

Thursday 22 March, 9.00-17.30

Session 1: The territorial and temporal map of the dissolved collections (CHAIR: Richard Ovenden, Bodleian Library, Oxford)

Fiorenzo Landi, Prof. of Economic History, Università di Bologna – The dissolution of monasteries in Europe – an overall look and the economic implications

Richard Sharpe, Prof. of Diplomatic, University of Oxford – The consequences of an early dissolution: the English experience in the sixteenth century and after

Rudolf Gamper, Librarian, Kantonsbibliothek Vadana, St. Gallen – From Reformation to Säkularisation: the dissolution of religious houses in Switzerland and the fate of their libraries

Martin Germann, Zürich – Zurich and the Books of the Monasteries: from the Reformation to the 19th Century

María Luisa López-Vidriero Abelló, Librarian, Biblioteca del Palacio Real, Madrid – Dissolved monastic collections in Spain from Philip II's suppression to the 19th-century *Desamortización*

Tuomas Heikkilä, Ass. Prof. of History, University of Helsinki, Finland – The Scandinavian situation, including the effect of the Thirty Years' War in Germany

Jeffrey Garrett, Ass. Librarian for Special Libraries, Northwestern University – The expropriation of monastic libraries in Central Europe, 1773–1814

Session 2: State policy toward book collections (CHAIR: Ian Maclean, University of Oxford)

Dorit Raines, Dep. Studi Umanistici, Università Ca' Foscari, Venice – From predator to prey: The Venetian librarian Jacopo Morelli under Venetian, French, and Austrian governments

Vincenzo Trombetta, Prof. of the History of the Book, Università di Salerno – La politica delle soppressioni e i nuovi poli bibliotecari a Napoli tra regalismo illuminista e Restaurazione, 1767-1815

Evening Reception in Divinity School, Bodleian Library

Friday 23 March, 9.00-18.30

State Policy toward book collections II

Luis Cabral, Librarian, Câmara Municipal do Porto – State policy concerning the dissolution of monastic book collections in Portugal, esp. during the 19th century

Marie Pierre Laffitte, Dep. MSS, Bibliothèque Nationale de France, Paris – Napoleon and the sequestration of Italian monastic book collections

Session 3: Sequestration, redistribution, or contribution to the foundation of public libraries (CHAIR: Kristian Jensen, British Library)

Jos A. A. M. Biemans, Prof. of Palaeography and Codicology, University of Amsterdam – The 1578 foundation of the City Library of Amsterdam related to the history of other 16th-century Dutch libraries: the selection of manuscripts and printed books from monastic libraries

Emmanuelle Chapron, Maître de conférences, Histoire moderne, Université Aix-en-Provence – Libraries and dissolved monastic collections in Tuscany from Pietro Leopoldo to Napoleone

Marina Venier, Dep. Rare Books, Biblioteca nazionale centrale di Roma – *Andreina Rita, Biblioteca Apostolica Vaticana, Vatican City* – La dispersione delle biblioteche degli ordini religiosi a Roma, dalla prima Repubblica romana (1799) a Roma capitale del Regno d'Italia (1873)

Marek Derwich, Prof. of History, Wrocław University – *Oleh Duch, Faculty of History, University of Lviv (Ukraina)* – The dissolution of monasteries in Silesia and Poland (with contemporaries Belorusse, Lithuanie and Ukraine) and the fate of their libraries, 18th-9th centuries

Session 4: Migration of books, access to new publics (CHAIR: Kasper van Ommen, Leiden University)

Antonella Barzani, Dep. Storia, Università di Padova – Migration and re-use in the development of Italian religious collections (late 16th – 18th century)

Bart op de Beeck, Bibliothèque Royale de Belgique, Brussels – Jesuit libraries in the Southern Netherlands, their eighteenth-century holdings, and the dispersion after 1773

Javier Anton Pelayo, Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona – The secularization of books and the change in the habit of reading in Catalonia during 18th and 19th centuries

Bettina Wagner, Bayerische Staatsbibliothek, Munich – 1803 secularization in Bavaria and the book auctions of 1815–50

Conference dinner (see registration information)

Saturday 24 March, 9.00-16.00

Session 5: Impact on book trade and the emergence of private collections (CHAIR: Giles Mandelbrote, Librarian, Lambeth Palace)

Dominique Varry, ENSSIB, Lyon – French book trade after the Revolution

Marino Zorzi, Istituto Veneto di lettere, scienze ed arti, Venice – The 19th-century book trade in Venice

Richard Linenthal, Antiquarian bookseller, London – Monastic Collections and the 19th-Century English Book Trade

William Stoneman, Florence Fearrington Librarian of Houghton Library, Harvard University – North American collection building: gathering monastic books from long ago and far away

11.30-12.30 Visit to College Libraries Or Tools for Research: Medieval Libraries of Great Britain (MLGB3), Material Evidence in Incunabula (MEI), Index Possessorum Incunabulorum (IPI), CERL Thesaurus (CT); Ricerca sull'Inchiesta della Congregazione dell'Indice dei libri proibiti (RICI).

Conclusions, 15.00-16.00 (CHAIR: Nigel Palmer, University of Oxford)

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