

# HOUSEHOLD AND COURT SOCIETY

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## WEDNESDAY 29. 11.

9,00 OPENING SPEECHES

9,10 – 9,30 INTRODUCTION

Doc. PhDr. Dana DVORÁČKOVÁ-MALÁ,  
Ph.D. (Institute of History of the  
Czech Academy of Sciences, Prague)  
**Houshold and Court Society in Terms  
of Interdisciplinary Focus**

### I. THE COURT AND HOUSEHOLD AS THE INTERSECTION OF SOCIAL STRATA

Chair Dr. Patrik Paštrnák

9,35 – 9,55

Mgr. Tomasz ZAWADZKI, Ph.D.  
(Institute of Historical Sciences,  
Faculty of Philosophy and Science,  
Silesian, University in Opava)  
**Social and Ethnic Relations at the  
Courts of the Świdnica Piasts**

10,00 – 10,20

Prof. Ana Maria S. A. RODRIGUES  
(Centre for History, University of  
Lisbon)  
**A Portuguese Queenly Household of  
the 15th Century**

10,25 – 10,45

Doc. Mgr. Petr KOZÁK, Ph.D.,  
(Institute of Historical Sciences,  
Faculty of Philosophy and Science,  
Silesian University in Opava)  
**Der Haushalt eines eingefleischteren  
Junggesellen: Das intime Umfeld des  
jagiellonischen Prinzen Sigismund  
bis zu seiner Hochzeit (1512) mit  
Barbara Zápolya**

10,55 – 11,15

Valerie SCHUTTE Ph.D. (Independent  
Scholar, USA)  
**Katharine Basset and the Household  
of Anne of Cleves**

11,20 – 11,50 COFFEE BREAK

Chair prof. Martin Holý

11,50 – 12,10

Assoc. Prof. José Eloy HORTAL MUÑOZ  
(Department of Arts and Humanities,  
University of Rey Juan Carlos, Madrid)  
**Royal Household and Court Space:  
Sections of the Royal Household  
and Its Placement at the Royal  
Geographies of the Spanish  
Monarchy (XVI – XVIIth Century)**

12,15 – 12,35

Prof. Dr hab. Aleksandra SKRZYPIETZ  
(Institute of History, University of  
Silesia in Katowice)  
**Princely Court – Household of Two  
Generations of the de Bourbon-Conti  
Family**

12,40 – 13,00

Dustin M. NEIGHBORS, Ph.D.  
(Department of Art and Media, Aalto  
University/Department of History,  
University of Helsinki)  
**The Queen's Hunt: Interconnecting  
the Household, Court, and Natural  
Environments through the Hunt in  
Early Modern Sweden**

13,05 – 14,10 LUNCH BREAK

### II. INTERDISCIPLINARY RESEARCH AND POSSIBILITIES FOR SOURCES ON THE TOPIC OF THE COURT HOUSEHOLD

Chair Dr. Eva Doležalová

14,10 – 14,30

Prof. Jan HIRSCHBIEGEL (Historisches  
Seminar, Philosophische Fakultät,  
Universität zu Kiel)  
**Aktuelle Themen und Perspektiven  
der Hofforschung**

14,35 – 14,55

Dr. Elena WOODACRE (School of  
History and Archeology, University of  
Winchester)  
**A 'Snapshot' of the Household of  
a Dowager Queen: Joan of Navarre's  
Household Accounts (1427–1428)**

15,00 – 15,20

PhDr. Daniela DVORÁKOVÁ CSc.  
(Institute of History of the Slovak  
Academy of Sciences, Bratislava)  
**Household of the Hungarian Nobility  
in the 15th Century. What We Can  
Find Out from Written Sources?**

15,25 – 16,00 COFFEE BREAK

Chair Dr. Jana Fantysová-Matějková

16,00 – 16,20

Dr. Agnieszka NALEWAJEK (Institute  
of History, Cardinal Stefan Wyszyński  
University in Warsaw)  
**Court Accounts as a Source of  
Knowledge about the Structure of  
the Royal Court in late Medieval  
Poland**

16,25 – 16,55

PhDr. Jaroslava HAUSENBLASOVÁ,  
Ph.D. (Institute of Czech History,  
Faculty of Arts, Charles University,  
Prague)

*Das persönliche Umfeld des  
Königspaares in der Zeit der  
Renaissance – Höfe und Haushalte  
von Anna Jagiello und Ferdinand I. im  
Vergleich*

17,00 – 17,20

Assoc. Prof. Krisztina RÁBAL  
(Department of Auxiliary Historical  
Sciences, University of Szeged)

*Mens sana in corpore sano:  
Healthcare, Healing and Hygiene in  
the Jagiellonian Courts at the turn of  
the 15th and 16th Century*

17,25

EXCURSION

## THURSDAY 30. 11.

9,30

OPENING SPEECHES

### III. RESEARCH OF SPACE IN RELATION TO THE HOUSEHOLD

Chair Doc. Petr Kozák

9,35 – 9,55

Doc. PhDr. Mlada HOLÁ, Ph.D.  
(Departement of Auxiliary Historical  
Sciences and Archives Studies, Faculty  
of Arts, Charles University, Prague)  
*Unterbringung der Hofgesellschaft in  
Breslau während der Aufenthalte der  
böhmischen Könige*

10,00 – 10,20

Prof. Dr. Christofer HERRMANN  
(Institut für Kunstgeschichte,  
Johannes Gutenberg-Universität  
Mainz)  
*Der Hofstaat des Hochmeisters  
des Deutschen Ordens auf der  
Marienburg in der ersten Hälfte des  
15. Jahrhunderts*

10,25 – 10,45

PhDr. Jan FROLÍK, CSc. (Institute of  
Archaeology of the Czech Academy of  
Sciences, Prague)  
*The Prague Bishops' Household at  
Prague Castle in the 11th–12th  
Century*

10,50 – 11,05

Mgr. Miroslava CEJPOVÁ (The East  
Bohemia Museum in Pardubice)

*Kitchen at the Castle in Jindřichův  
Hradec*

11,10 – 11,30 COFFEE BREAK

### IV. RESEARCH INTO OBJECTS AND ITEMS OF EVERYDAY USE IN HOUSEHOLDS

Chair Dr. Pavel Drnovský

11,30 – 11,50

PhDr. Milena BRAVERMANOVÁ – PhDr.  
Helena BŘEZINOVÁ, Ph.D. – Bc. Jana  
BUREŠ VÍCHOVÁ, DiS. (Institute  
of History of the Czech Academy  
of Sciences, Prague; Institute of  
Archaeology of the Czech Academy of  
Sciences, Prague)

*High Middle Ages Imported Textiles  
in the Court Environment of Prague  
Castle*

11,55 – 12,15

Mgr. Gabriela BLAŽKOVÁ, Ph.D.  
(Institute of Archeology of the Czech  
Academy of Sciences, Prague)  
*Kitchenware of the Early Modern  
Households at Prague Castle*

12,20 – 12,40

PhDr. Helena BŘEZINOVÁ, Ph.D. – PhDr.  
Milena BRAVERMANOVÁ – Bc. Jana  
BUREŠ VÍCHOVÁ, DiS. (Institute of  
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of the Czech Academy of Sciences,  
Prague)

*Artefacts taken from the Well near  
of All Saints Chapel – Evidence of  
Luxurious Renaissance Material  
Culture Originating from the Court  
Environment of Prague Castle*

12,45 – 13,05

PhDr. Eva LUKÁŠOVÁ (National  
Heritage Institute, Prague)  
*Renaissance Camera – the Image  
of the Rooms with Beds in the late  
Renaissance Residencies in the Light  
of the Historic Inventories and the  
Iconographic Sources*

13,10 – 14,20 LUNCH BREAK

Chair Dr. Helena Březinová

14,20 – 14,40

Mgr. František ZÁRUBA, Ph.D.  
(Institute of History of the Czech  
Academy of Science, Prague)  
*„do suchtin sie en zun Bettelern unde  
suchtin en vorbas unde vunde en of  
dem Toczenik dem huse...“ . Wohn-  
und Repräsentationsräume der  
königlichen Burg Točník*

14,45 – 15,05

Mgr. Pavel DRNOVSKÝ, Ph.D.  
(Department of Archaeology,  
Philosophical Faculty, University of  
Hradec Králové)

*Mokřice Castle near Jičín. Household  
Equipment of a Nobility Residence  
according to Archaeological  
Findings*

15,10 – 15,30

Mgr. Zuzana VAŘÁKOVÁ (Department  
of Philosophy and History of Science,  
Faculty of Science, Charles University  
Prague)

*The Ideal Forms of Cattle and Pig  
Farming at Aristocratic Courts on  
the Example of Ruralia Commoda by  
Petrus de Crescentiis*

15,35 – 15,45

Mgr. et Mgr. Michal PREUSZ, Ph.D.  
(Department of Archaeology, Faculty  
of Philosophy and Arts, University of  
West Bohemia, Plzeň)

*Archaeology of Households  
in Bohemia in the 16th and  
17th Century*

15,50

FINAL DISCUSSION AND OVERVIEW

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PhDr. Milena Bravermanová

#### Depiction:

*Fabric with sailboats and possibly the figures of Tristan and Isolde; fabric of Italian origin, late 2nd half  
of the 14th century, from which the burial cloak of either Empress Elizabeth of Pomerania (+ 1393)  
or Queen Joanna of Bavaria (+ 1386) was made.*

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