21st Symposium
Types of Hospitals und Clinics in the Alps in the Early Modern Period

23 September – 26 September 2015
in Salzburg

German Society for the History of Hospitals
Invitation to the 21st Symposium in Salzburg, Department of History, University of Salzburg

The German Society for the History of Hospitals invites you to the society’s 21st symposium in the Austrian city of Salzburg. In addition to the oral presentations with an emphasis on the Early Modern Period, a varied programme of excursions will be offered: The focus of the city walk is on the historical hospitals in the city of Salzburg and the tradition-rich St. John’s Hospital (general hospital). In two excursions we will visit the health care facilities in the region of Pongau (St. Veit) and the still-used hospital buildings in neighbouring Bavaria (Mühldorf am Inn, until 1802 an exclave of Salzburg).

In this way historical interest in care and support of sick and old people will be combined with questions relevant to the present.

In the name of the German Society for the History of Hospitals we invite you to come to Salzburg and its surroundings.

PD Dr. Fritz Dross, DGKG (Erlangen, Department of History and Ethics of Medicine)
Ass.-Prof. Dr. Alfred Stefan Weiss, DGKG (Salzburg, Department of History)
Dr. Sabine Veits-Falk (Salzburg, City Archives)
Prof. Dr. Martin Scheutz (Vienna, Department of History)
PD Dr. Carlos Watzka (Graz, Department of Sociology)
Tuesday 22 September 2015
Individual arrival of the participants

Wednesday 23 September 2015

9.30
**Meeting point**
Star Inn Hotel Premium Gablerbräu, Richard-Mayr-Gasse 2 (pick up by Dr. Sabine Veits-Falk) or Star Inn Hotel Salzburg Zentrum, Hildmannplatz 5 (pick up by Dr. Alfred Stefan Weiß)

10.00
**Guided tour of the General Hospital Salzburg**
(former St. John’s Hospital)
Medical Director Prof. Dr. Heinrich Magometschnigg

12.30-14.15 Lunch
Restaurant Augustiner Braugasthof „Krimpelstätter“, Müllner Hauptstr. 31

14.30-17.30
**Guided city walk: Leprosarium, burgher’s hospital, Bruderhaus (“brother’s house”), Paracelsus memorial etc.**
With Dr. Peter Kramml (Salzburg City Archives)
Dr. Sabine Veits-Falk (Salzburg City Archives)
Dr. Alfred Stefan Weiß (Department of History)

17.30-19.00
**Guided tour through the music festival halls**
Resident Set Designer Mag. Michael Veits

19.00 Dinner
Restaurant “Sternbräu”, Griesgasse 2

Thursday 24 September 2015

8.45
**Departure to Mühldorf am Inn**
(Bavaria, about 80 km from Salzburg)
Meeting point: Bus park Nonntal, Erzabt-Klotz-Straße
Ca. 10.15
Guided city walk in Mühldorf: former “Versorgungsanstalten” (retirement home and hospital), modern architectural solutions (with lunch in Mühldorf)
With city archivist Mag. Edwin Hamberger

17.30 Return to Salzburg

19.00 Dinner
Restaurant “Schloss Aigen”, Schwarzenbergpromenade 37; Music by “Vokalsensemble Farbklang”

Friday 25 September 2015

8.45
Departure to St. Veit im Pongau (about 64 km from Salzburg)
Meeting point: Bus park Nonntal, Erzabt-Klotz-Straße

Ca. 10.00
Guided tour of the Landesklinik St. Veit
Former tuberculosis sanatorium Grafenhof (most famous patient was the author Thomas Bernhard)
Dr. Peter Weiler

12.30-14.15 lunch
Landesklinik St. Veit

14.30-16.00
Seelackenmuseum (focus on Thomas Bernhard)

16.30 Return to Salzburg

18.00
Literary Archives: Thomas Bernhard and illness (with text examples)
Dr. Manfred Mittermayer

19.30 Dinner Restaurant “St. Peter Stiftskeller”, St. Peter Bezirk 1/4
Saturday 26 September 2015

Symposium at the Department of History, University of Salzburg, HS 389
Rudolfskai 42 (entrance Basteigasse)

9.00-11.30
Panel I: Leprosariums and Plague Hospitals
Chair: Christina Vanja, Kassel

Vorbuwet up sunte Nicolai hove. Interdisciplinary Research on the Building and Social History of the Lüneburg Leprosarium in the Middle Ages
Alexandra Druzynski von Boetticher, Cottbus
Marie Ulrike Schmidt, Leipzig

9.30-10.00
Plague Hospitals in Austria: Temporary Crisis Management and the Attempt to Establish Acute Care Hospitals
Martin Scheutz, Vienna

10.00-10.30
Hospital and Out-of-Hospital Treatment of Lepers in Late-Medieval and Early Modern Nuremberg
Fritz Dross, Erlangen

10.30-11.00 Coffee break

11.00-11.30
The Leprosarium Salzburg-Mülln in the 18th Century – Change of Function and Practice of Admission
Robert Schwarz, Salzburg

11.30-12.00
Oral presentation of the award winner of the German Society for the History of Hospitals

12.00-13.00 Lunch break

13.00-15.00
Panel II: Hospitals
Chair: Martin Scheutz, Vienna
13.00-13.30
**Beer, Wine, Credit Transactions – but Inmates?**
The Role of the Hospital Business within the “Large Concern” – the Burgher’s Hospital of Vienna in the Early Modern Period
Sandra Pichlkastner, Vienna

13.30-14.00
**Health Care in 18th Century Orphanages: Between Bourgeois Morals und Economic Calculations**
Iris Ritzmann, Zurich

14.00-14.30
**Hospitals in Early Modern Styria – Functions and Types**
Carlos Watzka, Graz

14.30-15.00 **Coffee Break**

15.00-16.30
**Panel III: Sanatoriums und Clinics**
Chair: Fritz Dross, Erlangen

15.00-15.30
**The St. John’s Hospital in Salzburg – Hospital or Early Modern “Clinic“?**
Alfred Stefan Weiß, Salzburg

15.30-16.00
**Taking a Cure in the Alps – Sanatoriums around 1900**
Christina Vanja, Kassel

16.00-16.30
**Dr. Kerschbaumer’s Ophthalmic Clinic in Salzburg. A Private Clinic in Austria in the late 19th Century**
Sabine Veits-Falk, Salzburg

Ca. 17.30
**Closing of the symposium**
“Müllner Bräu”, Lindhofstraße 7
Registration and hotel

Conference fee
The total conference fee is 300 €. This includes all entrance fees as well as the dinner on 24 September 2015 and catering during the symposium.

Conference language: German

Registration until 30 June 2015
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