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- Society for the History of Migration
- Prof. Dr. Dittmar Dahlmann, Bonn
- Gregor Feindt, M.A., Mainz
- Prof. Dr. Anke Hilbrenner Bremen/Bonn

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Violence, Discipline and Leisure
Sport in Penal and Internment Camps
23 - 25 September 2015
8. annual conference of the Society for the History of Migration at University of Bonn
Program

23 September 2015
Main Building, Schloss, Lecture Hall V

06:00 pm.
Welcome and introductory remarks
- Dittmar Dahlmann (Bonn)
- Anke Hilbrenner (Bonn/Bremen)
- Gregor Feindt (Mainz)

06:15-07:45 pm
Alan Kramer (Dublin): The World of Camps. A Protean Institution in War and Peace

Reception

Lunch break

03:00-04:15 pm
Panel II: Condensed violence – Nazi Concentration camps and GULag
- Felicitas Fischer von Weikersthal (Heidelberg): Fizkul’tura and Reeducation in Soviet Labor Camps
- Kim Wünschmann (Brighton, UK): “Judenexerzieren”: The Role of ‘Sport’ for Constructions of Race, Body and Gender in the Early Concentration Camps 1933-34

Short Coffee break

04:30-05:30 pm
Panel II: Condensed violence – (continued)
- Veronika Springmann (Oldenburg): “He liked us, because we were good athletes, good workers” – Productive Bodies in Nazi Concentration Camps

Discussant: Anke Hilbrenner (Bonn/Bremen)

24 September 2015
Institut für Geschichtswissenschaft, Konviktstraße 11, Großer Übungsraum

09:00-11:00 am
Panel I: Leisure and Discipline – Prisoners of War Camps I
- Floris van der Merwe (Stellenbosch, South Africa): Sport in Concentration and Prisoner-of-war camps during the Anglo-Boer War (1899–1902)
- Panikos Panayi (Leicester, UK): Sport, Leisure and Work in Military and Civilian Internment Camps in Britain, 1914–1919
- Christoph Jahr (Berlin): Sport in Internment and Prisoner of War Camps in Germany during World War I

Coffee break

11:30 am -1:30 pm
Panel I: Leisure and Discipline – Prisoners of War Camps II
- Dittmar Dahlmann (Bonn): Sport in British Prisoner of War Camps during and after World War II
- Floris van der Merwe (Stellenbosch, South Africa): Sport in Concentration and Prisoner-of-war camps during the Anglo-Boer War (1899–1902)
- Panikos Panayi (Leicester, UK): Sport, Leisure and Work in Military and Civilian Internment Camps in Britain, 1914–1919
- Christoph Jahr (Berlin): Sport in Internment and Prisoner of War Camps in Germany during World War I

10:00-12:00 am
Panel III: Performing identity: Camps for (forced) migrants
- Mathias Beer (Tübingen): Sport as an Agency of Integration. Expellees Camps in Germany after World War II
- Marcus Velke (Bonn/Marburg): Sports in DP Camps: Recreation, Nationalization, and Integration

Discussant: Richard Mills (Norwich, UK)

Light lunch

12:30-02:30 pm
Panel IV: Self organization: Internment of political prisoners
- Dieter Reinisch (Florence, Italy): Memories of Sport in Northern Irish Internment Camps

Discussant: Gregor Feindt (Mainz)

Coffee break

03:00-04:30 pm
Round Table: Perspectives of Sports in the “Age of Extremes”
Manfred Zeller (Bremen), Gerhard Hirschfeld (Stuttgart), Alan Kramer (Dublin), Richard Mills (Norwich), Anke Hilbrenner (Bremen/Bonn), and Gregor Feindt (Mainz)

Evening Event
Contemporary witnesses share their memories of sport in the GULag, with Meinhard Stark (Bonn/Berlin) (to be held in German)
06:00-07:00 pm | Venue: Main Building, Schloss, Lecture Hall II

Conference dinner