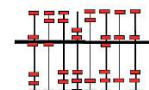


# DIGITAL HUMANITIES AND OTTOMAN STUDIES

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challenges,  
perspectives and  
prospective research

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INSTITUT für  
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THURSDAY, 7 JULY 2022

13:00 - 14:30 **Registration**

Department of Near Eastern Studies,  
Spitalgasse 2, Hof 4.1. (Campus),  
1090 Vienna

15:00 - 17:00 **Visit to the Department of Manuscripts and Rare Book**

Austrian National Library, Josefsplatz 1, 1010 Vienna

17:30 - 19:00 **Welcome and introduction**

Aula, Hof 1.11 (Campus), 1090 Vienna

**Karlheinz Mört**

(ACDH-CH, Austrian Academy of Sciences)

**Yavuz Köse**

(University of Vienna)

**Cristina Vertan**

(Berlin-Brandenburg Academy of Sciences  
and Humanities)

**Walther v. Hahn**

(University of Hamburg)

19:00 **Reception**

Aula am Campus, Hof 1.11  
(Campus), 1090 Vienna

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FRIDAY, 08 JULY 2022

Aula am Campus, Hof 1.11 (Campus), 1090 Vienna

SECTION 1

9:00 - 10:30 **Reshaping Ottoman Studies in the era of DH**

Chair: Yavuz Köse (University of Vienna)

Markus Koller (Ruhr University Bochum) [online]

Raoul Motika (University of Hamburg)

Stefan Rohdewald (University of Leipzig) [online]

Amy Singer (Brandeis University)

10:30 - 10:45 Coffee break

## SECTION 2

10:45 - 12:15 **Transcription and text recognition I**

Chair: Amy Singer (Brandeis University)

Impulse talk: Günter Mühlberger  
(Transkribus, University of Innsbruck)

### **Transcription** *Transkribus*

Aysu Akcan / Julia Fröhlich / Yavuz Köse (University of Vienna)

Suphan Kirmızaltın (New York University, Abu Dhabi)

Milanka Matić-Chalkitis (University of Freiburg)

Merve Tekgürler (Stanford University) [online]

### *Transcription of Ottoman-Turkish Texts Using Deep Learning*

Berrin Yankıoğlu (VERİM, Sabancı University) [online]

Mehmet Kuru (DH Lab, Sabancı University)

Fatma Öncel (DH Lab, Sabancı University)

Esma Fatma Bilgin Taşdemir (Medeniyet University) [online]

Aysu Akcan (University of Vienna)

M. Erdem Kabadayı (Urban Occupations OETR, Koç University) [online]

### **OCR**

#### *Calfa*

Chahan Vidal-Gorène (Calfa, Paris)

#### *Muteferriqa*

Kürsat Aker / Cemil Ozan Ceyhan  
(Miletos - Muteferriqa, İstanbul)

12:15-13:30 Lunch

13:30 - 14:00 **Transcription and text recognition II**

Discussion

## SECTION 3

### 14:00 - 15:15 **Digitization and digital libraries**

Chair: Raoul Motika (University of Hamburg)

Impulse talk: Martin Gasteiner (PHайдРА, NEWSEYE, University Library Vienna)  
Volker Adam (MENALIB, Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg)  
Hülya Çelik (Ruhr University Bochum) [online]  
Christoph Rauch (Qalamos, State Library at Berlin)

15:15-15:30 Coffee break

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## SECTION 4

### 15:30-16:30 **Digital edition and infrastructures**

Chair: Karlheinz Mörth (ACDH-CH, Austrian Academy of Sciences)

Impulse talk: Alexander Czmiel (Berlin-Brandenburg Academy of Sciences and Humanities)  
Neslihan Demirkol / Zeynep Helvacı (University of Münster)  
Yasir Yılmaz / Stephan Kurz (Austrian Academy of Sciences)

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## SECTION 5

### 16:30-18:00 **Linguistic annotation, (multilingual) text and data mining**

Chair: Michael Piotrowski (University of Lausanne)

Impulse talks: Cristina Vertan (Berlin-Brandenburg Academy of Sciences and Humanities), Tamás Kiss (Eötvös Loránd University), Alicia Gonzalez Martinez (University of Hamburg)  
Emre Erol (DH Lab, Sabancı University, Istanbul)  
Claudia Römer (University of Vienna)

18:30 Dinner

SATURDAY, 09 JULY 2022

Department of Near Eastern Studies, "Hörsaal", Spitalgasse 2, Hof 4.1.  
(Campus), 1090 Vienna

## SECTION 6

### 09:00 - 10:30 **Embedding external knowledge**

Chair: Walther von Hahn (University of Hamburg)

Impulse talks: Pavlos Fafalios (Centre for Cultural Informatics, Institute of Computer Science, FORTH) [online]

Cristina Vertan (Berlin-Brandenburg Academy of Sciences and Humanities)

10:30:10:45 Coffee break

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## SECTION 7

### 10:45-12:15 **Representation of vagueness and uncertainty**

Chair: Alexander Czmiel (Berlin-Brandenburg Academy of Science and Humanities)

Impulse talks: Michael Piotrowski (University of Lausanne)

Walther von Hahn (University of Hamburg)

Cristina Vertan (Berlin-Brandenburg Academy of Sciences and Humanities)

12:15-13:15 Lunch on site

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## SECTION 8

### 13:15 -14:45 **Multimedia, GIS**

Chair: Grigor Boykov (University of Vienna)

Impulse talk: Virginio Cantoni (University of Pavia)

Ali Yaycioğlu (Stanford University)

Antonis Hadjikyriacou (Panteion University, Athens),

M. Erdem Kabadayı (Koç University) [online]

14:45-15:00 Coffee break

### 15:00 -15:45 **Final discussion and future perspectives**

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# DIGITAL HUMANITIES AND OTTOMAN STUDIES

## Online Lecture Series

22.10.2020-28.01.2021 | Thursdays, 18:00-18:40 CET

This online lecture series was intended as a preparation for the workshop entitled Digital Humanities and Ottoman Studies. State of the art, challenges, perspectives and prospective research. The presentations marked with \* are available under the following link: <https://lecture2go.uni-hamburg.de/l2go/-/get/l/6975>

- **22.10.2020** Süphan Kırmızıaltın (Abu Dhabi): Ottoman Text Recognition
- **10.2020** Kürşat Aker (Northern Cyprus) and Cemil Ozan Ceyhan (Istanbul): Muteferriqa - Ottoman Turkish Search Engine
- **05.11.2020** Emre Erol (Istanbul): Visualizing a Prosopographical Study of the Young Turk Elites: Using Data Mining, Network Clusters and Spatial Mapping
- **12.11.2020** Jörg Wetzlaufer (Göttingen): Travels in the 19th-Century Ottoman Empire. A Digital History Research Project
- **19.11.2020** M. Erdem Kabadayı (Istanbul) and Yekta Can (Istanbul): Urban Occupations OETR. Bringing Ottoman/Turkish History into Digital Humanities
- **26.11.2020** Antonis Hadjikyriacou (Athens), Ali Yaycioğlu (Stanford), Erik Steiner (Stanford) and Fatma Öncel (Stanford): Mapping Ottoman Epirus: Region, Power and Empire (Center for Spatial and Textual Analysis (CESTA))
- **10.12.2020** Gisela Procházka-Eisl (Vienna), Hülya Çelik (Bochum), Omar Siam (Vienna): From Digital Transcription to a Searchable Corpus that Lasts: Ottoman Miscellanies and an Encyclopaedia go TEI
- **07.01.2021** Antonis Hadjikyriacou (Athens): Economy, Environment and Landscape in the Cypriot Longue Durée: Combining Maps and Fiscal Surveys from the Fifteenth to the Twentieth Century
- **21.01.2021** Aysu Akcan (Vienna) and Yavuz Köse (Vienna): HT Rising Ottoman Manuscripts
- **28.01.2021** Hülya Çelik (Bochum) and Thomas Wallnig (Vienna): Digitizing Early Orientalism: What did the Republic of Letters Know about the Orient?
- **04.02.2021** Nil Tuzcu (Cambridge, MA): Istanbul Urban Database
- **11.02.2021** Alicia Gonzaléz Martínez (Hamburg): Cobhuni - Contemporary Bioethics and the History of the Unborn in Islam
- **25.02.2021** Cristina Vertan (Hamburg): HerCoRe - Hermeneutic and Computer-based Analysis of Reliability, Consistency and Vagueness in Historical Texts

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