Thursday, 5th September
8.30-9.00 - Registration

9.45-10.15 – coffee / tea

Parallel sessions I

(Room B)

The Changing Approaches to the Risk Concept in Epidemics (1918-2009). Influenza and Poliomyelitis Outbreaks as models
Maria-Isabel Porrás (University of Castilla-La Mancha)
Mercedes Ramírez (University of Castilla-La Mancha)
Lourdes Marrón Gutiérrez (Instituto de Salud Carlos III)
Risk Perception and Reactions to Influenza Pandemics (1918-2009) in Spain
Maria-José Báguena (University of Valencia)
Jaimé de las Heras (University of Castilla-La Mancha)
Maria-Victoria Caballero (University of Castilla-La Mancha)
Vaccination Against Poliomyelitis in Europe After Cutter Incident
A. Águila-Maturana (University Rey Juan Carlos)
J.V. Toledo-Martínez (Miguel Hernández University)
R. Ballesté (Miguel Hernández University)

(Room C)

Innovation and risk
Jonathan Simon (Université Lyon I / CNRS)
Acceptable risk in the age of microbiological medicine
John Chircop (University of Malta)
Cowpox Vaccination, the Colonial State and the ‘Native Body’: British immunization campaigns in the Mediterranean, 1800-1870
Tania Anne Woloshyn (University of Warwick)
‘A Delicious Burning’: Risky desires for solar erythema in light therapeutics, c.1890 to the present
James Mills (University of Strathclyde)
Risk and Liberty: Politicians, experts and cannabis policy in Britain, c. 1971 to 1982

(Room D)

Prevention and recovering
Hannah Newton (University of Cambridge)
Sicklish and Shatter’d: The Risk of Relapse in Early Modern England, 1580-1720
Jonathan Reinarz (University of Birmingham)
Hospitals, communities and the risk of death by drowning: The Birmingham chapter of the Royal Humane Society, c.1800-1850
Malte Thiessen (University of Oldenburg)
Concern for public health vs. concerns of the individual: The compulsory vaccination against smallpox in Germany 1874 to 1974
Michael Dwyer (University College Cork)
The Ring College disaster: the implications for active immunisation in Ireland and Britain

9.00-9.45 – Keynote: João Lobo Antunes (Universidade de Lisboa) – Strange Synapses: Error, Risk, Uncertainty, Hope
Free Dinner

12.10-14.00 – lunch

(Room A) International health organizations and risk assessment

Iris Borowy (University of Rostock)
“Doomsaying” or “Scientific Modeling”: Examples of Scenarios of Global Collapse

Socrates Litsios (WHO (retired))
Risk Prioritization during WHO’s early years

Walter Breuchhausen (Aachen University)
The transition from development to emergency aid in international health: a silent change in risk perception

Gilberto Hochman (Fundação Oswaldo Cruz)
Washington versus Geneva: disputes over authority and leadership in international health

(Room B) Risk management (I)

Victoria Bates (University of Bristol)
Managing Risk: Multidisciplinary Medical Education in the UK and USA since 1945

Anne Hardy (London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine)
Now wash your hands!: Food, risk and hygiene in the twentieth century

Josette Duncan (Warwick University)
“Ordered south”: Medical travellers in Southern Mediterranean

Sebastian Pranghofer (Helmut-Schmidt-University)
Managing the Risks of Disease: The Practice of Eighteenth Century Field Medicine

James F. Stark (Leeds Humanities Research Institute)
“The Accidental Alighting of a Bacillus”: Anthrax, Risk and Industrial Accidents in Britain, c.1890-1920

(Room C) Fear and epidemics (II)

Cristina Santos Pinheiro (Universidade da Madeira)
Plague and epidemics in Greek and Roman culture: from Homer to Galen

David Gentileiro (University of Leicester)
Rising insanity in nineteenth-century Italy: the State, the medical community and the belated public health response to the pellagra epidemic

Arlena W. Keeling (University of Virginia)
“A most alarming situation”: responding to the 1918 influenza epidemic in Alaska

Dominik Huenniger Goettingen (University of Lichtenberg-Kolleg)
The risky counter-balance of epizootics control and economic progress: Coping with cattle plague disasters in 18th century Germany

Floor Haalboom (Utrecht Universitysewrg)
Turning animals into reservoirs of disaster: ‘the influenza question’ and animal influenza in the Netherlands, 1918-1958

(Room D) Occupational health and risk management

Ido Israelovich (Tel Aviv University)
The motives behind the foundation of the Roman imperial medical corps: risk and disaster on and off the Roman battlefield

Claire Barilhè (IDHEE – Université Paris Ouest Nanterre La Defense)
“Gasping and Scourging”: Medical Education in the Nineteenth Century

Thomas Le Roux (CNRS-EHEES)
Medical Care, Emergency and Industrial Disaster: the Grenelle Gunpowder Factory Explosion (1794)

Janet Greenlee (Glasgow Caledonian University)
When acceptable risks became unacceptable: Lancashire textile workers and health risks in the factory, c. 1870-1950

Christopher Sirrs (London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine)

Alfredo Menéndez-Navarro (University of Granada)
Rising lives at work … and at home: changing patterns in the public perception of asbestos hazards in Spain, 1962-1984

16.35-17.00 - coffee / tea

17.00-19.10 – Parallel sessions 3

(Room A) Fear and epidemics (I)

Marilina Gianico (Université de Haute-Alsace)
Increasing Superstition without Managing Disasters: the 1630’s Bubonic Plague during Spanish Domination in Northern Italy

Steven Palmer (University of Windsor)
Who’s Afraid of Yellow Fever? The Politics of Risk in Colonial Cuban Medical Research

Francisco Javier Martinez-Antonio (CSIC)
Epidemics and Medical Geography in Peru, 1850-1870

Adam Warren (University of Washington)
“God, fire and Fork”: Hygienic and social measures against plague in early modern Italy

(Room B) Innovation and risk

Luiz Antonio Teixeira (Fiocruz)
The expansion of the cervical cancer screening and the organization of cytotechnicians in Brazil

Leticia Pumar (Fiocruz)
Antje Kampf (Johannes Gutenberg University Mainz)
To make cancer public: risk and prevention in Germany since the 1960s

Jeanette Madarász-Lebenhagen (University of Mainz)
Risk and Prevention: Dealing with chronic cardiovascular disease in 20th century Germany

Angela Grainger (London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine)
‘Your life in your hands’: Women’s cancer screening campaigns and the creation of ‘risky subjects’ in Britain, 1960s-1980s

(Room C) Fighting the Risks of Degeneration: Eugenics, Biostatistics and Constitutional Medicine in the Latin Countries, (from the late-19th to the late-20th Century)

Lac Berlifet (CNRS-EHEES, Paris)
Scientific internationalism with a Eugenic ‘question’ and animal influenza in the Netherlands, 1918-1958

Luc Berlivet (CNRS-EHEES, Paris)
The elaboration of a ‘Latin’ approach to heredity (1920s-1940s)

Francesco Casnati (Università degli Studi di Genova)
Glandular eugenics and visionary biology in Nicola Pella’s constitutional medicine

Andrés H. Reggiani (Universidad Torcuato Di Tella, Buenos Aires)
Races, Biotypes, and Performance: Argentine Eugenics and the Challenge of Decline

Anna Carolina Vimeiro Gomes (UFMG)
Biostatistics, endocrinology and risk of diseases: Italian models and its local appropriation in Brazil, 1930

(Room D) The politics of health risks, ethnic tension and migration

Anna Greenwood (University of Nottingham Ningbo, China)
Harshad Topiwala (Independent Scholar)
Bigger to risk the health of an Indian?: the recruitment of Indian doctors in the conquest of East Africa

Sam Goodman (University of Exeter)
That We Should Hold on Like Grim Death’: Medicine, Conflict and Narratives of Risk in Indian Mutiny Diaries

Sally Sheard (University of Liverpool)
Health at the Gateway: a port medical officer’s articulation of disease risk in the early twentieth century

19.10 – 20.00 – SSSHM and EAHMH Post-graduate students meeting

Free Dinner
Friday, 6th September

8.45-9.30  – Registration

10.15-10.45  – coffee / tea

10.45-12.55  – Parallel sessions 4

(Room A) Risk management in transcultural psychiatry
Karin Oppenländer (University of Erlangen-Nuremberg): "Risk management in the German healthcare system - a cultural perspective"

(Room B) Disability and risk in the British coal mining industry, c. 1800-1947
Chair: Anne Borsay (Swansea University)
Victoria Brown (Northumbria University): "Risk and disaster: the British coal mining industry, c. 1800-1947"
Vicky Long (Glasgow Caledonian University): "Mutual Interest or Distrust? Managing the Risk of Injury in the Nineteenth-Century Coalfields of North East England"
Arthur McIvor (University of Strathclyde): "Shattered Bodies: Risk, Disability and Compensation in the Scottish Coalfields 1867-1930"
Ben Curtis (Aberystwyth University): "The South Wales Miners' Federation and the Perception and Representation of Risk and Danger in the Coal Industry, 1898-1947"

(Room C) Vulnerability in health institutions
Jennifer Wallis (QMUL): "Less capable of mapping up salmonella organisms": Discourses of risk and vulnerability in a late 20th-century psychiatric hospital
Rosemary Wall (University of Hull): "Controlling infection and assessing risk in late 19th and early 20th century London Hospitals"
Noortje Jacobs (Maastricht University): "Risk as Moral Obligation"
Magnus Volset (AIHUR, University of Bergen): "Leprosy, risk and prevention, 1870s-1930s"

(Room D) International Health Programs and Responsibility
Yu-Ju Chien (University of Minnesota): "Institutional assessment of pandemic risks and vaccination benefits"
Irene Shankar (Mount Royal University): "Deconstructing Discourses of Risk and Responsibility within Human Influenza Pandemic (HINI)"
Ieva Libiete (Pauls Stradins Museum for History of Medicine): "Psychiatry and Eugenics in Latvia During the Interwar Period"
Matthew Smith (University of Strathclyde): "Anaphylactic Reactions: Regulating Peanuts in a Risk Society"

13.30-14.00  – SSSH Annual General Meeting

14.00-16.10  – Parallel sessions 5

(Room A) Stress and Trauma
Angela Davis (University of Warwick): "Displaced Childhoods: Child Psychology and World War Two in Britain"
Pilar León Sanz (Universidad de Navarra): "Between stimulus and trauma: studying the response to risk and disaster (Symposium on Stress, 1953)"
Kaat Wils (KU Leuven): "Danger or cure? Hypnosis in public debate and medical practice in Belgium, 1885-1914"

(Room B) Risk Policies
Enrique Pedríguez-Gil (Universidad Miguel Hernández): "Before the risk society: Droughts, floods and health in eighteenth century Alicante (Spain)"
Eduardo Bueno-Vergara (Universidad Miguel Hernández): "Amelia Polonia (Universidade do Porto): "Risk and the Public""
Rosa Capelano (Universidade do Porto): "If it is possible, please": Foreign women, abortion requests and the ALRA"
Corita Giesteira (CEDOPORMAR (Vila do Conde Arquivo Municipal): "Strange connections? Support networks for abortion travellers"
Keir Waddington (Cardiff University): "The lesson of the drought should not be forgotten": Public health and the dangers of drought in Victorian rural Wales
Lisa M. Barona (Universidad de Valencia): "Measuring malnutrition in time of disaster: politics of health in Spain during the 1930s"

(Room C) Risky Business: Unwanted Pregnancy, Transnational Access to Abortion Services and the 1967 Abortion Act
Gayle Davis (University of Edinburgh): "The abortion express": A historical geography of the 1967 Abortion Act"
Christabelle Setlana (University of Otago): "If it is possible, please": Foreign women, abortion requests and the ALRA"
Ruth Fletcher (Keele University/QMUL): "Strange connections? Support networks for abortion travellers"

(Room D) Risk and the Public
Dirk Themansche (University of Oldenburg): "From Individual Reproductive Freedom to the Buren of Genetic Risk Management - Human Genetics and Eugenics in Germany and Denmark, c. 1970 till 1990"
Christian Bonah (University of Strasbourg): "Reassuring the public: scientific expertise, legal procedures and the 1930 BCG vaccination disaster in Lubeck, Germany"
Jesper Vacy Krugh (University of Copenhagen): "Doctors at Risk: The Medical Profession and Morphine Addiction, 1870-1955"
Svein Atle Skålevåg (University of Bergen): "The psychiatry of risk: The Garofalo principle in a Scandinavian environment"
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