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Continuity and Change
during the 18th and
19th Centuries

July 2-4, 2015

Boltzmannstraße 22
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conference room

Thursday, July 2

from 12.30pm onwards
Registration

1.15pm

Markus Friedrich (Hamburg) / Philipp Müller (Göttingen): Introduction

1.30pm–3.30pm

The Many Uses of Records and Files
Chair **Philipp Müller (Göttingen)**

Andreas Erb (Dessau)

Petitioner, Servant, Claimant: Using the Archive and Historiography in Anhalt from Late Enlightenment to 1848

Alexander Denzler (Eichstätt)

Johann Stephan Pütter (1725-1807) and the Archive-Supported Everyday Work of Lawyers

COFFEE BREAK

4.00–7.00pm

The Many Uses of Records and Files (cont.)
Chair **Markus Friedrich (Hamburg)**

Wilfried Nippel (Berlin)

Johann Gustav Droysen and His Historical Study of Records

Stefan Berger (Bochum)

The Future of National Histories

DINNER

Friday, July 3

9.00–11.00am

Editing and Publishing
Chair **Mark Mersiowsky (Stuttgart)**

Ulrich Päßler (Berlin)

Aspirations and Realities of Historical Research in Archives: J. D. E. Preuß and the Edition of the Oeuvre of Frederick the Great

Michael Riordan (Oxford)

The Editing and Publishing of Records in Eighteenth- and Nineteenth-Century England

COFFEE BREAK

11.30–12.30am

Editing and Publishing (cont.)
Chair **Marco Tomaszewski (Freiburg)**

The Town of the Fathers. Urban Historical Research in Basel Before and After 1800

2.30–4.30pm

Institutional Politics
Chair **Marian Füssel (Göttingen)**

Maria Pia Donato (Paris)

Classification and the Use of Documents in the Archives de l'Empire

Jörg Bölling (Göttingen)

Different Institutes. The Use of the Göttingen Apparatus Diplomaticus by Christoph Gatterer and Georg Waitz, 1759–1876

COFFEE BREAK

6.30pm

Keynote Lecture
Chair **Christine von Oertzen (Berlin)**

Anthony Grafton (Princeton)

Premature Archivalism in Early Modern Europe

DINNER

Saturday, July 4

9.00–11.00am

Interpretations
Chair **Angela Berlis (Bern)**

Wolfgang Burgdorf (Jena)

Transformations of Knowledge: From Modern Imperial Constitutional Law to Medieval Imperial and Local History

Oliver B. Hemmerle (Grenoble)

Approaching the "Sattelzeit" during the 19th Century: The Origins of Historical Research on the Napoleonic Era and Its Archival Sources

COFFEE BREAK

11.30am–12.30pm

Interpretations (cont.)

Chair **David Laven (Nottingham)**

Venetian Archives and Historiography

LUNCH (optional)