Session IV: Parliaments for Empire II
Chair: Frank Grüner (Bielefeld)

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Political Thought in the Ottoman Press during the Second Constitutional Period: Between Nationalism, Diversity and Joint Identities
Aysegül Argit (Heidelberg)

The Alsace-Lorraine Landesausschuß in the German Empire, 1874–1918: Integration of a borderland into an empire through provincial parliament?
Benoît Vaillot (EHESS Paris / EUI Florence)

14:00–14:30 Coffee Break

Session V: Parliaments and Nation Building
Chair: Alexander Kaplunovsky (Mainz)

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From Sejm to Central Rada: Ukrainian Intellectuals and the Idea of Parliament in the Long 19th Century
Anton Kotenko (HSE Saint Petersburg)

The Struggle of a National Minority for Parliamentary Representation: Volga-German Newspapers and the Elections to the First State Duma (1906) and the Constituent Assembly (1917)
Viktor Krieger (Heidelberg)

Mongolia’s and Russia’s Khurals as Parliaments and Non-Parliaments
Irina Sodnomova and Jargal Badagarov (Heidelberg)

16:00–16:30 Closing Discussion

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Imperial Parliament for a Hybrid Empire: Representative Experiments in Early Twentieth Century Russia
Alexander Semyonov (HSE Saint Petersburg)

Mongolia, Tibet and Xinjiang and the Late Qing Parliaments, 1909 – 1911
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Nan Nigel Zhou (Ohio State University)

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CHAIR: AUREL CROISSANT (HEIDELBERG)

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Printing Madly and Rubber-Stamping Across the Post-Soviet Space: Authoritarian Legislative Activity in Comparative Perspective
Julian G. Waller (George Washington University)

Marissa Smith (Independent Researcher)

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CHAIR: JARGAL BADAGAROV (HEIDELBERG)

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Perestroika, Glasnost, and the All-Buryat Congress for the Spiritual Rebirth and Consolidation of the Nation: Political Organizations in Buryatia in the Last Years of the Soviet Union
Melissa Chakars (Saint Joseph's University)

Old Habits and a Revolutionary Content: The USSR Congress Commissions and Ethnonational Representation, 1989 – 1991
Carolina de Stefano (University of Eastern Finland)

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Sabine Dullin (Sciences Po, Paris)

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Parliamentarisms after Authoritarianisms: New Economies of Democratization and the Making of Electoral Subjects since 1990
Manduhai Buyandelger (MIT)

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