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THE NORTH ATLANTIC TRIANGLE FROM THE PERSPECTIVE OF PERSONAL COMMITMENT IN THE HUMANITIES



PROGRAM

THURSDAY, 6 OCTOBER

- 14:00–14:30 **Welcome Addresses**
Christiane Wendehorst | President of the Division of Humanities and Social Sciences of the Austrian Academy of Sciences
Herta Nagl-Docekal | Member of the Commission
Carmen Birkle | Member of the Commission
- 14:30 **Laudatio**
Alfred Hornung | Johannes Gutenberg-University Mainz
- 15:00–16:15 **Cultural Exchanges in Musicology**
Chair: Herta Nagl-Docekal
- 15:00 **Cornelia Szabó-Knotik** | University of Music and Performing Arts Vienna
Don't Travel – Go Digital: Personal Relations and Cultural Exchange Today. The Impact of Digital Communication on Conceptions of Musical Repertoires
- 15:30 **Melanie Unselid** | University of Music and Performing Arts Vienna
Concluding the Research Project 'Musical Crossroads': Methodological Challenges of Transatlantic Musicological Research
- 16:15–16:45 COFFEE BREAK
- 16:45–18:30 **Challenging Issues in Canadian Studies**
Chair: Carmen Birkle
- 16:45 **Martin Löschnigg** | University of Graz
Canadian Studies in the North Atlantic Triangle: Positionings and Perspectives
- 17:15 **Jörg Türschmann** | University of Vienna
Why Should We Talk about Québec's Transatlantic Relations with Europe?
- 17:45 **David Staines** | University of Ottawa
The Development of Canadian Literature Courses in Austria and Canada

FRIDAY, 7 OCTOBER

- 09:30–11:45 **Enriching the Wide Range of Focuses in American Studies**
Chair: Martin Löschnigg
- 09:30 **Carmen Birkle** | Philipps-University Marburg
"Amerika, du hast es besser"; or, the United States as a "Gigantic Mistake"?
American Studies and Its Ambiguities
- 10:00 **Philipp Gassert** | University of Mannheim
Occupying Space: Street Protest and Protest Marches in the Transatlantic Triangle

- 10:30 **Tibor Frank** | Eötvös Loránd University, Budapest
From Hungary to Austria and North America: A Personal Voyage
- 11:00 **Wynfrid Kriegleder** | University of Vienna
19th-Century European Perspectives on the USA and the Concept of National Identity
- 11:45–12:00 COFFEE BREAK
- 12:00–12:45 **Presentation of the New Database**
Ideas Crossing the Atlantic: A Geovisualization of Transatlantic Networks and Emigration
- 12:45–14:15 LUNCH BREAK
- 14:15–16:00 **Engaging with Key Social and Political Concerns**
Chair: Philipp Gassert
- 14:15 **Manfred Prisching** | University of Graz
Americans and Europeans Do Not Live on the Same Planet
- 14:45 **Siegfried Beer** | University of Graz
The Austrian Intelligence Community since 9/11: Organization, Oversight and Outreach
- 15:15 **Danuta Shanzer** | University of Vienna
Culture Wars in Classics and Medieval Studies
- 16:00–16:30 COFFEE BREAK
- 16:30–17:45 **Cultural Exchanges in the Sciences and Philosophy**
Chair: Wynfrid Kriegleder
- 16:30 **Christoph Irmscher** | Indiana University, Bloomington
Thoughts Inspired by a Forgotten Portrait: Science and Science Reception in the North Atlantic Triangle
- 17:00 **Herta Nagl-Docekal** | University of Vienna
Philosophical Perspectives on Transatlantic Discourses: Theory of History, Gender Studies, Issues of Religion and Modernity
- 17:45–18:15 **Response**
Waldemar Zacharasiewicz | University of Vienna
- 18:30 **End of Conference**