



George I - 300 years on: Reconstructing the Succession

18th – 20th June, 2014

Bath Royal Literary and Scientific Institution

Queen Square, Bath, BA1 2HN, UK

Wednesday 18th June

2.00: Registration and Afternoon Tea

Welcome: **Prof Elaine Chalus** [Bath Spa University]; **Nichola Hayton** [Mannheim Universität]
Stefano Weinberger [Cultural Attaché for the German Embassy in London]

3.45: OPENING PLENARY – CHAIR: Bobby Anderson
Dominic Aidan Bellenger, *Abbot of Downside Abbey, George I and the Catholics.*

Drinks reception

Delegates may wish to visit the Georgian Exhibition at the Fashion Museum or take a walking tour of Bath

7.30: Conference Dinner





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Thursday 19th June

9.00: Tea/Coffee

9.30: Panel i – CHAIR: ELAINE CHALUS

Ruth Paley, History of Parliament, *Seditious Libel in the last years of Anne*

Robin Eagles, History of Parliament, *The duke of Shrewsbury and the politics of succession in the last days of Anne*

Matthew Kilburn, History of Parliament, *The missing queen*

11.00: Tea/Coffee

11.30: Panel ii – CHAIR: KEVIN GRIEVES

Mark Walker, University of Essex, *The Bittersweet Death of Queen Anne, 1714*

Noel Cox, Aberystwyth University, *The Law of Succession*

Heike Bormuth, Universität Mannheim, *From Georg Ludwig to George I – An absolutistic Elector in the English parliamentary Monarchy. The Settling in of the Hanoverian Dynasty.*

Richard Johns, University of York, *'A new breed of men': George I and his progeny at Greenwich.*

1.30: Lunch

3.00: Panel iii: Postgraduate Panel – Georgina Moore

James Camp, Bath Spa University, *By Royal appointment: Bath and the reception of Royalty, 1660 - 1714*

Kate James, Bath Spa University, *Newton Park and the Country House in transition*

Kelly Yates, University of Manchester, *Jeffrey the Jacobite Poltergeist*

Free time in Bath

7.30: Dinner [if required]



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Friday 20th June

9.30: Tea/Coffee

10.00: Panel iv - CHAIR: Andrew Thompson

James Caudle, Yale University, *A Revolution in Political Broadcasting: The Political Sermon in the Hanoverian Revolution, 1714–1716*

Ralph Stevens, Fitzwilliam College, University of Cambridge, 'King George's Religion': The religious politics of the Hanoverian Succession

James Lees, Schism, Succession: Chaplains of George Augustus and Caroline as Prince and Princess of Wales, 1714-1727

11.30: Tea/Coffee

12.00: Panel v - CHAIR: Arnd Reitemeier

Kevin Grieves, Bath Spa University, *The London Press and the Succession*

Stewart Tolley, University of London, *A Popular Rail? Press and Public Interest in George I's Ministers, 1714-1727*

Benjamin Bühring, Göttingen University, *An expatriate community – The London German court of George I.*

1.30: Lunch

2.45: Panel vi - CHAIR: Jackie Collier

Philip Loft, University of London, *Parliament, petitioning, and the public, 1714-1720.*

Pauline Chakmakjian, Independent Scholar, *A Sociable King: George I & The Rise of Speculative Freemasonry*

Nigel Aston, University of Leicester, *A mixed ministry? The Tories in government, 1714-16.*

4.45: PLENARY II – CHAIR Elaine Chalus

Clarissa Campbell Orr, Anglia Ruskin University, *Life and culture at court in England and Hanover: an Anglo-German comparison.*

Closing Remarks

