Luxury and Consumption in South-Eastern Europe (15th-19th centuries)
Methodological Approaches

International Conference
28-29 October 2016
New Europe College
Str. Plantelor nr. 21, Bucharest
FRIDAY, 28 OCTOBER 2016

9.30: Welcome and organizational remarks

10.00 – 11.45 Session I: Luxury and Historical Sources
Chair: Jean-Pierre LETHUILLIER (University of Rennes 2)
Discussant: Daniel SCHÖNPFLUG (Wissenschaftskolleg zu Berlin)

Robert BORN (GWZO, University of Leipzig)
„No Armenian Hats, Hungarian Boots and Turkish Hairstyle.” Oriental luxury goods and the sumptuary legislation in Transylvania (17th to 19th centuries)

Constanța VINTILĂ-GHIȚULESCU (Institute of History “Nicolae Iorga”, Bucharest / New Europe College Bucharest)
What do sumptuary laws say about luxury and consumption? The Romanian Principalities in the premodern era

Alex DRACE-FRANCIS (University of Amsterdam)
The unacknowledged legislator: travel writing and the parameters of luxury in 18th century South-Eastern Europe

11.45 - 12.15 Coffee Break

12.15 – 13.30 Session II: Fashion and Social History
Chair: Daniel SCHÖNPFLUG (Wissenschaftskolleg zu Berlin)
Discussant: Constanța VINTILĂ-GHIȚULESCU (Institute of History “Nicolae Iorga”, Bucharest/New Europe College Bucharest)

Giulia CALVI (University of Siena/New Europe College, Bucharest)
Is fashion a European phenomenon?

Jean-Pierre LETHUILLIER (University of Rennes 2)
Comment les historiens français abordent-ils l’histoire de la mode?

13.30 – 14.30 Lunch
14.30 – 16:15 Session III: Luxury and Trade
Chair: Ovidiu CRISTEA (Institute of History “Nicolae Iorga” Bucharest)
Discussant: Artemis YAGOU (Deutsches Museum, München/ New Europe College, Bucharest)

Mária PAKUCS (Institute of History “Nicolae Iorga”, Bucharest/ New Europe College, Bucharest)
_**Ottoman cotton and silk in 17th century Transylvania: Luxury or everyday items?**_

David CELETTI (University of Padova/ New Europe College, Bucharest)
_**Western luxury goods in the Ottoman Empire. Methodological approaches for studying consumption, and trade in the Eastern Mediterranean**_

Constantin ARDELEANU (University of Galaţi/ New Europe College, Bucharest)
_**The routes of the trade in luxury goods in the Danubian Principalities (1830s-1850s)**_

19.00 Dinner

SATURDAY, 29 OCTOBER 2016

10.00 – 11.45 Session IV: Luxury and Political History
Chair: Alex DRACE-FRANCIS (University of Amsterdam)
Discussant: Bartolomé YUN CASALLILA (University of Sevilla)

Liviu PILAT (University of Iaşi/ New Europe College, Bucharest)
_**The concept of luxury between the history of consumption and political thought and its implications for the history of South-Eastern Europe**_

Michał WASIUCIONEK (New Europe College, Bucharest)
_**Ottomanizing Moldavian-Wallachian elites: luxury, consumption and elite identity in the 17th century imperial periphery**_

Konrad PETROVSZKY (University of Vienna / IFK, Vienna)
_**The ambivalence of display. Luxury and enjoyment under the scrutiny of Joseph von Hammer-Purgstall’s Memories**_

11.45 – 12.15 Coffee Break
12.15- 13.30 Session V: Luxury and Networks
Chair: Bartolomé YUN CASALLILA (University of Sevilla)
Discussant: Liviu PILAT (University of Iaşi/ New Europe College, Bucharest)

Ovidiu CRISTEA (Institute of History “Nicolae Iorga”, Bucharest)
Diplomacy and precious gifts. Some Venetian examples

Felicia TRAMONTANA (University of Warwick)
Consumption, religion and networks

13.30 – 14. 30 Lunch

14.30 – 16. 15 Session VI: Women and Luxury
Chair: Silvia MARTON (University of Bucharest)
Discussant: Giulia CALVI (University of Siena/ New Europe College, Bucharest)

Anastasia FALIEROU (Academy of Athens/ New Europe College, Bucharest)
”Fashionable dresses and luxurious consumption in the island of Lesvos: an evil for female virtue?”

Artemis YAGOU (Deutsches Museum, München/ New Europe College, Bucharest)
The comb and the book. Some findings of object-based research on Greek women in 18th century Ottoman Empire

Nicoleta ROMAN (Institute of History “Nicolae Iorga”, Bucharest/ New Europe College, Bucharest)
Women and luxury goods in Romanian Principalities (1800s-1860s)

16.45 – 18.30 Administrative Meeting of LuxFass members

19.00 Dinner

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