

STUDY GROUP ON EIGHTEENTH-CENTURY RUSSIA

High Leigh Centre, Hoddesdon, 2-4 January 2002

Programme**WEDNESDAY 2 JANUARY**

- 16.15 Tea
 17.00 Debra Coulter (UK): "The Changing Civic and Legal Role of Priests in Late 17th-early 18th-c. Russia"
 19.00 Dinner
 20.00 Janet Hartley (UK): "Charles Whitworth, English Diplomat in Russia - A Clash of Cultures?"

THURSDAY 3 JANUARY

- 8.30 Breakfast
 9.30 Gary Marker (USA) "The Veneration of St. Catherine and the Advent of Female Rule in Russia"
 11.00 Coffee
 11.30 Giovanna Moracci (Italy): "Komedii Ekateriny II. K probleme avtorstva"
 13.00 Lunch

FREE TIME or WALK [weather permitting]

- 16.15 Tea
 17.00 Leonid Sitnikov (Russia): "Jeremy and Samuel Bentham in Russian Archives"
 19.00 Dinner
 20.00 Business meeting, including further discussion of plans for the 2004 International Conference.

FRIDAY 4 JANUARY

- 8.30 Breakfast
 [Please strip the beds and clear your rooms before the first session. Bags and coats may be stored in the meeting room]
 9.30 Rosamund Bartlett (UK): "Opera and Operatic Life in 18th-century Moscow and St Petersburg"
 11.00 Coffee
 11.30 Catherine and Diderot: a discussion of Malcolm Bradbury's novel *To the Hermitage* (2000), led by Gareth Jones. [Please read the book in advance if you can. Copies of key passages will be available at the meeting.]
 13.00 Lunch

End of conference

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Participants

Prof. Roger Bartlett (SSEES, University College London)
Dr. Rosamund Bartlett (Oxford Univ.) [3-4 Jan.]
Prof. Anthony Cross (Cambridge Univ.)
Dr. Debra Coulter
Prof. Isabel de Madariaga (SSEES)
Prof. Maria di Salvo (Milan Univ.)
Prof. Simon Dixon (Leeds Univ.)
Prof. Charles Drage (Imperial College, London) [3-4 Jan. non-resident]
Mr. Charles Ellis (Bristol Univ.)
Dr. Janet Hartley (London School of Economics)
Prof. Lindsey Hughes (SSEES)
Prof. Gareth Jones (Bangor)
Mr. Paul Keenan (SSEES)
Prof. Joachim Klein (Leiden Univ.)
Prof. Gary Marker (State Univ. of New York at Stony Brook)
Mr. Caspar Meyer (Oxford Univ.)
Prof. Giovanna Moracci (Urbano Univ.)
Prof. Elena Mozgovaia (Repin Institute, St Petersburg)
Prof. Patrick O'Meara (Trinity College Dublin)
Prof. Wendy Rosslyn (Nottingham Univ.)
Dr. Denis Shaw (Birmingham Univ.)
Dr. Leonid Sitnikov (Moscow)
Dr Alessandra Tosi (Cambridge Univ.)
Dr Ed Weeda