SEVENTH WORKSHOP ON EARLY MODERN GERMAN HISTORY
Friday 24 October 2008
German Historical Institute London

Programme

9.30am  Arrival and Coffee

10.00  Welcome

10.15  Session 1  State Formation on the Ground
Paul Warde (UEA), Locality-level State Formation in the South-west of Germany

Robert Spaulding (University of North Carolina), The Transformation of the Rhine and the Formation of Modern Germany, 1648-1848

11.15  Coffee

11.30  Session 2  New Approaches to the Political
Alexander Schmidt (Jena), The Power of the Muses? French and German Diplomats Assess High-culture in Napoleonic Germany

Estelle Joubert (Toronto), German Opera and Politics from Enlightenment to Napoleon

Katarzyna Pekacka-Falkowska (Torun), Plague in Torun in the Sixteenth to Eighteenth Centuries - the Politicisation of Disease

12.45  Lunch

2.00  Session 3  Religion and Politics
Scott Dixon (Queen’s Belfast), The Sense of the Past in Reformation Germany: History and Historiography in the Work of Johannes Letzner (1531-1613)

Jennifer Smyth (Trinity College, Dublin), Unnatural Pharisees: Knowledge, Clergy, and Laity in the Early Reformation

Jane Finucane (Glamorgan), ‘Revolution’ in Magdeburg? War and Constitutional Change 1629-31

3.30  Coffee

4.00  Session 4  Cultures of Knowledge
Richard Kirwan (NUI, Maynooth), Representation and Social Action at the University in the Holy Roman Empire 1500-1700

Stefan Ehrenpreis (HU Berlin, Munich), Pedagogical Discourse and Primary Schools in Germany and England, 1600-1750

How to take part
If you are interested in attending as a participant, please contact:

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