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EIRENE WORKSHOP

Women and Post-War Transitions: Work January 23–24, 2020

ERC PROJECT

Thursday, January 23, 2020

09:00–9:45 WELCOME SPEECHES

Roberto Di Lenarda, Rector of University of Trieste
Elisabetta Vezzosi, Head of the Department of Humanities, University of Trieste
Marta Verginella, Principal investigator, University of Ljubljana

09:45–10:45 Selina Todd, University of Oxford | Women, work, labour militancy and the changing state of post-war Britain (keynote speaker)

10:45–11:00 Break

11:00–12:00 **PANEL 1: Women, Rights and Labour Market in Transition Phases**

Chair: Nina Vodopivec, Institute of Contemporary History in Ljubljana

Teresa Bertilotti, University of Ljubljana | Rights in the post-war II Italian transition

Roberta Nunin, University of Trieste | Changes in Italian post-war II labour market and the fight against gender discrimination: the role of the Constitutional Charter and the jurisprudence of the Constitutional Court

Francesca Bettio, University of Siena | Relative wages for women in Italy. A special focus on post-war transitions

12:00–12:15 Break

12:15–13:30 **PANEL 2: Women in Tobacco Industry**

Chair: Iva Kosmos, Research Centre of the Slovenian Academy of Sciences and Arts

Francesca Rolandi, University of Ljubljana | Workers' activism, gender issues and political rights in times of transition: the case of the Fiume/Rijeka Tobacco Factory after the Great War

Orietta Moscarda, Rovinj Historical Research Center | Rovinj/Rovigno women workers in post-war transition

Dagmar Wernitznig, University of Ljubljana | From Tschickmensch to parliamentarian: the life and legacy of Marie Tusch (1868–1939)

Urška Strle, University of Ljubljana | Tobacco Factory Ljubljana in light of workers' booklets and registers (1912–1952)

13:30–14:30 Break

14:30–15:30 Alessandra Pescarolo, Istituto regionale per la programmazione economica della Toscana | Gender ideologies and cultures of work in post-war Italian transitions: notes which could be useful to compare with the northern Adriatic transitions (keynote speaker)

15:30–15:40 Break

15:40–16:40 **PANEL 3: Working women in the Julian March after World Wars**

Chair: Dagmar Wernitznig, University of Ljubljana

Matteo Perissinotto, University of Ljubljana | Women employees of the Italian administration in the Julian March (1918–1922)

Erica Mezzoli, Istituto Livio Saranz | [Wo]manpower. A quantitative overview of the female labour supply in the Zone A of the AMG, 1945–1947

16:40–16:50 Break

16:50–17:50

PANEL 4: A Changing Labour Market: Women in Italy after World War II and Beyond

Chair: Teresa Bertilotti, University of Ljubljana

Elisabetta Vezzosi, University of Trieste | Gender and social work in Italy. The second post-war experience

Molly Tambor, Long Island University | Policing women: How women entered the Italian Police Force

Antonella Mauri, University of Lille | The Slavic Circle. Literary and non-literary images of the Balkan women in Italy (1946–1980)

11:10–11:25 Break

11:25–12:25 Laura Lee Downs, Ecole des Hautes Études en Sciences Sociales, Paris and European University Institute, Florence | "A Tolmino il nostro asilo rimarrà unico ed italiano": Gender, social action and nationalist/irredentist politics in the Upper Adriatic, 1919–1950 (keynote speaker)

12:25–12:35 Break

12:35–13:35 **PANEL 6: Intellectuals**

Chair: Natka Badurina, University of Udine

Marta Verginella, University of Ljubljana | Teachers in the Littoral 1914–1941, a contribution to the research of history of Slovene schooling in the Littoral

Manca G. Renko, University of Ljubljana | The woman without qualities? The case of Alice Schalek, intellectual labour and female intellectuals

Gorazd Bajc, University of Ljubljana | Women teachers after 1945

13:35–13:45 Break

13:45–14:30 Tanja Petrovič, Research Centre of the Slovenian Academy of Sciences and Arts | Conclusions and final discussion

Friday, January 24, 2020

09:00–10:00 Elise van Nederveen Meerkerk, Utrecht University | Globalization and women's textile work in the twentieth century: a comparative perspective (keynote speaker)

10:00–10:10 Break

10:10–11:10 **PANEL 5: Rethinking Traditional Female Occupations**

Chair: Erica Mezzoli, Istituto Livio Saranz

Ana Cergol Paradiž and Petra Testen Koren, University of Ljubljana | Trst/Trieste and (Slovene) Servants after World War I