

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 30, INZ

09:30–11:00

Panel VIII: Cultural Practices

Chair: Doris Gruber | INZ/ÖAW

Frédéric Tinguely | Université de Genève

Radical Otherness? The Festival of Ashura according to European Travellers to Persia in the XVIIth Century

Dzenita Karic | University of London

Views from the province: Bosnian Muslims on Hajj from 17th to 19th century

Güllü Yıldız | Marmara University

"The West of the Orient": The Depiction of Ottomans' Capital in Persian Hajj Travelogues

11:00–11:30

COFFEE BREAK

11:30–12:30

Panel IX: Peripheries

Chair: Konrad Petrovzky | INZ/ÖAW

Christine Nölle-Karimi | Institute of Iranian Studies/ÖAW

Shifting Peripheries: Iranian Envoys in Khiva

Nikita Khrapunov | Vernadsky Crimean Federal University

Simferopol

The Orient in Europe? The Crimea in Western Travelogues from 1783–1810

12:30–13:00

Final Discussion; on publication

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Travelogues: Perceptions of the Other 1500–1876 – A Computerized Analysis, FWF-project: I 3795-G28, Institute for Modern and Contemporary Historical Research (INZ), Austrian Academy of Sciences (ÖAW)

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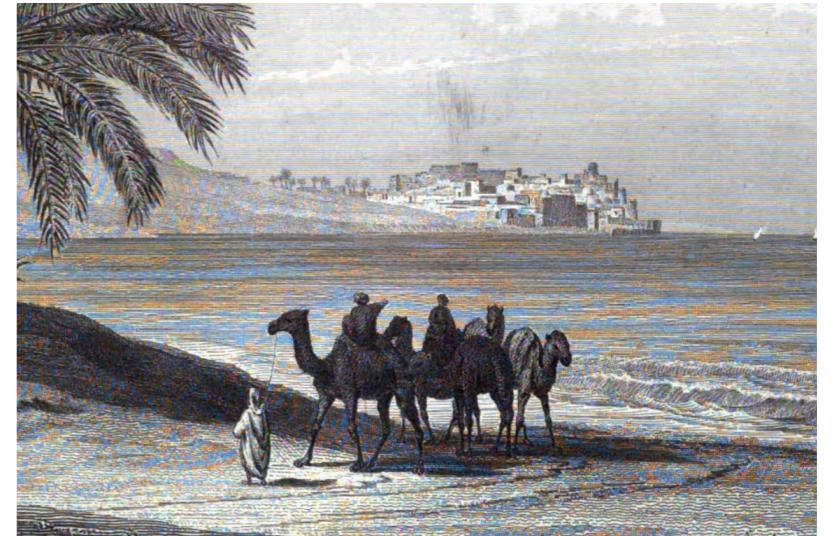


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ON THE WAY INTO THE UNKNOWN?

COMPARATIVE PERSPECTIVES ON THE 'ORIENT' IN (EARLY) MODERN TRAVELOGUES

Travelogues

Perceptions of the Other 1500–1876 – A Computerized Analysis



PROGRAMME

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 28, INZ

09:00–09:15	Arrival and Registration
09:15–09:45	Welcome and Introduction Arno Strohmeyer INZ/ÖAW and University of Salzburg
09:45–10:45	Panel I: Biographies Chair: Stephan Kurz INZ/ÖAW Anders Ingram National University of Ireland, Galway <i>History and Travelogues: the discourse of "Turkish History" and English travellers' accounts of the Ottoman world</i> Deniz T. Kilincoglu and Jörg Wetzlaufer Georg-August University Göttingen <i>The Reshuffling of Middle Eastern Identities in the Age of Nationalism: Insights from 19th-Century Travelogues</i>
10:45–11:15	COFFEE BREAK
11:15–12:45	Panel II: Perceptions of Otherness (I) Chair: Elisabeth Lobenwein University of Klagenfurt Donna Landry University of Kent <i>Known and Unknown Others: Early Modern Ottoman and British Travellers in Comparative Perspective</i> (short presentation) Gerald McLean University of Exeter <i>Travels among the Kurds in the Seventeenth Century: British and Ottoman Accounts</i> (short presentation) Maria Endreva Sofia University <i>Die Gestaltung des Fremden in F. Kanitz' Reiseberichten über Bulgarien</i> (English title tba) Barbara Haider-Wilson INZ/ÖAW <i>"Prokesch and Goethe teach travelling like nobody else." Anton Prokesch's travel account of the Holy Land (1831)</i>
12:45–14:00	LUNCH BREAK

14:00–15:00:	Panel III: Perceptions of Otherness (II) Chair: Ilya Berkovich INZ/ÖAW Christine Kämpfer Philipps-Universität Marburg Stefan Knost Martin-Luther-Universität Halle-Wittenberg <i>A reluctant observer between two empires: The journeys of the botanist Carl Haussknecht to the Ottoman Empire and Qajar Persia</i> Michael Fisch Hebrew University of Jerusalem <i>"From the Yemen. Hermann Burchardt's last journey through southern Arabia". The German-Jewish traveller Hermann Burchardt (1857–1909)</i>
15:00–15:30:	COFFEE BREAK
15:30–17:00:	Panel IV: Gender Perspectives Chair: Simon Edlmayr INZ/ÖAW Betül İ. Argit Marmara University <i>Female Slavery and Harems in the Ottoman World</i> Konrad Petrovszky INZ/ÖAW <i>Levantine Feminities in Hammer-Purgstalls Travel Accounts and Memories</i> Anna Huemer University of Salzburg <i>Foreign Masculinities? The Construction of Gender in Travelogues to Constantinople (Mid 17th Cent.)</i>
17:00–17:30:	BREAK
17:30–18:30:	Key-Note Chair: Arno Strohmeyer INZ/ÖAW and University of Salzburg Michael Harbsmeier Roskilde University <i>Travels from the Orient, travels to the Orient: does comparison make sense?</i>

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 29, INZ

09:30–11:00	Panel V: Perceptions of Otherness (III) Chair: Marion Romberg INZ/ÖAW Stefaniia Demchuk Taras Shevchenko National University of Kyiv <i>Inherited or witnessed? Constructs of Otherness in letters and memoirs of Pavel Levashov (ca. 1719–1820)</i> Susanna Burghartz Universität Basel <i>The Orient – a blank space in the travel collection of the de Bry?</i> Johannes Gießauf University of Graz <i>The Mongol Heritage in the Ottoman Empire through the eyes of European travelers</i>
11:00–11:30:	COFFEE BREAK
11:30–13:00:	Panel VI: Intermateriality and Intermodality Chair: Lena Oetzel University of Salzburg Gabriele Leschke Freie Universität Berlin <i>„Nach aller Pilger Gewonheit“ – Tätowierungen in Otto Friedrich von der Gröbens „Orientalischer Reise-Beschreibung“ (English title tba)</i> Doris Gruber INZ/ÖAW <i>Intermateriality and German language Travelogues</i> Irini Apostolou National and Kapodistrian University of Athens <i>Oriental Images of Otherness: Fashion encounters in 19th century French travelogues</i>
13:00–14:30:	LUNCH BREAK
14:30–17:00:	Panel VII: Circulation Chair: Barbara Haider-Wilson INZ/ÖAW Michiel van Groesen Leiden University <i>Gaspardo Balbi and the De Bry Collection of Voyages: Two European Perspectives on the Orient around 1600</i> Marcus Keller University of Illinois <i>Broken Mirror Effects: The Ottoman Empire in French, Italian, and German Sixteenth-Century Travelogues</i> Volker Bauer Herzog August Library Wolfenbüttel <i>Reiseberichte als Rohstoff der kommerziellen Staatenkunde: Die „ausländischen Staaten“ in der Serie des Halleschen Verlages Renger (1707–1716) (English title tba)</i>
17:30–18:30:	Facultative visit of the historical part of the Austrian National Library