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1st International Forum on Asian History and Asian Studies

29-30 June & 1-2 July 2015, Athens, Greece

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Conference Venue: [Titania Hotel](#), 52 Panepistimiou Street, 106 78 Athens, Greece

Monday 29 June 2015

(all sessions include 10 minutes break)

08:00-09:00 Registration and Refreshments

09:00-09:30 (ROOM B) Welcome & Opening Remarks

- Dr. Gregory T. Papanikos, President, ATINER & Honorary Professor, University of Stirling, UK.
- Dr. David Philip Wick, Director, [Arts and Humanities Research Division](#), ATINER & Professor of History, Gordon College, USA.
- Dr. Jayoung Che, Head, [History Research Unit](#), Research Professor, Institute for the Mediterranean Studies, Pusan University of Foreign Studies, Republic of Korea.
- Dr. Constantine N. Vaporis, Academic Member, ATINER & Founding Director, Asian Studies Program, Presidential Research Professor, Professor of History, University of Maryland, Baltimore County (UMBC), USA.

09:30-11:30 Session I (ROOM C): Crossing Borders/Boundaries in Asia

Chair: Constantine N. Vaporis, Academic Member, ATINER & Founding Director, Asian Studies Program, Presidential Research Professor, Professor of History, University of Maryland, Baltimore County (UMBC), USA.

1. *David Gordon, Professor, Shepherd University, USA. A Tale of Two Diplomats: Sugihara Chiune (1900-1986), He Fengshan (1901-1997), and the European Jewish Flight from Nazism. (HAS)
2. *Fan Yang, Assistant Professor, University of Maryland, USA. Chimerica/Chimera: Rethinking Transnationalism in Asian Studies and (Asian) American Studies. (HAS)
3. Yuki Meno, Lecturer, Kokushikan University, Japan. Highly Intellectual Modern Indian Wizards and Witch made THE NEW INDIA and India/Japan/China PEN Club in pre-War Period: the History of Indian PEN club in pre-War Period and its International Role. (HAS)
4. Francois Gipouloux, Research Director, CNRS (National Centre for Scientific Research), France. China's Regional Trading Networks and the Emergence of Endogenous Financial Institutions: Huizhou and Shanxi Merchants Compared, 16th-20th Century. (HAS)
5. *Dandan Chen, Assistant Professor, State University of New York at Farmingdale, USA. In Response to the Global Constitutional Crisis: Reflections on the Weimar Constitution in Germany and China in the Twentieth Century. (HAS)

09:30-11:30 Session II (ROOM D): Ottoman and Turkish Studies

Chair: David Philip Wick, Director, [Arts and Humanities Research Division](#), ATINER & Professor of History, Gordon College, USA.

1. Chaim Nissim, Researcher, The Open University of Israel, Israel. The Historiography of Syria in the Late Mamluk Period and the Beginning of Ottoman Period: The Historical Writings of Shams al-Din Muhammad Ibn ʿTulūn (1475-1546). (TUR)
2. Atacan Atakan, Ph.D. Candidate, University of Arizona, USA. Creating Enemies: Children's Magazines and Enemy Images in the Ottoman Empire (1913-1918). (TUR)
3. Saffo Papantonopoulou, Ph.D. Student, University of Arizona, USA. Thrice a Stranger: Hellenism, Kemalism, Zionism. (TUR)

11:30-13:30 Session III (ROOM C): Social Movements and Cultural Practices in Asia	11:30-13:30 Session IV (ROOM D): Turkish Studies I
Chair: *David Gordon, Professor, Shepherd University, USA.	Chair: Jayoung Che, Head, History Research Unit , Research Professor, Institute for the Mediterranean Studies, Pusan University of Foreign Studies, Republic of Korea.
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> *Tessa Morris-Suzuki, Professor, Australian National University, Australia. <i>New Worlds from Below: A Century of Social Alternatives in a Japanese Mountain Community.</i> (HAS) Yiqun Zhou, Associate Professor, Stanford University, USA. <i>Teachings on Conjugal Conduct in Ancient China and Greece.</i> (HAS) *Megha Yadav, Student, Jawaharlal Nehru University, India. <i>Prajñāpāramitā: From Concept to Icon.</i> (HAS) Michael Rudolph, Professor, University of Southern Denmark, Denmark. <i>Taiwan's Indigenous Activism in Transition: From 'Counter-Hegemonic Presbyterian Aboriginality' to the 'Bureaucratization of Indigeneity'.</i> (HAS) 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Turgut Yigit, Professor, Ankara University, Turkey. <i>On the Political and Cultural Meanings of Hittite Period Rock Monuments.</i> (HIS) <u>Seyit Gokmen</u>, Research Assistant, Kilis 7 Aralik University, Turkey & Sumru Bakan, Assistant Professor, Kilis 7 Aralik University, Turkey. <i>A Driving Force of Economic Growth: Human Capital.</i> (TUR) <u>Bekir Cakildere</u>, Ph.D. Student, Hacettepe University, Turkey & Pelin Irgin, Ph.D. Student, Hacettepe University, Turkey. <i>Effects of Shutting Cram Schools down on English Language Learning.</i> (TUR)
13:30-15:00 Session V (ROOM C): Ancient History I	13:30-15:00 Session VI (ROOM D): History Writing/Historiography I
Chair: *Fan Yang, Assistant Professor, University of Maryland, USA.	Chair: *Tessa Morris-Suzuki, Professor, Australian National University, Australia.
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> *David Wick, Professor, Gordon College, USA. <i>Augustus and the Problem of the Pax Deorum – A Case Study in Social & Religious Motives at the Birth of the Roman Empire.</i> (HIS) Hae-Young Choi, Professor, Chonnam National University, South Korea. <i>Dating the Cyclops of Euripides.</i> (HIS) Richard Shiels, Emeritus Associate Professor and Director, Newark Earthworks Center, The Ohio State University, USA. <i>Revalorization All Over Again: Contested Meanings of an Ancient Site in Ohio.</i> (HIS) 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Robert LaFleur, Professor, Beloit College, USA. <i>Articulating Biographical Space Narrative, Commentary, and Biography in Chinese Historiography.</i> (HIS) Amaury A. Garcia Rodriguez, Professor, El Colegio de Mexico, Mexico. <i>The Circuits of Production, Distribution and Consumption as a Possible Narrative within Japanese Art History.</i> (HAS) Sybil Thornton, Associate Professor, Arizona State University, USA. <i>Meitokuki: Earthquakes and Literary Fabrication in the Gunki Monogatari.</i> (HAS) Soon Park, Ph.D. Student, Yonsei University, South Korea. <i>The Historical Writings about Korean Traditional Houses and its Modern Utilization.</i> (HIS)
15:00-16:00 Lunch	
16:00-18:00 Session VII (ROOM C): Contemporary History and Other Essays	
Chair: *Bichchukatti Kumar Pramiladevi, Associate Professor (Retired), India.	
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> George Kaloudis, Professor, Rivier University, USA. <i>Debating the Role of Greece in World War I: To what End?</i> (HIS) Meng-Chi Hsueh, Assistant Professor, Tunghai University, Taiwan. <i>Horizontally Shifted and Vertically Layered Ancient Cities: The Comparative Urban Histories of Xi'an and Rome.</i> (HIS) Ilksoy Aslim, Vice Chairperson, International Relations Department, Near East University, Cyprus. <i>The Soviet Union and Cyprus in 1974 Events.</i> (HIS) Chibuikwe Uche, Senior Researcher, African Studies Centre Leiden, The Netherlands. <i>"They Milked the Cow but did not feed it to Grow Fat": Idi Amin, British Government and the Expulsion of Asians from Uganda.</i> (HAS) <u>Raquel Carneiro Amin</u>, Ph.D. Student, UNICAMP/Leiden University, Brazil/The Netherlands & Lucia Reily, Professor, UNICAMP, Brazil. <i>The Child, the Artist and the Mentally Ill: Echoes in the Brazilian Scenario.</i> (HIS) 	
18:00-19:30 Session VIII (ROOM C): Ancient History & Archaeology Teaching and Researching in Austria & Germany	
Chair: Margit Linder, Academic Member, ATINER & Institut für Alte Geschichte und Altertumskunde, Karl-Franzens-Universität Graz, Austria.	
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> *Sunhild Kleingartner, Acting Director, German Maritime Museum, Germany. <i>Research Museums as External Educational Places.</i> (HAG) Margot Neger, Postdoc, University of Salzburg, Austria. <i>Dreams and dreaming in Pliny's Letters and Plutarch's Lives.</i> (HAG) Simon Thijs, Ph.D. Student, Philipps-University Marburg, Germany. <i>Hostages of Rome.</i> (HAG) *Maria Christidis, Scientific Assistant, University of Graz, Austria. <i>The University Archaeological Collections from Their Inception until Today. A Case for Teaching at The University of Graz.</i> (HIS) 	

21:00-23:00 Greek Night and Dinner (Details during registration)

Tuesday 30 June 2015

08:00-10:00 Session IX (ROOM C): International and Interethnic Relations in East Asia	08:00-10:00 Session X (ROOM D): Early Modern History
Chair: * <u>Dandan Chen</u> , Assistant Professor, State University of New York at Farmingdale, USA.	Chair: *Indira Belagumba Pranesha Rao, Associate Professor, University of Mysore, India.
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. <u>Kyungsun Hur</u>, Professor, Yonsei University, South Korea & Youngsim Cho, Ph.D. Student, Yonsei University, South Korea. Aspects of Korea-Japan Cultural Exchanges through Tongsinsa (通信使) under the Closed-Door Policy. (HAS) 2. *<u>Xiaolin Wang</u>, Associate Professor, City University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong. Renaissance or Restoration? On the Contemporary Sino-Japanese National Studies. (HAS) 3. *<u>Ning Chia</u>, Professor, Central College, USA. The Qing Lifanyuan and the Solon People of the 17th-18th Centuries. (HAS) 4. <u>Yukiyo Hoshino</u>, Associate Professor, Nagoya University, Japan. Use of Dance to Spread Propaganda during the Sino-Japanese War. (HAS) 5. *<u>Danny Orbach</u>, Ph.D. Candidate, Harvard University, USA. "By not stopping": The 1874 Taiwan Expedition and the Roots of Japanese Military Disobedience. (HAS) 6. <u>Jing Sun</u>, Master Student, Peking University and Tokyo University, China. PRC-Japan Diffidation in 1958: From the Perspective of Domestic Internationalism-Nationalism Confrontation. (HAS) 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Steven Oberhelman, Professor and Associate Dean, Texas A&M University, USA. Practical Healers and Traditional Greek Medicine, A.D. 1453–1950. (HIS) 2. *<u>Bichchukatti Kumar Pramiladevi</u>, Associate Professor (Retired), India. Social Change and Journalistic Contributions of Wesleyan Mission in Princely Mysore-A Critical Study. (HIS) 3. *<u>Ntandoni Gloria Biyela</u>, Lecturer, University of Zululand, South Africa. The Assassination of King Shaka in Zulu history: Mbopha's Identity and Involvement. (HIS) 4. <u>Mihaela Munteanu</u>, Ph.D. Student and Trainer, "Nicolae Iorga" History Institute of the Romanian Academy and Police Academy "Alexandru Ioan Cuza", Romania. The Evolution of the Interests and the Negotiations of the Great Powers in the Romanian Danube Sector during the First Half of the Nineteenth Century. (HIS) 5. <u>Alina Cristina Munteanu</u>, Ph.D. Student, University of Bucharest, Romania. Travelling in Oriental Romania in the Second Half of the Nineteenth Century, according to the Writings of the Western Travelers. (HIS) 6. <u>Florenta Teleman</u>, Ph.D. Student and Trainer, "Nicolae Iorga" History Institute of the Romanian Academy and Police Academy "Alexandru Ioan Cuza", Romania. Relationships between Radu Vodă Monastery in Bucharest and Ivir Monastery on Mount Athos. (HIS)
10:00-11:30 Session XI (ROOM C): The Arts in Asia	10:00-11:30 Session XII (ROOM D): Studies on Modern Turkey
Chair: * <u>Xiaolin Wang</u> , Associate Professor, City University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong.	Chair: Steven Oberhelman, Professor and Associate Dean, Texas A&M University, USA.
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. <u>Kanakathara Somannavar</u>, Associate Professor, University of Bangalore, India. Music Training Schools during the Period of Wodeyars of Mysore. (HIS) 2. <u>Min Koo Choi</u>, Visiting Assistant Professor, Georgetown University, USA. Collaborator Mesmerized by Nationalist: The Narrative Configuration of Nationalism and Colonial Modernity in the Film Modern Boy (2008). (HAS) 3. <u>Yuanyuan Li</u>, Assistant Professor, Zhejiang University, China. Film Genre in China during 1920s and 1930s. (HAS) 4. <u>Nagaveni T.</u>, Assistant Professor, University of Mysore, India. The Transition of Banjara Art from Tradition to Modernity with Special Reference to Embroidery. (HIS) 5. <u>Taka Oshikiri</u>, Lecturer, University of the West Indies, Jamaica. Gathering for Tea in Meiji Tokyo. (HAS) 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. <u>Cetin Balanuye</u>, Associate Professor, Akdeniz University, Turkey. A New Dilemma for Education in Turkey: The Postmodern Totalitarianism. (TUR) 2. <u>Buket Candan</u>, Faculty Member, Cankiri Karatekin University, Turkey. The Open Access Concept and the Viewpoint of Academic Staff in Turkish Universities to the Open Access Archives. (TUR) 3. <u>Mihalis Kuyucu</u>, Assistant Professor, Istanbul Aydin University and Gbtimes Turkey Media, Turkey. Social Media Generation. The Differences of Social Media Use of X and Y Generation in the Sample of Turkey. (TUR) 4. *<u>Pelin Irgin</u>, Ph.D. Student, Hacettepe University, Turkey & <u>Bekir Cakildere</u>, Ph.D. Student, Hacettepe University, Turkey. The Conversion of MEB High Schools into Anatolian High Schools. (TUR)

11:30-13:00 Session XIII (ROOM C): Ancient History II	11:30-13:00 Session XIV (ROOM D): Contemporary History II
Chair: Mihalis Kuyucu, Assistant Professor, Istanbul Aydin University and Gbtimes Turkey Media, Turkey. Social Media Generation.	Chair: *Ning Chia, Professor, Central College, USA.
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Elizabeta Dimitrova, Professor, University of Sts Cyril and Methodius, FYROM. <i>Painterly Vistas at Stobi: The Early Byzantine Frescoes in the Episcopal Basilica.</i> (HIS) 2. Kenneth Moore, Senior Lecturer, Teesside University, U.K. <i>Pythagorean Symbolism in Plato's Philebus.</i> (HIS) 3. *<u>Daniel Varga</u>, Scientific Advisor, Israel Antiquities Authorities, Israel. <i>A Late Fifth Century Byzantine Church and Mosaics in Aluma, Southern Israel.</i> (HIS) 4. *Jayoung Che, Assistant Professor, Busan University of Foreign Studies, South Korea. <i>Political Transition of "Koinon" of Akarnania and Aitolia in the Ancient Mid-West Greece.</i> 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Moshe Gat, Professor, Bar-Ilan University, Israel. <i>Kissinger; the Architect of Sinai-2 Agreement between Israel and Egypt, September 1975.</i> (HIS) 2. *Indira Belagumba Pranasha Rao, Associate Professor, University of Mysore, India. <i>Positive Reaffirmation-The Role of Voluntary Women's Organisations in Mysore.</i> (HIS) 3. *Charl Blignaut, Lecturer, Potchefstroom Campus, North-West University, South Africa. <i>"Can a Woman be of Service to her Nation through her Home?": Afrikaner Politics and Women in the Ossewa-Brandwag, 1942 to 1952.</i> (HIS)

13:00-14:00 Lunch

14:00-16:00 Session XV (ROOM C): Special Topics in History and Archaeological Studies
Chair: *Charl Blignaut, Lecturer, Potchefstroom Campus, North-West University, South Africa.
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Stephen Bay, Assistant Professor, Brigham Young University, USA. <i>Piratic License: The Rhetoric of Piracy in the Ancient Historians.</i> (HIS) 2. Sreekanta, Assistant Professor, University of Mysore, India. <i>Srirangapatna-Shifting Parameters of Trade and Commerce.</i> (HIS) 3. Sujatha N. Cheeyanna Napand, Assistant Professor, Karnataka State Open University, India. <i>Jamma Land Tenure in Kodagu- a Critical Study.</i> (HIS) 4. *Fayyaz Zahed, Assistant Professor, Islamic Azad University, Iran. <i>A Short Indecision on the History and Politic Dealing.</i> (HIS)

17:30-20:00 Urban Walk (Details during registration)

20:30- 22:00 Dinner (Details during registration)

Wednesday 1 July 2015
Cruise: (Details during registration)

Thursday 2 July 2015
Delphi Visit: (Details during registration)