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Gender and Work in European History

1-5 July 2024 | University of Vienna | Kolingasse 14-16, 1090 Vienna,
ground floor, seminar room 5 (if not stated otherwise)

Intensive
Summer Programme
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Sunday, 30 June

19:30 Arrival | Optional get-together at Café Stein (Währinger Strasse 6-8, 1090 Vienna)

Monday, 1 July

8:30-8:50 Registration

8:55 Welcome

9:00-10:30 **Women's work in early modern urban Europe**
Anna Bellavitis (University of Rouen Normandy)

10:30-11:00 Coffee break

11:00-12:30 **Women, work and the family in medieval and early modern Florence**
Isabelle Chabot (University of Padua)

12:30-14:00 Lunch break

MA and PhD student presentations:

14:00-15:00 **Léa Chacon** (University of Rouen Normandy)
The "Dames": Norman seigneuries at the hands of women in early modern France (1661-1771)

15:00-16:00 **Audrey Gôme** (University of Rouen Normandy)
Women servants' testimonies and credibility in early modern Venice

16:00-16:30 Coffee break

16:30-17:30 **Prunelle Dauty** (Université Lumière Lyon 2)
Madeleine Grawitz and the origins of the Institut d'études du travail in Lyon (1950s-1970s)

17:30-18:30 **Eleni Anastasopoulou** (Université Lumière Lyon 2)
Life histories of „libération de l'étranger“. Greek students in Paris in the 1970s

Tuesday, 2 July

9:00-10:30 **Women, work, welfare: the rise of the social work profession in interwar Vienna**
Irene Messinger (FH Campus Vienna)

10:30-11:00 Coffee break

11:00-12:30 **Gender and work in Spain during the 19th century**
Florencia Peyrou Tubert (Autonomous University of Madrid)

12:30-14:00 Lunch break

14:00-15:30 **Slaves and servants in Court: gender biases and languages of power in Venetian and Habsburg trial records (1300–1800)**
Juliane Schiel (University of Vienna)

15:30-16:00 Coffee break

16:30-18:00 **Glass bead making in nineteenth-century Northern France: a feminisation of the profession?**
Louise Bonvalet (University of Rouen Normandy)

18:15-19:00 **Introduction to women's archives in Europe**
Li Gerhalter (University of Vienna)

Wednesday, 3 July

9:00-10:30 **Industrialisation and women's labour in Mediterranean Europe in the 19th and 20th centuries**
Manuela Martini (Université Lumière Lyon 2)

10:30-11:00 Coffee break

11:00-12:30 **Peasant women's labour activism in Hungary in the last decades of the Habsburg Monarchy**
Eszter Varsa (Central European University)

12:30-14:00 Lunch break

14:00 Departure for the excursion to the
14:30-16:30 **Karl Marx Hof and the exhibition "Red Vienna" in the Washhouse no.2**
Meeting point: 12.-Februar Platz, 1190 Vienna
Julia Tyll-Schranz (University of Vienna)

17:00 Dinner at a Viennese wine tavern (= "Heuriger")
Weinbau - Heuriger Kierlinger
Kahlenberger Strasse 20, 1190 Vienna

Thursday, 4 July

9:00-10:30 **Women in intellectual work: theories, periods, case studies (19th - mid 20th century)**
Valentina Mitkova (Sofia University St. Kliment Ohridski)

10:30-11:00 Coffee break

11:00-12:30 **Work in the vineyard of the Lord: gender, mission and imperialism in the 19th century**
Sandra Maß (Ruhr University Bochum)

12:30-14:00 Lunch break

MA and PhD student presentations:

14:00-15:00 **Corinna Peres** (University of Vienna)
Mothers who do not mother: the reproductive labour of female slaves in late medieval Italy

15:00-16:00 **Lisa Horak** (University of Vienna)
Working like animals: comparing humans with “working animals” in German newspapers of the long 19th century

Break and transfer to

18:00-21:00 **Film presentation and discussion: “Pride” (GB 2014)**
with **Claudia Kraft** (University of Vienna)

Venue: Main Building of the University of Vienna, Universitätsring 1, 1010 Vienna, seminar room 2 (left-hand entrance of the building, staircase 9, courtyard 3, ground floor = “Tiefparterre”)

Friday, 5 July

MA student presentations:

9:00-10:00 **Nike Kirnbauer** (University of Vienna)
Friendship and ways of relating in the Austrian autonomous women’s movement, 1970s and 1980s

10:00-11:00 **Hannah Hieber** (University of Vienna)
The first Austrian feminist bookstore “Frauenzimmer” as a place of work, 1977-2007

11:00-11:30 Coffee break

11:30-13:00 **Production, consumption, resistance:
The strikes of the Lodz textile workers in 1971**
Claudia Kraft (University of Vienna)

Departure

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