

# Historical Network Research Conference 2018

Masaryk University, Brno, the Czech Republic,  
11th-13th September 2018

Venue: Faculty of Arts, Arna Nováka 1, Building B2,  
the lecturing hall B2.13 ([map](#))

## Monday, 10th September 2018

19:00- unofficial social event, venue: [restaurant Siam Thai](#), Gorkého 64/15,  
Brno-střed-Veveří (at own expense)

## Tuesday, 11th September 2018

**8:30-9:30 Registration and Refreshment**

**9:30-10:00 Opening of the Conference**

**10:00-11:00 Keynote Lecture I**

**Johannes Preiser-Kapeller**, “Lost in Math? Big Data, Close Reading and the Application of Network Theory on the Human Past”

**11:00-11:30 Coffee Break**

**11:30-12:30 Session I (regular papers)**

11:30-12:30

**Philipp Strobl**, “Social Networks of Austrian Refugees from the Anschluss in Australia: An Analysis of Meaning Structures”

12:00-12:30

**Kimmo Elo**, “Using Large Photograph Corpora to Explore Regional and Interregional Social Networks of East German Dissident Movement”

**12:30-14:30 Lunch Break (lunch at own expense)**

**14:30-16:00 Session II (regular papers)**

14:30-15:00

**Yann Ryan**, “A Networked Approach to Early Modern News Flow”

15:00-15:30

**Olga Zaslavskaya**, “Family Network and Early Globalization: Transnational Space-Making in the Middle East and Beyond”

15:30-16:00

**Vladimir Uspenskiy**, “Unseen Divide: Using SNA for Studying the Court Parties in Early Modern Muscovy”

**16:00-16:30 Coffee Break**

**16:30-18:10 Session III (short papers)**

16:30-16:50

**Daniel Knox**, “Deconstructing the Networks of Ostrogothic Italy: An Approach to Ennodius of Pavia”

16:50-17:10

**Evina Steinova**, “Isidore’s *Etymologiae* as a Window into Carolingian Intellectual Networks”

17:10-17:30

**Petra Mutlová**, “Networks of Ideas in the Czech Reformation: A Project-Proposal Presentation”

17:30-17:50

**Jan Škvrňák & Michal Škvrňák**, “*Divide et impera*: Social Network Analysis of Bohemian Civil War 1248-1249 and Its Aftermath”

17:50-18:10

**Petr Pajdla**, “Early Neolithic Materialized Identity Networks: A Case Study of Vedrovice Cemetery”

# Wednesday, 12th September 2018

## 9:30-10:30 Session IV (regular papers)

9:30-10:00

**Martin Stark & Matthias Bixler**, “Modeling the Dynamics of a Rural Credit Market in the 19th Century”

10:00-10:30

**Vojtěch Kaše**, “Word Co-Occurrence Networks from Ancient Greek Texts and the Cultural Evolution of Prosocial Religions”

## 10:30-11:00 Coffee Break

## 11:00-12:00 Session V (regular papers)

11:00-11:30

**David Zbíral & Tomáš Hampejs**, “Women, Men, and Medieval Heresy: Tackling an Old Question through Network Analysis”

11:30-12:00

**Zdenko Vozár**, “Metadata for the Middle Ages: A Network Analysis of Manuscriptorium.com”

## 12:00-14:00 Lunch Break (lunch at own expense)

## 14:00-15:00 Keynote Lecture II

**Jana Diesner**, “Bias Detection and Theory Validation in Social Network Analysis”

## 15:00-16:00 Session VI (regular papers)

15:00-15:30

**Marek Vlach**, “Antonine Plague: Case Study of Epidemiological Modeling and Impact Evaluation”

15:30-16:00

**Aleš Chalupa et al.**, “Generative Historiography of Ancient Religions: How to Model the Spread of Religions in the Ancient Mediterranean”

## 16:00-16:30 Coffee Break

## 16:30-17:50 Session VII (short papers)

16:30-16:50

**Johanna Gautier**, “Socio-History of Global Financial (De)Regulations (1971-1987)”

16:50-17:10

**Daniel Schubert**, “Economic Aspects of Dark Networks”

17:10-17:30

**Alexander Brandt**, “State of the Union: Semantic Topic Network Structures in Historical Enunciative Practices”

17:30-17:50

**Andrej Svorenčík**, “Doctoral Origins of Economics Faculty”

**19:00- Social Event** (all participants), venue: Open Gardens, 33 Údolní Street

## **Thursday, 13th September 2018**

### **9:30-10:00 Session VIII (regular papers)**

9:30-10:00

**Ray Rivers & Tim Evans**, “Does Modelling Try to Impose the Present on the Past?”

### **10:00-10:30 Coffee Break**

### **10:30-11:30 Session IX (regular papers)**

10:30-11:00

**Diana Curca**, “Denis Diderot’s Egonetwork(s): Methodological Choices and Heuristic Value of Exploring his «Correspondance» (1742-1784)”

11:00-11:30

**Maximilian Kaiser**, “Biographies and Historical Networks: Use Cases for Biographical Data in the Realm of Digital Art History”

### **11:30-13:30 Lunch Break (lunch at own expense)**

### **13:30-14:30 Keynote Lecture III**

**Antske Fokkens**, “How to Learn As Much As Possible: Methodologically Sound Computational Analysis for Historical Research”

### **14:30-15:30 Session X (regular papers)**

14:30-15:00

**Martina Hacke**, “The Network of the Students of Basel at the University of Paris at the Beginning of the 16th Century”

15:00-15:30

**Stefan Gigacz**, “Joseph Cardijn and the ‘Jocist’ Network at the Second Vatican Council”

**15:30-16:00 Coffee Break**

**16:00-17:20 Session XI (short papers)**

16:00-16:20

**Ksenia Stanicka-Brzezicka**, “Network Analysis for a Knowledge and Object History of Silesian Modernism: Aesthetic Discourses, Technological Changes, Actors as Objects of Digital Art History”

16:20-16:40

**Ekaterina Iakovleva**, “The Conspiracy Networks in the Memoirs by Cardinal de Retz”

16:40-17:00

**Johannes Gleixner**, “Institutionalizing a Loose Network after 25 Years: The “Omladina” Club in New Found Czechoslovakia in 1919”

17:00-17:20

**Sarah Casano-Skaghammar**, “Network and Familial Identity: When Network Analysis Sheds Light on a Family of French Royal Servants”

**17:20- Closing Words**