

***CARMEN – Co-operative for the Advancement of Research
through a Medieval European Network***

Annual Meeting, 11-13 September 2009

IMAREAL

Institut für Realienkunde des Mittelalters und der frühen Neuzeit
(of the Austrian Academy of Sciences) Krems, Austria

Friday, 11 September 2009 - afternoon

- 12:00 – 15:30 *Locations to be arranged by individual groups:
(Optional) Lunchtime preliminary meetings* for research lines and groups.
Suggested cafés in Krems:
Stadtcafé Ulrich, Südtirolerplatz 7 or Café Hagman, Untere Landstraße 10
- 14:00 – 15:00 *Rooms:* Volkshochschule Krems [Obere Landstraße 10]
CARMEN Steering Group, comprising invited representatives.
- 15:00 – 16:00 ***Meeting of WUN members in relation to the CARMEN Steering Group.***
- 15:00 – 16:00 ***CARMEN Council meeting***, comprising invited participants only (to discuss matters which shall then be presented for discussion and approval by the full assembly on Sunday morning).
- 16:00 onwards *Registration desk at Gozzoburg, Krems [Hoher Markt 11], 200m from Volkshochschule*
Registration:
- pay for dinners and indicate special dietary requirements – if any
 - reservations for the Sunday afternoon excursion

Friday, 11 September 2008 - evening

- 17:00 *Room: Gozzoburg, Krems [Hoher Markt 11]*
Start of Meeting
- 17:15 ***Welcome Session***
Claire McIlroy (Conference Manager of CARMEN / ARC Network for Early European Research) and Gerhard Jaritz (IMAREAL)
Welcome and Practical Notices [5-10 mins]
- Simon Forde (Executive Director of CARMEN)
Brief Introduction to the Aims of the Weekend [10-15 mins]
- Introductory Papers***
Elisabeth Vavra, Director of IMAREAL
Welcome to Krems and an Introduction to the Institut für Realienkunde des Mittelalters und der frühen Neuzeit [10-15 mins]
- Andreas Schwarcz, Universität Wien
Medieval Studies in Austria today [15-20 mins]
- 18:30 ***Informal Social Time***
- 19:30 Restaurant: “Alte Post” [Obere Landstraße 32]
Evening meal. Proposed menu @ €20 per person

Saturday, 12 September 2009 – morning

09:00

Room: Volkshochschule Krems [Obere Landstraße 10]

The Market-Place

Objective: Participants are encouraged during this period to visit stalls which present current CARMEN projects and projects from various institutions.

Stallholders include:

1. IMAREAL, Krems – Gerhard Jaritz and Ingrid Matschneegg
2. Utrecht medievalists –Marco Mostert
3. Central European University (CEU), Medieval Studies Department – Balázs Nagy
4. Centre for Medieval and Renaissance Culture, University of Southampton – Marianne O'Dogherty
5. ARC Network for Early European Research / Centre for Medieval and Early Modern Studies, University of Western Australia – Anne Scott
6. Medieval Section of the Taiwan Association of [Western] Classical, Medieval and Renaissance Studies – Nicholas Koss
7. Brepols Series: Textes Vernaculaires du Moyen Age – Stephen Morrison
8. Centre for Environmental History, University of Stirling – Richard Oram
9. International research group 'Prophecy as Code of Communication' – Felicitas Schmieder
10. Medieval Academy of America – Paul Szarmach
11. Internation Project 'Charlemagne: A European Icon' – Marianne Ailes

10:30 – 11:00

Room: Foyer of the Volkshochschule

Tea and coffee break

11:00

Room: Volkshochschule Krems

Guest Speaker 1: Monika Lanzenberger

Project Management Expert

ERC: European Research Council

Guest Speaker 2: Stefan Bernhardt

Head of 'Public Relations and Science Communications'

Austrian Science Fund (FWF)

"Funding the Humanities. Some Indications"

12:00-13:00

Room: Yard of the Volkshochschule Krems

Buffet lunch

Saturday, 12 September 2009 – afternoon

13:00 *Planning Meetings of CARMEN Research Lines or Related Groups, Session 1*

Group: **Graduate School for Medieval Studies**
CARMEN Contact: Wim Verbaal (Gent) - Wim.Verbaal@UGent.be
Room: Volkshochschule Krems

Group: **Symbols that Bind and Break Communities: Saints' Cults as Stimuli and Expressions of Local, Regional, National and Universalist Identities**
CARMEN Contact: Nils Holger Petersen (København) – nhp@teol.ku.dk
Room: Volkshochschule Krems

Group: **'Cuius Regio': An Analysis of the Cohesive and Disruptive Forces Determining the Attachment and Commitment of (Groups of) Persons to and the Cohesion within Regions**
CARMEN Contact: Dick de Boer - D.E.H.de.Boer@rug.nl
Room: Volkshochschule Krems

15:00 *Room:* Foyer of the Volkshochschule
Tea and coffee break

15:30 – 17:30 *Planning Meetings of CARMEN Research Lines or Related Groups, Session 2*

Group: **Medieval Manuscript Research and Semantic Web Technologies**
CARMEN Contact: Toby Burrows (ARC Network for Early European Research) - tburrows@library.uwa.edu.au
Room: Volkshochschule Krems

Group: **Mapping Historical Europe: A draft scheme for an ESF-Eurocores theme (or 'umbrella') project**
CARMEN Contact: Simon Forde - Simon.Forde@brepols.net
Room: Volkshochschule Krems

Group: **Advocacy Group for Medieval Studies**
CARMEN Contacts: Anne Scott (ARC Network for Early European Research)
Room: Volkshochschule Krems

Saturday, 12 September 2009 – evening

18:00-19:00 *Optional: Guided walk around the town of Krems*

19:00 *Restaurant: Wine Reception and Evening Meal* at the "Heuriger" Weingut Michael Müllner [Stadtgraben 50] Proposed menu @ €15 per person

Sunday, 13 September 2008 - morning

09:00

Room: Volkshochschule

Business Meeting

Chair: Mette B. Bruun (General Secretary of CARMEN, and Center for Studiet af Kulturarven fra Middelalderens Ritualer, det Teologiske Fakultet, Københavns Universitet)

Objectives:

- (i) to report on progress made with resolutions agreed at the Prato and Poitiers annual meetings (2007 and 2008)
- (ii) to make recommendations to the full assembly and seek their approval or otherwise

10:00

Tea and coffee break

10:30

Report-Backs from CARMEN Research Lines

Chair: Dick de Boer (Academic Director of CARMEN and Onderzoekschool Mediëvistiek / Rijksuniversiteit Groningen)

Objective: for each research line or activity to give (within a strict maximum of 5 minutes) a brief oral report of their activities in the past year and their concrete plans for the coming 12 months.

11:30

Thanks and Close

11:45

Departures

12:00 onwards

Own lunch arrangements followed by an **optional excursion to the Wachau Valley (13:00-19:00)**. At least 10 participants are required and the cost will be approx. €50.