

Newsletter 2/2019

Conference Information

The Conference "1821 and Memoir. Historical Use and Historiographic Knowledge" was held in Athens on 21th-22th of March. At this conference the executive board member *Olga Katsiardi-Hering* spoke about "The Austrian Naval Policy in the Levant during the Greek Revolution".

The conference "Habsburg rule and representation/ Herrschaft und Repräsentation in der Habsburgermonarchie (1700-1740)" was held on 28th-29th of March in Vienna. At the conference two SOG18 members were involved: *Stefan Seitschek* (Organizer, Speaker) and *Sabine Jesner* (Speaker).

The conference of SOG18 with the title "**The 18**th **Century as Period of Innovation**" will be held on 10th and 11th of May, 2019 in Graz. The program can be downloaded from the website (www.sog18.org).

Yearbook No 2

The Online Yearbook for 2019 will be dedicated to the subject "The 18th Century as Period of Innovation". It will contain some articles of the conference (see above), but some other articles to the topic in addition ared asked for the volume. Each people who is interested to join is invited to send a proposal by using the email address so18@uni-graz.at. The latest date for sending the final version of all papers is 31th of July, 2019. The texts can be written in English or German. Authors will get the citation rules at time.

First General Assembly

The First General Assembly of the SOG18 will be held on 10th of May in the framework of the conference (see above). The members will get the data with the Agenda at time.

New Publications

The book "Attraktion und Irritation. Europa und sein Südosten im langen 19. Jahrhundert" (Berlin: Peter Lang 2019, edited by *Harald Heppner*) contains an introduction article of the executive board member *Olga Katsiardi-Hering* rolling back the subject to the Early Modern Time.

The SOG18 member *Filip Krčmar* (Zrenjanin) has published 2019 the book in Serbian language "Od Mletaka do Banata – tragom Frančeska Griselinija" (From Venice to the Banat. On the trail of Francesco Griselini).

Other Business

Boris Golec, the first president of the Slovenian Society for 18th Centrury Studies, has been coopted as representative of this Society in the executive board of the SOG18.

The SOG18-member *Dragana Grbić* is preparing a TV documentation about Dositej Obradović, the famous Serbian traveler, scholar and author in the era of Enlightenment.