

Final Program

Agrosystems and Labour Relations in European Rural Societies

(Middle Ages -20th Century)

Retz (Austria), Hotel Althof,

September 1-2, 2006

Co-Ordinators:

Erich Landsteiner, University of Vienna,

Ernst Langthaler (Institut für Geschichte des ländlichen Raumes, St. Pölten – Austria)

August 31, 2006

Arrival of participants

19:00: Welcome reception and opening lecture, Erich Landsteiner, University of Vienna

September 1, 2006

9:00 – 12:00: **Working session**

Chair: Anne-Lise Head (University of Geneva, Switzerland)

Antoni Furió/Ferran Garcia-Oliver (Universitat de València, Spain): Community, household and labour relations in a Mediterranean rural society: the Valencian countryside in the Late Middle Ages.

Ramon Garrabou/Enric Tello (Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona, Spain): Ecological and socio-economic functioning of the Mediterranean agrarian systems in the middle of the 19th century: a Catalan case study (the Vallès county, 1850-1870).

12:00 – 14:00: Lunch

14:00 – 18:00: **Second working session**

Chair: Erich Landsteiner (University of Vienna)

Josef Grulich (University of České Budejovice, Czech Republic): Rural Society in Bohemia. The Chýnov Estate and Southern Bohemia in the 17th and 18th Centuries.

Peter Pozsgai (Corvinus University Budapest, Hungary): The organisation of labour within and between households in a rural region of northeastern Hungary in the 19th century.

Margareth Lanzinger (University of Vienna [Italy]): The constraint to supplement roles in rural households revisited: the employment of relatives in Tyrol and Vorarlberg in the 19th century.

20:00: Dinner

September 2, 2006

9:00-12:00: **Third working session**

Chair: Jürgen Schlumbohm (Max-Planck-Institut für Geschichte, Göttingen)

Hermann Zeitlhofer (University of Vienna, Austria): Local and regional division of labour in South Bohemian flax-growing communities (17th – 19th centuries)

Herdis Kolle (University of Bergen, Norway): Labour relations in a Russian proto-industrial community (Bun'kovskaia volost', Moscow province, 1834-1869)

12:00-14:00: Lunch

14:00-18:00: **Forth working session**

Chair: Ernst Langthaler (Institut für Geschichte des ländlichen Raumes, St. Pölten – Austria)

Frank Konersmann (University of Bielefeld, Germany): Peasant merchants and local labour markets in the Rhine valley and the Palatinate (1685-1850).

Ottar Brox (Norway): Fishing farmers of Arctic Norway (19th – 20th centuries)

Rita Garstenauer (Institut für Geschichte des ländlichen Raumes, Austria): Rural exodus and the decline of manpower in agriculture: a comparison of two Austrian regions (Salzburg and Burgenland 1950-1980)

19:00: Dinner

September 3, 2006:

Departure of participants

Invited experts:

Anne-Lise Head (University of Geneva, Switzerland)

Jon Mathieu (University of Luzern, Switzerland)

Jürgen Schlumbohm (Max-Planck-Institut für Geschichte, Göttingen)