The Program of International Conference

“Border History”
in Sapporo, 2017

3-5 August 2017

Conference room
in Slavic-Eurasian Research Center,
Hokkaido University

JSPS Topic-Setting Program to Advance Cutting-Edge Humanities and Social Sciences Research
3 August
(Thursday)

9:15 Opening Remarks

9:30 Key-note Lecture (I)
“Border Studies - Some Conceptual and Theoretical Clarifications”
by Stefan Berger (Institute for Social Movement, Ruhr-Universität Bochum, Germany)

11:00 coffee break

11:15 First Session “Conflicted and Negotiating Borderlands”
- Chair —— Takahiko Hasegawa (Hokkaido University, Japan)
- Hitomi Sato (Konan University, Japan),
  “Cultures and Languages of Revolt in the Alps of the Late Middle Ages”
- Małgorzata Glowacka-Grajper (Warsaw University, Poland)
  “Shifting Borders and Memory Practices in the Borderlands of East-Central Europe:
   The Case of “Kresy” (Former Polish Eastern Borderlands)”
- Comment — Toshie Awaya (Tokyo University of Foreign Studies, Japan)

13:00 lunch break

14:30 Second Session “Contested Borders in North-Eastern Eurasia”
- Chair —— Norihiro Naganawa (Slavic-Eurasian Research Center, Hokkaido University, Japan)
- Takahiro Yamamoto (JSPS Postdoctoral Fellow / University of Tokyo, Japan)
  “Territorial Boundaries and Marine Animal Hunting in the Kuril Islands in the Late Nineteenth Century”
- Kwangmin Kim (Colorado University, Korea/USA)
  “Central Asian Merchants and the Border Experience in Xinjiang, 1860 - 1910”
- Comment — Eisuke Kaminaga (Niigata University of International and Information Studies)

16:15 coffee break

16:30 Key-note Lecture (II)
"Studying Borders in Japan and Beyond”
by Akihiro Iwashita (Slavic-Eurasian Research Center, Hokkaido University, Japan)

18:30 Reception (at the Enreiso in Hokkaido University)
4 August
(Friday)

9:15 Thrid Session “Ancient and Pre-modern States and Borders”
- Chair — Satoshi Koyama (Kyoto University, Japan)
- Takashi Fujii (Kwansei Gakuin University, Japan)
  “New Greece: Reformation of Borders under the Roman Empire”
- Seonmin Kim (Korea University, Korea)
  “Environmental Relations in the Historical Space of the Qing-Chosón Borderland”
- Comment — Yu Hashimoto (Hokkaido University, Japan)

11:15 lunch break

12:30 Fourth Session “Borders and Minorities”
- Chair — Hiromi Komori (Waseda University, Japan)
- Loretta Kim (Hong Kong University, Korea/China)
- Takehiro Okabe (University of Tokyo/Helsinki University, Japan/Finland)
  “From Finnic to Soviet Family: Finnic Minorities and Border in the Soviet-Finnish Controversy over the Kalevala (the 1880s - the 1940s)”
- Comment — Tessa Morris-Suzuki (Australian National University, Australia)

14:30 coffee break

14:50 Discussion
- Chair — Nobuya Hashimoto
  (Kwansei Gakuin University, Japan)
- Discussant — Chris Lorenz
  (Institute for Social Movement, Ruhr-Universität Bochum, Germany)
  Jie-Hyun Lim
  (Critical Global Studies Institute, Sogang University, Korea)

16:20 Closing Remarks

5 August
(Saturday)

Excursion (optional)
Venue

Conference room in Slavic-Eurasian Research Center, Hokkaido University

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