Workshop

Varieties of Economic Nationalism in Cold War Europe: Small State Responses to Economic Change, 1960s-1980s

Institut für Osteuropäische Geschichte, Campus University of Vienna, Hof 3/3.2

Monday, 19 September 2022

8:45 Opening Remarks (Adrian Brisku, Lars Fredrik Stöcker and Martin Gumiela)

9:00-10:40 Panel 1 – Varieties of Small-State Economic Nationalism (Chair: Martin Gumiela)

- Adrian Brisku, Economic Nationalism or 'National Economy-Building' of Small (Nation-) States
- Lars Fredrik Stöcker, Becoming 'Masters of Their Own House': Economic Nationalism in Multinational Empires

10:40-11:00 *Coffee-break*

11:00-12:40 Panel 2 – State Responses to Post-Industrial Change (Chair: Lars Fredrik Stöcker)

- Maximilian Graf, Austrian Osthandel as Economic Nationalism: Reassessing the Role of Foreign Trade in Austro-Keynesianism
- Thomas Kolnberger, No Games Just Business: The Other Economic Nationalism of Luxembourg

12:40-14:10 Lunch at "Nams", Spitalgasse 1a

14:10-15:50 Panel 3 – Private-Sector Quests for State Protectionism (Chair: Adrian Brisku)

- Sandra Bott, Switzerland's Economic Relations with the Non-Communist Southeast Asia, 1965-1980
- Saara Matala and Christian Stutz, *International Competition, National Business:* State Support for Shipbuilding in Finland, 1952-2006

17:00-18:00 Keynote Speech

• Bo Stråth: *The Oxymoron: Economic Nationalism and the global Corporations' Planetary Perspective*

19:00 Dinner at "Rebhuhn", Berggasse 24.







Tuesday, 20 September 2022

9:00-10:40 Panel 4 – Foreign Direct Investments across the Iron Curtain (Chair: Adrian Brisku)

- Ioannis Brigkos, "Doing Business with the Colonels:" Greece's Financial Relations with Austria and German Democratic Republic during the Greek Military Dictatorship, 1967-1974
- Martin Gumiela, National in Content and...Pragmatic in Practice: The Polonia Firms in State-Socialist Poland

10:40-11:00 Coffee-break

11:00-12:40 Panel 5 – Experts as Drivers of Socialist Globalization (Chair: Martin Gumiela)

- Barbora Menclová, Czechoslovakia Expertise in Lusophone Africa after 1975 as a Small State Response to Global Economic Change in the 1970s
- Luboš Studený, Economic Forecasting of the Czechoslovak Forecasting Institute in the late 1980s

12:40-14:10 Lunch at "Stiegl-Ambulanz" at the Campus of the University of Vienna

14:10-15:50 Panel 6 – Economic Emancipation in Multinational Socialist States (Chair: Lars Fredrik Stöcker)

- Benedetto Zaccaria, Republican Nationalism in Socialist Yugoslavia: The Slovene and Croatian Responses to Globalizing Market Forces in the 1970s
- Kevin Axe, Late Perestroika Estonian Economic Debate 1987-1991: from Theoretical Self-Management to Independence

17:00-18:30 Book Launch

• of the volume European Socialist Regimes' Fateful Engagement with the West. National Strategies in the Long 1970s, edited by Federico Romero and Angela Romano, London 2020, held by Angela Romano (co-sponsored by the Chair of Russian History at the University of Vienna, Univ.-Prof. Wolfgang Mueller)





