

Affiliations: Groups and Movements in Austrian Literature

Third Postgraduate Workshop in Austrian Literature

8 - 9 JUNE 2006

ROOM ST274/275, SENATE HOUSE, MALET STREET,
LONDON WC1

Co-Ordinators: Martin Liebscher and Ruth Martin (London)

Thursday, 8 June

- 14.30 Welcome
- 14.45 **Desiree Hebenstreit** (Bari): Gruppenbildung in der österreichischen Literaturgeschichte. Zur Konstruktion Österreichs in der Literatur
- 15.30 Tea break
- 16.00 **Sabine Wieber** (London): Beyond Boundaries: Mental Illness as an Avant-Garde Strategy
- 16.45 **Tanya Winkler** (Princeton): Karl Kraus, Expressionism and 'Sprachkritik'
- 17.15 Wine
- 18.00 **Evening Programme**

Kabarett Fledermaus: Cultural Nightlife in Fin-de-Siècle Vienna

The thriving cabaret scene in early twentieth-century Vienna resulted from a unique collaboration between visual artists, writers, singers, actors and theatre directors. The *Kabarett Fledermaus*, perhaps Austria's most famous cabaret, was renowned for its ground-breaking *Wiener Werkstätte* décor as much as for the impressive cultural credentials of its founders and guest artists. **Raymond Coffey** (London) will guide listeners through the sights, sounds and history of the *Fledermaus*, including music performed at the time.

To be confirmed: It is hoped that a short recital of original fin-de-siècle cabaret songs will be part of this presentation.

Friday, 9 June

- 10.00 **Cristina Fossaluzza** (Venice): Die 'getrennten Wege' der Kinder des 'Jungen Wien'. Überlegungen zum Verhältnis von Ästhetik und Politik in der Moderne
- 10.45 **Lorenzo Bellettini** (Cambridge): Arthur Schnitzler's 'Charakteristiken': The World of a Fin-de-Siècle Author
- 11.30 Coffee break
- 12.00 **Christian Weber** (Berlin): Hugo von Hofmannsthal's Calderón-Rezeption. Von der Gruppe Jung Wien zum Dialog mit Philologen
- 12.45 Lunch (own arrangements)
- 14.00 **Andreas Freinschlag** (Salzburg): Die Dritte Stoa – Ein Salzburger Dichterkreis und die Tücken des Anspruchs
- 14.45 **Birgit Holzner** (Caen): Dicke Luft – Zur Tiroler Literaturszene der 80er Jahre
- 15.30 Tea break
- 16.00 **Astrid Haberleitner** (Maynooth): New Viennese-Jewish Writers

Attendance at the workshop is open to all. Registration not required. For further details contact the IBC. Tel: 020 7862 8959 Email: martin.liebscher@sas.ac.uk

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