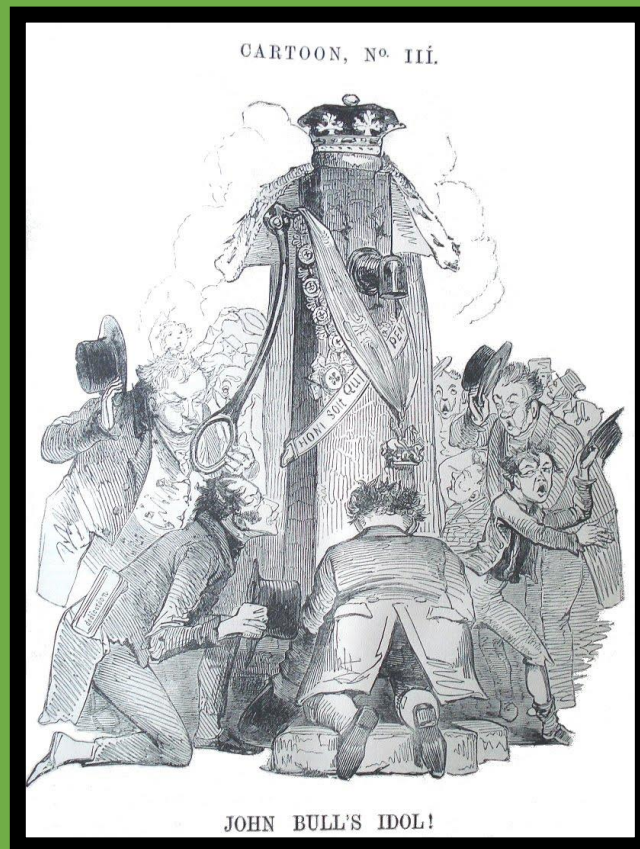


UNIVERSITY of STIRLING



DIVISION OF HISTORY, HERITAGE AND POLITICS

Corruption, Public Service and the 'Common Good' in Western Europe in 19th Century



International Conference

8-9 June 2023

9.30am – 5pm

University of Stirling, Cottrell Building, Room 2V1

Programme – Thursday 8 June

9.30 – Registration

9.45 – Introduction and Welcome

10.00 - Keynote Address:

Corruption equals periphery? Analyzing debates about corruption around 1900

Dr Ronald Kroeze (Radboud Universiteit, Nijmegen)

11.00 – Panel 1 – Varieties of Anti-corruption approaches in Central Europe.

Paper 1 - Clerics Confront Corruption: The Cathedral Chapter of Eichstätt v. Prince-Bishop of Eichstätt, 1718 – 1725

Peter Roethke (University of Pennsylvania)

Paper 2: Corruption, Reform, Enlightened Absolutism: Electoral

Saxony's *Rétablissement* after the Seven Years War

Professor Andre Wakefield (Pitzer College, California)

Paper 3: Electoral Manipulation, Government Intervention and Political Culture in the Habsburg Monarchy: The 1872 'Chabrus' Elections to the Bohemian Landtag

Dr Jonathan Kwan (University of Nottingham)

12.30 - Lunch

1.30 – Panel 2 - How to 'Get to Sweden' – or Norway – or Germany

Paper 1: From financial fraud to a Weberian bureaucracy? The development of the Norwegian state administration in the 19th century with a few Scandinavian comparisons

Dr Harald Espeli (Norwegian Business School)

Paper 2: Concepts of Loyalty and Performance in the 19th century German civil service

Dr Marianne Czisnik

Paper 3: Swedish exceptionalism? Why endemic corruption never took hold in Sweden during the 19th century

Dr Andreas Bagenholm (University of Gothenburg)

3.00 Break

3.30 – Panel 3 - In Search of Public Service Excellence: Histories of Systems and Practices of Training and Education for Public Service

Paper 1 – The Dutch Experience

Dr Toon Kerkhoff (University of Leiden)

Paper 2 – The German Experience

Professor Stefan Fisch (University of Speyer)

Paper 3 – The British Experience

Dr Ian Cawood (University of Stirling)

5.00 - End of Day 1

7.00 - Conference Dinner – University Court Hotel

Programme – Friday 9 June

9.30 - Keynote address

Transformations of Corruption in 19th century: debates and practices
Professor Jens Ivo Engels (Technische Universität, Darmstadt)

10.30 - Forum

Corruption Studies – Historical and Political approaches – competing or complementary?
Chair – *Dr Sean Kippin (University of Stirling)*

11.15 - Break

11.30 – Panel 4 - A Relentless Obsession: Political and Administrative Immorality in Modern Spain

Paper 1 - *Dr Maria Gemma Rubí Casals (Universitat Autònoma Barcelona)*

Paper 2 - *Dr Lluís Ferran Toledano González (Universitat Autònoma Barcelona)*

Paper 3 - *Joan Torrents Juncà (Universitat Autònoma Barcelona)*

12.30 – Lunch

1.30 – Panel 5 – Key moments in the Transformation of 19th Century British Administration

Paper 1 - Competence, candour and corruption: Changing values?

Hugh Gault

Paper 2 - Colonial Corruption and Public Office: Arthur Crawford's Controversy in Late Nineteenth Century British India

Anubha Anushree (Stanford University)

Paper 3 - Conflicts of interest in public life: the reform and reinvention of a regulatory ideal in Britain, c. 1850–1914

Dr Tom Crook (Oxford Brookes University)

3.00 - Break

3.30 - Plenary – Did Western Europe experience a 'revolution' in administrative standards in 19th Century

Chair – *Dr Ian Cawood (University of Stirling)*

4..30 Close of Conference

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