New Perspectives in Memory Studies:
Rethinking Movement, Representation and Materiality

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Monday, October 12, 2009

9.00-9.45
Welcome
Michael Rössner (Director of IKT)

Introduction: Setting the Framework, Posing the Questions
Irit Dekel, Heidemarie Uhl

9.45-11.15
PANEL 1
New Perspectives on Mobility Past and Present

Neta Bodner: Transcending Geography: the Transportation of Sanctity and Memory from the Holy Land to the Home Land

Joanna White: Rituals of Memory: The Path of Remembrance in Vienna

Gal Engelhard: The Production of Memory on Tour – Israeli–German Heritage Tourism in Rexingen, 2008

Moderator: Monika Mokre

11.15-11.45
Coffee break

11.45-12.30
ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSION
Studying European Memory in Israel, Studying Jewish and Other Memories in Europe
Moderator: Eleonore Lappin

12.30-14.00
Lunch

14.00-15.30
PANEL 2
Private and Public Memories: Between the Communicative and the Cultural

Avraham Rot: Synchronic versus Diachronic Modes of Differentiation in the EU

Bernhard Forchtner: Claiming the Moral Highground via Misuses of Public Acknowledgments of Wrong-Doing: Judge-Penitence in Denmark and Germany


Moderator: Niko Wahl
15.30-16.00
Coffee break

16.00-18.00
Excursion with Joanna White: Path of Remembrance in the 2nd District of Vienna

**Tuesday, October 13, 2009**

9.30-10.30
**PANEL 3**
Photography, Utility, Reservation and Change

Yonatan Amir: The Serial as an Aesthetic Tool in the Photography of the Bechers (working title)

Barbara Tiefenbacher: Shifting Languages. The Present Use of Romani within the Czech Romani Community. A Case Study

**Moderator: Stefan Benedik**

10.30-11.00
Coffee break

11.00-12.30
**PANEL 4**
Consuming Memories: Representation, Materiality and Reservation

Mark Volovici and Michal Goren: Green Politics in the Service of Constructing a Unified European Identity

Matthias Kopp: Exhibiting Nazi Germany for Children: “Geschichtslabor 1933-1945” in Berlin

Ljiljana Radonic: Post-1989 memory in Croatia between revisionism and European standards

**Moderator: Peter Larndorfer**

12.30-14.00
Lunch break

14.00-15.00
**Summary, Concluding Remarks**
Irit Dekel, Heidemarie Uhl, Neta Bodner, Joanna White