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EUROPEAN INFRASTRUCTURES AND TRANSNATIONAL PROTEST MOVEMENTS

Kerschensteiner Kolleg
of the Deutsches Museum,
Munich/Germany
12–13 December 2019

Thursday, 12 December 2019

13:00–13:30 Welcome and Introduction

Patrick Kupper (Innsbruck), Martin Lengwiler (Basel), Helmuth Trischler (Munich)

13:30–14:15 Christian Henrich-Franke (Siegen)

European infrastructures 'in the long run': Some thoughts on the expertise and expert networks in the standardization of infrastructures

14:15–14:30 Short Break

14:30–16:00 Panel 1: CONTESTED ENERGY INFRASTRUCTURES

Chair: Maria Buck (Innsbruck)

Johannes Müske (Freiburg): Technology assessment "from below": Wyhl, trans-regional protest movements, and the uses of scientific knowledge on nuclear power

Jaume Valentines-Álvarez (Lisbon): The circulation of counter-culture forms of anti-nuclear protest during the transitions from dictatorships to parliamentary democracies in South-Western Europe, 1970s–1980s

Irene Pallua (Innsbruck): Protesting against giants: District heating networks as contested infrastructures in Switzerland in the 1970s and 1980s

Martin Lengwiler (Basel): Comment

16:00–16:30 Coffee Break

16:30–18:00 Panel 2: CONTESTED TRANSPORT INFRASTRUCTURES

Chair: Kira J. Schmidt (Munich)

Daniela Neubacher (Budapest/Vienna): Entangled protest: Environmentalism beyond the Iron Curtain

Henk-Jan Dekker (Eindhoven): Between protest and expertise: user-generated cycling knowledge and the making of the Dutch cycling network, c. 1970–now

Nils Güttler (Zurich): "Hungry for knowledge": Experts, counter-experts and the protests against Startbahn West

Michael Schüring (Munich): Comment

18:00–19:00 Buffett

19:00–20:30 Keynote by Jan-Henrik Meyer (Frankfurt am Main)

"Not in anyone's backyard!" On the multiple levels of protest in high modernity

Friday, 13 December 2019

9:00–9:45 Jens Ivo Engels (Darmstadt)

Criticism and criticality of infrastructures

9:45–10:00 Short Break

10:00–11:30 Panel 3: EUROPEAN INFRASTRUCTURES: NEW MODES OF CONTESTATION IN THE 21ST CENTURY?

Chair: Romed Aschwanden (Basel)

Janine Schemmer (Klagenfurt): "NOGrandiNavi": Use, appropriation and competition of space – Exclusion processes and resistances in Venice

Cheryl J. Fish (New York): Suohpanterror: Sámi 'activism' and direct-action protest against a trans-arctic railway and other infrastructure developments in Northern Europe

Roberto Cantoni (Barcelona): Energy citizenship and production of expertise: The anti-shale mobilisation and Poland

Patrick Kupper (Innsbruck): Comment

11:30–12:00 Coffee Break

12:00–12:30 Concluding Discussion

12:30–14:00 Lunch

14:00–15:30 Guided Tour to Deutsches Museum by Helmuth Trischler (optional)