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Public Sphere and Diversifying Views of History: Memories and Reconciliation in Europe and Asia

GSI Caravan International Conference

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Programme 5. November 2022

17:00-17:05 Greetings: Prof. Dr. Atsuko Kawakita (Director DESK)

Panel 1 Perspectives on Memories and Reconciliation

17:05-17:20 Introduction: Memories and Reconciliation in Europe and Asia

Prof. Dr. Yuji Ishida (University of Tokyo)

17:20-17:40 Cities as Transnational Spaces of Memory?

Prof. Dr. Andreas Rutz (TU Dresden)

17:40-18:00 Dresden as a *lieu de mémoire*. Public Spaces of Reconciliation in the Field of Tension between the Myth of the Baroque City and New Partnerships 1945-2020

Lennart Kranz M.A. (TU Dresden)

18:00-18:30 Discussion

Host: Prof. Dr. Michael Rohrschneider (University of Bonn)

18:30-18:45 Break

Panel 2 Reconciliation and Civil Society

18:45-19:05 Permanence and Performativity – Public Reconciliation in Coventry and Dresden

Prof. Dr. Christine G. Krüger, James Krull M.A., Victoria Fischer M.A. (University of Bonn)

19:10-19:30 From Indemnities to Redress, 1950s - 1990s – Tracing the Changing Attitudes of the Japanese Society towards the Battle of the Philippines

Prof. Dr. Taihei Okada (University of Tokyo)

19:35-19:55 Why is "reconciliation" difficult? Rethinking the Comfort Women Issue

Prof. Dr. Masaru Tonomura (University of Tokyo)

20:00-20:30 Discussion

Host: Prof. Dr. Ireneusz Pawel Karolewski (University of Leipzig)

Simultaneous Interpretation: Japanese→English