

## Symposium: Archives and Information in the Early Modern World

Friday, 9 May 2025, noon–14.30pm ET / 18.00–20.30pm CET

Co-organised by Yuval Givon, Anja-Silvia Goeing and Philippe Bernhard Schmid. Co-hosted by the University of Basel, Harvard University, the Hebrew University of Jerusalem, LMU Munich and the University of Zurich.

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#### **Introduction (noon–12.05pm ET / 18.00–18.05pm CET)**

Opening Remarks: Philippe Bernhard Schmid (University of Basel)

#### **Symposium (12.05–13.15pm ET / 18.05–19.15pm CET)**

Chair: Yuval Givon (Hebrew University of Jerusalem)

1. Vera Keller (University of Oregon): “Catalog as Tactic: Curating Misinformation in Early Museology”
2. Markus Friedrich & Konrad Hirschler (University of Hamburg): “Rethinking Archival History from a Transcultural Perspective”
3. Yael Sternhell (Tel Aviv University): “Archiving without an Archive: The United States in the Aftermath of its Civil War”

*Short Break (13.15–13.20pm ET / 19.15–19.20pm CET)*

#### **Commentary (13.20–13.30pm ET / 19.20–19.30pm CET)**

Benjamin Steiner (University of Erfurt/LMU Munich)

#### **Discussion (13.30–14.25pm ET / 19.30–20.25pm CET)**

Chair: Anja-Silvia Goeing (Harvard University/LMU Munich/University of Zurich)

#### **Conclusion (14.25–14.30pm ET / 20.25–20.30pm CET)**

Concluding Remarks: Philippe Bernhard Schmid (University of Basel)

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