Research on Religious Conversion – Survey and Perspectives
Konversionsforschung – Bestandsaufnahme und Perspektiven

Workshop at the University of Hamburg, October 22\textsuperscript{nd}, 2007, 10.30 a.m. – 6.30 p.m.
(Von-Melle-Park 6, room Phil 1370, D-20146 Hamburg, Germany)

Program

Conversions from the Early Modern Times to the 21th Century

10:30 Welcome/Introduction
10:45 \textit{Heike Bock}: Proselytes and Impostors: Pretending, Challenging and Verifying Religious Motives for Crossing Confessional Boundaries in Early Modern Zurich
11:15 Discussion
11:45 \textit{Yaakov Ariel}: Search and Research: New Perspectives on Jewish Conversions to Christianity in the Late Modern Era
12:15 Discussion
1-2:00 Break

Definitions of Conversion

2:00 \textit{Heinz-Gerhard Haupt}: Konversionen in historischer Perspektive / The Concept of (Political) Conversion in Modern History
2:30 Discussion
3:00 Brief Presentations of the Research Projects of the Participants/ Open Discussion on the Perspectives of Research on Conversion

6:30 Dinner

Conference languages: German/English

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