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Sprechstunde: Dienstag, 11.00-13.00 Uhr o. n.V.

Wintersemester: 2019-20

Übung: Der Wilsonianism und seine Kritiker vom Ersten Weltkrieg bis in die Gegenwart

Dienstag 14-16 Uhr, Schurman-Bibliothek

Bedingungen für den Erwerb von Leistungspunkten:

Regelmäßige Teilnahme (nach der Einführungssitzung maximal zweimaliges Fehlen)

Mündliche Beteiligung

Vorstellung eines Textes im Plenum

Ein Thesenpapier oder eine Buchrezension von 4-6 Seiten (4 LP)

Semesterplan

15. 10. 2019: Einführung und Organisatorisches

Lektüre: Manfred Berg, „US-Präsident Woodrow Wilson und der Liberale Internationalismus.“ *Jahrbuch zur Liberalismus-Forschung* 28 (2016): 67-90.

22. 10. 2019: Der Wilsonianism und die Traditionen amerikanischer Außenpolitik

Lektüre: Walter A. McDougall, *Promised Land, Crusader State. The American Encounter with the World since 1776*. New York: Houghton Mifflin, 1997, 1-12; Walter Russell Mead, *Special Providence. American Foreign Policy and How It Changed the World*. New York: Alfred A. Knopf, 2001, XV-XVIII; Henry W. Brands, *What America Owes the World: The Struggle for the Soul of Foreign Policy*. New York and Cambridge, UK: Cambridge University Press, 1998, VII-X.

29. 10. 2019: Wilsonianism, 1914-1917: Neutralität und Kriegseintritt

Lektüre: An Appeal to the American People, 18. 8. 1914 (Neutrality), in: PWW 30, 393-394; An Address in Washington to the League to Enforce Peace, 27. 5. 1916 (Association of Nations), in: PWW 37, 113-116; Address to the Senate, 22. 1. 1917 (Peace without Victory), in: PWW 40, 533-539; An Address to a Joint Session of Congress, 2. 4. 1917 (War Message), PWW 41, 519-527; Andrew J. Bacevich, *Ideas and American Foreign Policy: A Reader*, 137-138 (Woman's Peace Party, 1915), 152-159 (Norris, LaFollette, 1917).

12. 11. 2019: Wilsonianism, 1917 -1920: Friedensprogramm und Völkerbund

Lektüre: An Address to a Joint Session of Congress, 8. 1. 1918 (14 Points), in: PWW 45, 534-539; An Address to the Columbus Chamber of Commerce, 4. 9. 1919 (League of Nations), PWW 63, 7-18; Bacevich, *Ideas and American Foreign Policy: A Reader*, 180-185 (Lodge, Borah, 1919/20); Thomas J. Knock, *To End All Wars: Woodrow Wilson and the Quest for a New World Order*. New York: Oxford University Press, 1992, 251-256.

26. 11. 2019: Der verlorene Frieden, 1920-1945

Lektüre: Oswald G. Villard, A Supreme Tragedy, *The Nation*, 12. 3. 1924, 156-158; id., Ten Years After, *The Nation*, 6. 4. 1927, 362-364; Harold Nicolson, Peacemaking, 1919, in: Theodor P. Greene, ed., *Wilson at Versailles*. Boston: D.C. Heath and Company, 1957, 35-42; Thomas Bailey, *Woodrow Wilson and the Great Betrayal*. New York: Macmillan Company, 1945, 356-369.

3. 12. 2019: Wilsonianism und Realpolitik

Lektüre: Richard Hofstadter, The Conservative as Liberal, in: Greene, *Wilson at Versailles*, 70-75; George Kennan, American Diplomacy, *ibid.*, 87-99; Arthur S. Link, The Higher Realism of Woodrow Wilson, in: *Journal of Presbyterian History* 41 (1963), 1-13.

10. 12. 2019: Wilsonianism, Bolschewismus, Kapitalismus: Die Kritik der Neuen Linken

Lektüre: William A. Williams, *The Tragedy of American Diplomacy*. New York: Dell, 1962; 84-102; N. Gordon Levin, *Woodrow Wilson and World Politics. America's Response to War and Revolution*. New York: Oxford University Press, 1968, 1-10.

17. 12. 2019: Wilsonianism und Selbstbestimmung

Lektüre: Erez Manela, *The Wilsonian Moment: Self-Determination and the International Origins of Anticolonial Nationalism*. New York: Oxford University Press, 2007, 1-13; Lloyd E. Ambrosius, *Woodrow Wilson and American Internationalism*. New York: Cambridge University Press, 2017, 94-113.

7. 1. 2020: Wilsonianism und der Kalte Krieg

Lektüre: Thomas J. Knock, *To End All Wars*, 271-276; Martin Walker, “Woodrow Wilson and the Cold War: ‘Tear Down This Wall, Mr. Gorbachev’,” in: John M. Cooper, ed., *Reconsidering Woodrow Wilson. Progressivism, Internationalism, War, and Peace*. Baltimore: Johns Hopkins University Press, 2008, 279-298.

14. 1. 2020: Wilsonianism und der Krieg gegen den Terror

Lektüre: National Security Strategy of the United States of America, The White House, September 2002.

21. 1. 2020: Das Ende des Wilsonianism?

Lektüre: Frank Ninkovich, *Wilsonianism after the Cold War: Words, Words, Mere Words*, in: John M. Cooper, ed., *Reconsidering Woodrow Wilson. Progressivism, Internationalism, War, and Peace*, 299-325.

28. 1. 2020: Zurück zu den Wurzeln?

Lektüre: Tony Smith, *Why Wilson Matters: The Origin of American Liberal Internationalism and Its Crisis Today*. Princeton: Princeton University Press, 2017, 1-28.

4. 2. 2020: Abschlussdiskussion: America First – der Anti-Wilsonian im Weißen Haus

Lektüre: Charlie Laderman, Brendan Simms. *Donald Trump: The Making of a Worldview*. London: Endeavor Press, 2017, 1-16.

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