Occupied Germany

Coffee Break

11.30 – 13.30 Session III: Imperial Connections

Chair: Bernhard Dietz, University of Mainz

Marine Fiedler, University of Bern / Sciences Po Being a 'Singaporer' from Hamburg: The Relationships of a Hanseatic Family with the Britons of Singapore, 1840-1914

Daniel Steinbach, University of Exeter Nation – Race – Empire: Britons and Germans in Colonial Africa

Jan Rüger, Birkbeck - University of London Anglo-German Smuggling; or: Writing Europe into the History of the British Empire

13.30 – 14.00 Final Discussion & Closing Remarks

14.00 - 15.00 Lunch

15.00 onwards General Meeting of the ADEF (ADEF members only)

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