

# International Workshop

## Networking the Past: Historical Network Analysis, Eugenics and Biopolitics in the 20<sup>th</sup> Century

14-16 April 2010, Vienna

Organisers: The Working Group on the History of Race and Eugenics (HRE) at Oxford Brookes University; the Department of History of Medicine at the Medical University of Vienna; and the University of Vienna's Institute for Contemporary History.

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### Programme:

#### Wednesday, 14 April 2010

Conference venue: Institut für Ethik und Recht in der Medizin, Seminarraum 8  
(Alte Kapelle), Spitalgasse 2-4, Hof 2.8, Campus, Altes AKH, 1090 Wien

17:00-18:00 Welcome and Opening Remarks  
by Marius Turda, Thomas Mayer and Michael Hubenstorf

#### Thursday, 15 April 2010

Conference venue: Seminarzentrum, Liechtensteinstrasse 39 - 41, 1090 Wien

#### 1) Panel: On Methodology

Chair: Paul Weindling

9:30-10:00	Wolfgang Neurath: Historical Science and Network Research
10:00-10:30	Katja Mayer: History of Drawing Networks as a Cultural Practice
10:30-11:00	Coffee break
11:00-11:30	Marten Düring: Illegal Support Networks for Persecuted Jews During the Third Reich: Relational patterns and Network structures

11:30-12:00 Axel C. Huentelmann: Networks and Economies.  
Paul Ehrlich's scientific networks

12:00-13:30 Lunch break

## 2) Panel: Eugenic Networks before 1945

Chair: Thomas Mayer

13:30-14:00 Gudrun Exner: The "Sociological Society in Vienna" (1907-1934): A network of the upper middle class private scholar Rudolf Goldscheid (1870-1931)?

14:00-14:30 Paul Weindling: The Outsider as Insider, and the Insider as Outsider: Reflections Hugo Iltis

14:30-15:00 Coffe break

15:00-15:30 Marius Turda: Academic Mobility and Networking among Central and Southeastern European Eugenicists, 1900-1945

15:30-16:00 Michael Hubenstorf: Nazi Networks and Eugenic Networks

16:00-16:30 Coffee Break

## 3) Panel: Anthropology & Criminal Anthropology

Chair: Marius Turda

16:30-17:00 Maria Teschler-Nicola: Rudolf Pöch's Political and Scientific Networks

17:00-17:30 Margit Berner: Institutional Networks in Austrian Anthropology

17:30-18:00 Coffee Break

18:00-18:30 Amos Morris-Reich: Rudolf Martin and the Development of Anthropometric Photography

18:30-19:00 Corina-Maria Palasan: Between Environment and Heredity: Criminal anthropology in Romania at the turn of the XXth century

**Friday, 16 April 2010**

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4) Panel: Eugenic networks after 1945:

Chair: Carola Sachse

- 9:30-10:00           Matthis Krischel & Heiner Fangerau:  
                          Disentangling Eugenic Networks: Visualizing actors, cultures and  
                          medical practices
- 10:00-10:30           Laura Kepplinger: Theorising the White feminist Movement  
                          as an Actor in Eugenic Networks
- 10:30-11:00           Thomas Mayer: Eugenic Networks in Austria, 1945-1980
- 11:00-11:30           Coffee Break

5) Panel: Genetic Counselling and Science after 1945

Chair: Mitchell G. Ash

- 11:30-12:00           Herwig Czech: "A Unique Material": Brain specimens from  
                          Euthanasia victims and scientific network building after WW II
- 12:00-12:30           Bernhard Wieser: Prenatal Testing: Continuity or discontinuity of  
                          Eugenic Practices?
- 12:30-14:00   Lunch break

6) Final Remarks

14:00-15:30