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**Marginalisation and subculture groups:  
Prostitutes, actors and tavern-keepers in Byzantium  
»International Symposium«**



**16-17 May 2019**

Lecture Hall

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## Thursday, 16 May 2019

14.00	Registration
14.30	Welcome <b>Sebastian Schütze</b> , University of Vienna Dean, Faculty of Historical and Cultural Studies <b>Maria A. Stassinopoulou</b> , University of Vienna Chair of the Department of Byzantine and Modern Greek Studies <b>Ewald Kislinger</b> , University of Vienna Projectleader
14.40	<b>Despoina Arianzi</b> , University of Vienna: Introduction
Chair: <b>Despoina Arianzi</b>	15.15 <b>Session 1: Theoretical Approaches to the Byzantine Outsider</b>  <b>Dion C. Smythe</b> , Prince Muhammad bin Fahd University Studying sub-groups, minorities and underclasses in Byzantium: theoretical approaches
16.50	Coffee Break
Chair: <b>Nikos Zagklas</b>	17.20 <b>Session 2: Actors and Performers</b>  <b>Ruth Webb</b> , University of Lille The problem with performance: why were actors and actresses marginalised?  <b>Przemyslaw Marcinia</b> k, University of Silesia in Katowice A history of marginalization? The imagery of mimes in Byzantine literature
19.30	Dinner for participants and invited guests in a traditional Austrian restaurant

## Friday, 17 May 2019

Chair: <b>Ewald Kislinger</b>	10.00 <b>Session 3: Prostitution</b>  <b>Thomas Mc Ginn</b> , Vanderbilt University Nashville Marginalized in Plain Sight: Female Prostitutes in Late Roman Society and Law  <b>Günter Prinzing</b> , Johannes Gutenberg University Mainz Zeugnisse zur Prostitution in den Quellen zur spätbyzantinischen kirchlichen Rechtsprechung (1204-1453)
	11.10 Coffee Break
	11.40 <b>Cecily Hennessy</b> , Christie's Education London Mary Magdalene, Marginalized and Demarginalized  <b>Frank Meier</b> , Karlsruhe University of Education „Wenn du die Dirnen vertreibst, werden die Leidenschaften alles verwirren“. Zwischen Achtung und Verachtung – Prostitution in mittelalterlichen Städten
	13.00 Lunch Break
Chair: <b>Andreas Külzer</b>	15.30 <b>Session 4: Innkeepers</b>  <b>Ewald Kislinger</b> , University of Vienna Einrichtungen byzantinischer Gastlichkeit – zwischen aselgeia und euergesia  <b>Beate Böhendorf-Arslan</b> , Philipps University Marburg Gasthäuser und Tavernen im byzantinischen Kleinasiens
	16.40 Remarks and Conclusions
	19.30 Dinner for participants and invited guests in a traditional Austrian wine tavern (Heuriger)