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Human Rights Between Universalism and Particularism

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PROGRAMME

THURSDAY, 6 JUNE 2024

13.00–13.15

Welcome and Introduction: **Andreas Wirsching** (Munich), **Angelika Nußberger** (Cologne)

PANEL 1

Are Human Rights Universal?

Chair: **Andreas Wirsching** (Munich)

13.15–15.15

Angelika Nußberger (Cologne)

Tendencies of De-Universalizing Human Rights

Laurence Burgogue-Larsen (Paris)

Universalism in Question

PANEL 2

Human Rights and Gender Equality

Chair: **Kiran Klaus Patel** (Munich)

15.45–17.45

Claudia Kraft (Vienna)

The Question of Universalism on the First UN World Conference on Women in Mexico City (1975)

Celia Donert (Cambridge)

Taking the State Out of Socialism: Women's Rights in Central and Eastern Europe Before and After 1989

KEYNOTE LECTURE

18.30

Frank Bösch (Potsdam)

Die Deutschen und die Diktaturen. Außenpolitik und Menschenrechte seit der Ära Adenauer

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PANEL 3

The Human Rights Discourse in Central and Eastern Europe in the 1970s and 1980s

Chair: **Martin Schulze Wessel** (Munich)

8.30–10.45

Michal Kopeček (Prague)

Political Languages of Human Rights in East Central European Dissent

Caroline von Gall (Frankfurt)

Soviet Theory of Human Rights in the 1970s

Ivan Kislenko (Belgorod)

'Not Decolonization but Self-Isolation' – How the Kremlin's Purported Fight Against 'Neocolonialism' Is Destroying Russian Science

PANEL 4

Human Rights in International Politics and Commemoration

Chair: **Hélène Miard-Delacroix** (Paris)

11.15–13.30

Agnes Bresselau von Bressendorf (Munich)

Between Universalism and Regionalization: Human Rights, Middle Eastern Refugees and Western Europe in the 1980s

Ida Richter (Berlin)

Universalistic Rhetoric in the Commemoration of Rescue during the Holocaust: Establishing Raoul Wallenberg as a Human Rights Symbol in the 1980s

Stefan-Ludwig Hoffmann (Berkeley)

Concluding Remarks



* Participation is possible **online and in person** (Institut für Zeitgeschichte München, Leonrodstraße 46b).

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