



Study Group on Eighteenth-Century Russia



2009 Meeting
High Leigh Conference Centre, Hoddesdon

Monday, 5 January

- 16.00-17.00 Registration and tea
- 17.00-18.30 Marianna Muravyeva (School of Law, Herzen State Pedagogical University, St. Petersburg): **Seduced or Raped: attitudes to sexual coercion in 18th century Russia**
- 19.00 Dinner
- 20.15 Business Meeting

Tuesday, 6 January

- 08.30 Breakfast
- 09.30-11.00 Galina Babkova (RGGU, Moscow): **Discovering Childhood: Children and Delinquency in 18th century Russia**
- 11.00-11.30 Coffee
- 11.30-13.00 Nikos Chrissidis (Southern Connecticut State University, USA): **An Incidence of Public Penance in the Reign of Catherine II**
- 13.00-14.00 Lunch
- 14.00-15.00 Walk (TBA)
- 15.00-15.30 Tea
- 15.30-17.00 Elena Smilyanskaya (RGGU, Moscow): **Leaving the Borders of their Intellectual Home: Russians in the Eastern Mediterranean, 1768-1774**
- 17.00-18.30 Dominic Lieven (LSE, London): **War and Peace: The Reality. Russia against Napoleon, 1807-14**

19.00 Dinner

Wednesday, 7 January

0.830 Breakfast

09.00-10.30 Giovanna Moracci (Università "G. d'Annunzio" di Chieti-Pescara, Italy): **From Anecdote to Play. Reading "Imjaniny gospozhi Vorchalkinoj" of Catherine II**

10.30 Coffee

10.45-11.30 Angela Byrne (University of Ireland, Maynooth): **'Why wouldn't they content themselves to dress like Christians?': fashion and self-fashioning in late eighteenth-century Russian elite society**

11.30-12.15 Alexei Evstratov (Université Paris IV – Sorbonne/Université d'Etat en Sciences Humaines et Sociales – RGGU, Moscow) : **Court theatre as national theatre: theory and praxis of nationalism before nationalism**

12.15-13.00 Catherine Rai (Independent Scholar, Paris): **Van'ka Kain, Louis-Dominique Cartouche and Jonathan Wild : Matvej Komarov's Life and Adventures of Van'ka Kain (1779) and its Western Sources**

13.00 Lunch and end of conference