Capitalism as Cure: Dynamics of Responsibilization in East and West, 1960-2000

Conveners: Jun.-Prof. Dr. Nadja Klopprogge, Dr. Alexa von Winning

Thursday, March 27

3-4pm: Arrival

4-4:30pm: Welcome

4:30-6pm: Panel 1 - Out of the Factory

Chair: Lara Stoller

Shanleigh Corallo (Buffallo, NY), "The FIGHTON Factory: How Histories of Black Community Survivalism, Black Power Capitalism and Community Usurpation of Corporate Responsibility in 1970s Rochester, New York, Test the Theoretical Limitations of Responsibilization"

James Nealy (Cambridge, MA), "Who Did What?: The Allocation of Responsibility in a Soviet Factory in Late Socialism"

Comment: Jan Arend

6:30 pm: Movie Night, Discussion, and Dinner at Neckawa

Chair: Zoe Zlotski, Sophie Hinz

Program: "The Barber of Little Rock" (USA, 2023) and "Georgi and the

Butterflies" (Bulgaria, 2004)

Friday, March 28

9:30-11:00am: Panel 2 - Investing in the Future?

Chair: Robert Pursche

Felix Krämer (Erfurt), "Debt Difference in Student Loans. From Inequality to

Solidarity in U.S. Higher Education?"

Martin Babička (Prague), "Neoliberal Responsibility in Czech Privatisation:

Theory and Practice"

Comment: Christina Brauner

11-11:30 am – coffee

11:30-1pm: Panel 3 - Transformations

Chair: Benedikt Rößler

Franziska Davies (Munich), "Longing for neo-liberalism? Economic and Social concepts during the miners' strikes in Donbas 1989–1991"

Zbigniew Wojnowski (Oxford), "The roots of entrepreneurship in late Soviet show business: Passion, profit, and professional pride"

Comment: Alexandra Oberländer

1-2pm: Lunch

2-4 pm: Panel 4 - Mothers and Queens

Chair: Frederike Schotters

Lena Essifi (Tübingen), "Moynihan and the Black Mother. Examining Capitalism, Gender and Race in the Moynihan Report"

Johannes Kleinmann (Potsdam), "The Privatisation of the *Matka Polka* (Polish Mother) Myth in the Long Period of Transformation in Poland 1980–2004"

Grit Grigoleit-Richter (Passau), "Punishing Poverty: The Social Imagery of the Welfare Queen"

Comment: Sonja Levsen

4-4:30pm: Coffee

4:30-6 pm: Concluding comments and final discussion

Chair: Patricia Chaudron

Comment: Astrid Franke, Klaus Gestwa

7 pm – Dinner at Unckel