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PERSONAL STORIES FROM THE LITERARY LANDSCAPES OF THE AGITATED (POST-)BYZANTINE WORLD (13TH TO 16TH C.)

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PROGRAMME

WEDNESDAY, 17 APRIL

17:30–19:00 Welcoming Address

Claudia Rapp Andreas Rhoby

Introduction

Krystina Kubina

Keynote Lecture

David Wallace

Expanding European Literary Landscapes

19:00 Reception

THURSDAY, 18 APRIL

9:30-11:00 POLITICAL CENTRALITY AND LITERARY DISCOURSE

Chair: Eirini Afentoulidou

N. İpek Hüner

"I am a Child of Istanbul": Being an Istanbulite in the Sixteenth Century

Response: Andreas Rhoby

Ludovica Sasso and Leon Grünberg

Lyrical Experiences of Constantinople after its Fall: The Case of Latin Poetry

on Turks in the Italian-German Areas

Response: Fatih Yücel

11:00–11:30 COFFEE BREAK

11:30–13:00 LITERATURE IN POST-1204 GREECE

Chair: Johannes Preiser-Kapeller

Brendan Osswald

The Literary Landscape of Epirus: From Personal Stories to Collective

Destinies

Response: Alberto Ravani

Francesco Giannachi

The Life, Deeds, and Loves of Geoffray de Briel in 13th-Century Frankish Morea

Response: Ugo Mondini

13:00-14:30 LUNCH

14:30–16:00 PERSONAL EXPERIENCES AND LITERARY WRITING

Chair: Ercan Akyol

Christiane Czygan

The Dual Impact of Madness in Sultan Süleyman's Hamburg Manuscript

(1554)

Response: Nikos Zagklas

Rike Szill

Short but Painful: Literary Landscapes of Trauma and Violence in the Writings

of Janos Lascaris

Řesponse: Markéta Kulhánková

16:00–16:30 COFFEE BREAK

16:30–18:00 Keynote Lecture

Chair: Giulia Rossetto

Christian Høgel

Splinters of Empire: Post-Byzantine Greek Imperial Thinking in Chortatsis's

Erofili

19:00 DINNER FOR INVITED GUESTS

FRIDAY, 19 APRIL

9:30-11:00 THE SOCIAL REALITY OF LITERARY SOURCES

Chair: Rogelio Toledo Martin

Miriam Salzmann

Rearranging the Social Compass: Reactions to the Latin Occupation of Cyprus from Neophytos the Recluse (end 12^{th} c.) to the Chronicle of Boustronios (end

 $15^{th} c.)$

Response: Aleksandar Anđelović

Krystina Kubina

Hagia Sophia as a Living Space in Late Byzantine Literature: The Social Reality of an Iconic Edifice

Response: İpek Hüner

11:00-11:30 COFFEE BREAK

11:30–13:00 INDIVIDUAL RESPONSES TO RELIGIOUS CONTROVERSIES

Chair: Maria-Lucia Goiana

Jeff Brubaker

"A Certain Lamenting and Weeping Latin": Christians of East and West in

Contested Spaces

Response: Lewis Read

David Zakarian

Colophones of Medieval Armenian Manuscripts as Witnesses to Theological

Controversies

Response: Renate Burri

13:00-14:30 LUNCH

14:30–16:00 (DE-)MARGINALIZATION IN AND THROUGH LITERATURE

Chair: András Barati

Milan Vukašinović and Larisa Ficulle Santini

Narrating Wicked Women: Female Protagonists in late-Byzantine Literature

from Crete and Macedonia Response: Alessandra Guido

Concluding Remarks and Discussion

Krystina Kubina