

Zeitgeschichtlicher Arbeitskreis Niedersachsen (ZAKN)

The European Generation(s) of '1968' *68er-Generation(en) in Europa*

27 – 28 November 2009 in Göttingen, Hotel Eden

Friday, 27 November 2009

14:00 Introduction

Bernd Weisbrod/Anna v.d. Goltz: The Generation(s) of 1968: introducing the workshop

14.30 – 16.30

Section 1: The Making of the '68ers' as an International Generation.

Robert Gildea (Oxford)

Historians, Activists and the Generation of '68 in France

Marica Tolomelli (Bologna)

'Il Sessantotto': Building the Italian '68er' generation

Moderator: **Dirk Schumann** (Göttingen)

16.30: Coffee break

17:00 – 19: 00

Section 2: An Intellectual Generation: The generation of intellectuals

Dominik Geppert (Bonn)

A Clash of Generations? '1968' and the Dissolution of Group 47

Riccardo Bavaj (St Andrews)

Young, Old and In-Between. Liberal scholars and 'generation building' in the wake of West Germany's Student Revolt.

Moderator: **Axel Schildt** (Hamburg)

19:30 Dinner at Italian Restaurant

Saturday, 28 November 2009

9:00-11:00

Section 3: The New Generations of Post-communism?

Andrea Genest (Potsdam)

The discovery of the '68er' generation in Poland

James Mark (Exeter)

Lost revolution – lost generation? The case of Hungary.

Moderator: **Lutz Niethammer** (Jena)

11:00 Coffee break

11:15-13:15

Section 4: A Generation of Moral Outrage: The local and the global perspective

Wilfried Mausbach (Heidelberg)

A Shared Moral Universe? The Vietnam War and the Generation of '68 in West Germany and the United States.

Knud Andresen (Hamburg)

Generation-conflict or class-conflict? The “Lehrlingsbewegung” in West-Germany 1968-1972

Moderator: **Adelheid von Saldern** (Göttingen)

13.15 Lunch at Italian Restaurant

14:15 – 16:00

Section 5: A Divided Generation? Political polarization and generational mobilization ‘around 1968’.

Anna von der Goltz (Oxford)

The ‘other 68ers’ in West Germany: political polarization and conservative mobilization.

Holger Nehring (Sheffield)

Generational Narratives and '1968' in Western Europe

Moderator: **Bernd Weisbrod** (Göttingen)

16:00 Coffee break

16:15 – 17:00 Closing remarks/discussion