

Arbeitskreis Deutsche England-Forschung

German Association for the Study of British History and Politics

CULTURAL INDUSTRIES AND CULTURAL POLITICS: BRITAIN 1750-2000

27. Jahrestagung / 27th Annual Meeting 2008
Katholische Akademie "Die Wolfsburg"
Falkenweg 6, 45478 Mülheim/Ruhr
2 - 4 May 2008

PROGRAMME

Friday, May 2, 2008

- 14.15 **Welcome** (*Christiane Eisenberg, Chairwoman*)
- 14.30 - 18.00 **Workshops** (to be held in German)
- Foreign Politics (*Gustav Schmidt*)
- History (*Christiane Eisenberg / Willibald Steinmetz*)
- Comparative Politics (*Sebastian Berg / Klaus Stolz*)
- 15.30 Coffee Break
- Workshops** (continued)
- 18.00 Dinner
- 19.00 – 19.30 **Introduction**
- Christiane Eisenberg, Berlin*
 The Cultural Industries: Structure and Aims of the Conference
- 19.30 – 20.30 **Keynote Lecture**
- Wray Vamplew, Stirling*
 Economic Approaches to Sport and Cultural History

Saturday, May 3, 2008

- 9.00 – 10.45 **18th Century: The Rise of Commercial Culture**
Chair: *Andreas Gestrich, London*

Timothy Blanning, Cambridge
The Business of Music and the Status of the Musician
in 18th-Century Britain

Ruti Ungar, Berlin/London
The Commercialisation of Honour: Boxing
in 18th-Century England
- 10.45 – 11.15 Coffee Break
- 11.15 – 13.00 **19th Century: Operation of Business in a Modern Class Society**
Chair: *Andreas Fahrmeir, Frankfurt/M.*

Peter Bailey, Indianapolis
British Music Hall: The Business of Pleasure Revisited

Klaus Nathaus, Berlin
Sport Clubs in a Commercial Society – with a Comparative View
of the German Case
- 13.00 – 14.30 Lunch Break
- 14.30 – 16.00 **20th Century: Modernisation and Expansion of Business**
Chair: *Christiane Eisenberg, Berlin*

Dave Laing, London
The American (Dis-)Connection: British Popular Music after 1950

Dilwyn Porter, Leicester
Sport, Business and the Media in 20th-Century Britain
- 16.00 – 16.30 Coffee Break
- 16.30 – 17.15 **Early 21st Century: The Cultural Industries as a Political Issue**
Chair: *André Kaiser, Köln*

Franz Brüggemeier, Freiburg
The Creative Industries Concept and Cultural Politics in
Contemporary Britain – a Historian's Perspective
- 17.15 *Andreas Gestrich, London*
Closing Remarks
- 18.00 Dinner
- 19.00-21.00 **ADEF General Meeting**

Sunday, May 4, 2008

Breakfast / End of Conference

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