

# Digital Methods and Resources in Legal History (DLH2020)

An international Conference at the  
Max Planck Institute for European Legal History (MPIeR), Frankfurt/M.  
19/20 March 2020

## Preliminary Programme

(2019-11-18)

Thursday, 19.03.2020

- 09:00-09:30 Registration
- 09:30-10:30 Duve, Thomas and Amedick, Sigrid and Wagner, Andreas  
(MPIeR): *Opening*
- 10:30-11:30 Funk, Kellen (New York): Plenary Talk, *The Making of Modern Law. Digital Computation and the Search for Anglo-American Legal Modernity*
- 11:30-11:45 – Coffee Break –
- 11:45-12:45 Trump, Dominik (Köln): *Digital Methods in Early Medieval Legal History. The New Edition of the Frankish Capitularies*  
  
Taylor, Alice (London): *Introducing the 'dynamic edition' as a model and method for medieval legal history. Regiam Maiestatem and 'the community of the realm in Scotland' project*
- 12:45-13:45 – Lunch Break –
- 13:45-14:45 Short Presentations of DH projects at MPIeR  
(C. Birr, J.-H. Meyer, A. Küsters, M. Bragagnolo)
- 14:45-15:00 – Coffee Break –
- 15:00-16:00 Weck, Marlene (Freiburg): *Digital Methods for a Narrative Analysis of Historical Narratives in the Archives of the ICTY*  
  
Petz, Cindarella (München): *A mixed methods approach to political judiciary*
- 16:00-16:15 – Coffee Break –
- 16:15-16:45 Robertson, Stephen (Washington, D.C.): *Disorder in the Courts. Using Data, Visualizations, and Hypertext to Create a Legal History of the 1935 Harlem 'Riot'*
- 16:45-17:00 *Poster Slam*
- 17:00-18:30 *Poster Session*

Friday, 20.03.2020

- 09:00-10:00 Sutter, Pascale (Zürich) and Wyssbrod, Adrien (Cambridge, UK): Plenary Talk, *Collection of Swiss Law Sources (SSRQ) online*
- 10:00-11:00 Quaas, Franziska (Hamburg): *Analyzing formulaic writing of early medieval legal documents based on database-driven digital research infrastructures emerging from a new hybrid-edition of the formulae*
- Vervaart, Otto (Utrecht): *Approaching early legal glosses and the uses of Digital Humanities*
- 11:00-11:15 – Coffee Break –
- 11:15:-12:15 Mikuła, Maciej (Krakow): *IURA. Sources from Laws of the Past*
- Melo Flórez, Jairo A. (Michoacán): *Glosae digitalibus. An approach to automatized analysis of marginalia in Modern Era legal sources*
- 12:15-13:15 – Lunch Break –
- 13:15-14:15 Bellis-Phan, Nga (Paris): *Mapping, Quantitative and Network Analysis methods for the legal history of private credit networks*
- Schorr, Moshe (Haifa): *Mapping Rabbinic Responsa. Metadata Analysis in Legal History*
- 14:15-15:15 Schöch, Christoph (Trier): *Lost in Beccaria, or: Building and Exploring a Corpus of Eighteenth-Century Editions and Translations of Beccaria's Dei delitti e delle pene (1764) in the MetaLex project*
- Dorin, Rowan (Stanford): *Corpus Synodaliium. Medieval Canon Law in the Digital Age*
- 15:15-15:30 – Coffee Break –
- 15:30-16:30 Albani, Benedetta (Frankfurt/M.) / Guldi, Jo (Dallas) / Kaiser, Michael (Bonn) / Wyner, Adam (Swansea): *Roundtable. Perspectives on the Digital Turn in Law and Legal History*
- 16:30-17:00 *Closing*

## Poster Presentations

Carls, Wieland (Leipzig) & Lazar, Marija (Leipzig):

*Weichbild digital*

Lendvai, Piroska (Basel):

*Hierarchical multi-label classification of legislative concepts in constitutional documents*

Romein, Annemieke (Ghent/Amsterdam):

*Entangled Histories of Early Modern Ordinances. Segmentation of text and machine-learned meta-dating*

Sáenz de Santa María Gómez-Mampaso, Blanca (Madrid):

*Digital resources for the study of Spanish Law during the 19th century: The formation of a database of judicial jurisprudence of the Spanish Supreme Court until the promulgation of the Civil Code in 1889*

Shadrova, Anna (Berlin) & Tischbirek, Alexander (Berlin):

*A corpus of Federal Constitutional Court decisions*

Thomasson, Fredrik (Uppsala):

*Swedish Carribean Colonial (Archival) Justice in Digital Times*

Tscheu, Amelie (Frankfurt) & Trautmann, Marjam (Mainz):

*The "Hans Kelsen Werke" (HKW) - a hybrid legal edition*

Volkaert, Florenz (Ghent):

*Embedding Free Trade. The regulation of international trade in Belgium (1860-1865): commercial treaties, professionalization and power*

Wettlaufer, Jörg (Göttingen):

*Explaining the social use of shaming punishments cross-culturally. The shamestudies.de platform as digital resource and analytical tool in legal history*