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PROGRAMME
29 MARCH 2018
10:00 – 10:45  WELCOME AND INTRODUCTION
10:45 – 13:30  PANEL I

ENVIRONMENT AND RESOURCES
Chair: Nikolaus Katzer (German Historical Institute Moscow)

Robert Kindler (Humboldt University, Berlin):
Sushi in Petropavlovsk. Russia, Japan and the Struggle over Maritime Resources in the Northern Pacific, 1900–1941

Batithsba Demuth (Brown University, Providence):

ca. 11:45 – 12:00  COFFEE BREAK

Benjamin Beuerle (German Historical Institute Moscow):
Climate Change and Emissions in the Russian Far East: Perceptions and Approaches in Late Soviet and Post-Soviet Times, 1970s-2010s

Commentator: Julia Herzberg (Ludwig Maximillians University, Munich)

13:30 – 14:45  LUNCH
14:45 – 18:00  PANEL II

MIGRATION AND TRANSFER
Chair: Helena Holzberger (GS for East and Southeast European Studies, Munich)

Sergei Tkachev (Far Eastern Federal University, Vladivostok):
Chinese Labour Migrants in the Russian Empire (End of the 19th – Early 20th Cent.): the Point of View of Authorities and Business

David Wolff (Hokkaido University, Sapporo):
Sugihara’s Transit Visas and the Rise of Vladivostok Tourism Infrastructure, 1940–1941

ca. 15:45 – 16:15  COFFEE BREAK

Frank Grüner (Bielefeld University):
Contested Spaces and Places of Transnational Entanglement: Bazaars and Ethnic Markets in Manchuria and the Russian Far East from 1900 until Today

Tobias Holzlehnner (Martin Luther University, Halle-Wittenberg):
A Coast Gone Lonesome: Forced Migration, Resistance and Littoral Reserves in Chukotka

Commentator: Sebastian Lentz (Leibniz Institute for Regional Geography, Leipzig)

19:00  CONFERENCE DINNER

30 MARCH 2018
9:45 – 12:15  PANEL III

REPRESENTATIONS AND NORMS
Chair: Birte Kohtz (German Historical Institute Moscow)

Paul Richardson (University of Birmingham):
Geopolitical Cultures, Pragmatic Patriotism, and Russia’s Disputed Islands

Sören Urbansky (German Historical Institute Washington D.C.):
‘The Chinese Plague’. Hygiene and Sinophobic Sentiments in Vladivostok, San Francisco and Singapore

Joonseo Song (Hankuk University, Seoul):
Memory of War in the Russian Far East and Siberia

Commentator: Sandra Dahlke (German Historical Institute Moscow)

12:15 – 13:15  LUNCH
13:15 – 15:45  PANEL IV

INTERNATIONAL AND REGIONAL ACTORS BETWEEN COOPERATION AND CONFLICT
Chair: Andreas Hilger (German Historical Institute Moscow)

Yuexin Rachel Lin (University of Exeter):
Poison Money: The Chinese Rublezone in War and Revolution

Natalia Ryzhova (Far Eastern Branch of the Russian Academy of Sciences, Vladivostok):
Asia as a Source for the Development of the Russian Far East?

Tamara Troyakova (Far Eastern Federal University, Vladivostok) & Jeremy Tasch (Towson University, MD):
More than just a ‘Bridge’? Russia’s Asian Pivot through Vladivostok

Commentator: Andreas Renner (Ludwig Maximilians University, Munich)

15:45 – 16:00  COFFEE BREAK
16:00 – 17:00  FINAL DISCUSSION & OUTLOOK