

**Crime Violence and the Modern State II:  
Blame, Shame and Culpability  
Programme**

**15 May**

8.30-9.00 *Registration (Herzen State Pedagogical University, na. reki Moyki, 48, building 4 – Club, Blue Room)*

**9.00-9.15 Greetings and Opening:**

Professor Sergei Shilov, Vice-Rector for International Relations (Herzen State Pedagogical University)

Professor Valentina Smourgunova, Dean of the Faculty of Law (Herzen State Pedagogical University)

Dr. Judith Rowbotham, Director, SOLON: Promoting Interdisciplinary Studies in Bad Behaviour and Crime (Nottingham Trent University)

Professor David Nash, (Oxford Brooks University)

**9.15-10.15 Opening Keynote Address: Chair: Professor David Nash**

Natalia L. Pushkareva (Russian Academy of Sciences) *Shameful Punishments of Russian Women in Nineteenth Century Rural Society*

10.30 *Transfer to the Conference Hotel (ul. Bloka, 8)*

11.00-11.15 *Coffee*

**11.15-1.00 Session 1: Chair: Dr. Cliff Williamson**

James Wood (Edinburgh) *From Legal Theology to Legal Science: the Absurdity of Vengeance amongst 'Rabid Dogs'*

Tom Crook (Oxford Brookes) *Free Will and (In)Determinism: Statistical Thinking and the Question of Culpability*

Page Herrlinger (Bowdoin) *'A Case of Unorthodox Orthodoxy': The Religious Crimes of Brother Ioann Churikov and his Followers in Modern Russia, 1905-1914*

1.00-2.00 *Lunch*

**2.00 – 4.00 Session 2: Chair: Professor David Nash**

Paul Friedland (Bowdoin), *Penance, Compensation, Terror: The Theory and Practice of Capital Punishment in Early Modern Europe*

Marie Amelie Bourguignon, Aude Musin (Université d'Angers) *Religion, Guilt and Shame. When Sin Becomes a Crime*

Neil Davie (Lyon 2), *Guilty Before the Fact? The Deviant Body and the Chimera of 'Precrime', 1877-1939*

Amon Burton (Texas), *Blame and Culpability for Capital Punishment in the State of Texas*

4.00 - 4.30 *Tea*

**4.30 - 6.00 Session 3: Chair: Professor Natalia Pushkareva**

Galina Babkova (RGGU), *Culpability in Catherine II's Penal Drafts and Blackstone's 'Commentaries on the Laws of England'. Problems of Transfer*

Evgenij Avkeliev (RGADA), *Professional Thieves in Moscow and Paris in the First Half of the Eighteenth Century: Ways of Criminalisation*

Irina Roldugina (RGGU), *The Regulation of Social Deviances in Mid-18<sup>th</sup> Century Petersburg (St. Petersburg Lock Hospital – Kalinkin Dom)*

**6.15 - 7.45 Session 4: Chair: Dr. Neil Davie**

Antonella Bettoni (Macerata), *'Fama', Shame Punishment and History of Justice (16th and 17th centuries)*

Anne-Marie Kilday (SOLON Oxford Brookes), *Hurt, Harm and Humiliation: Community Responses to Deviant Behaviour in Early Modern Scotland*

Marianna Muravyeva (Herzen State), *Shameful Punishments in C18 Europe*

**16 May**

8.15 – *Bus to the Conference Hotel (Kazanskaya, 6)*

**9.00-11.00 Session 5: Chair: Dr. Anne-Marie Kilday**

Nathalie Fally (Louvain), *Revisiting Theories of Criminal Behaviour. Louis Vervaeck and Criminal Anthropology in Belgium: the Case of the Anthropological Laboratory of Louvain's Central Prison (1920-1957)*

David Nash (SOLON Oxford Brookes), *Theorising about shame and culpability from Nineteenth-Century British evidence*

Meg Arnot (Roehampton), *Shame, Blame and Culpability in Prosecutions and Convictions for Infanticide in Nineteenth-Century England*

Helen Rogers, (Liverpool John Moores), *Guilt, Shame and Redemption: Convict Responses to Conviction and Reclamation in the 1840s*

11.00-11.30 Coffee

**11.30-1.00 Session 6: Professor Barry Godfrey**

Romina Tsakiri (Athens), *'sopra la infamia et dishonor...': Offences Against and Restitution of Honour in Crete under Venetian rule (16th-17th Centuries)*

Vivien Miller (Nottingham), *Racialising Blame, Culpability and Shame in the Modernising American South*

Anna Smorgunova (Herzen State), *The Right to 'Rest In Peace' versus State Security: Justification of the Terrorism Suspects' Rights Limitations in the Decision of the Constitutional Court of the Russian Federation*

1.00-3.00 Lunch and Break (optional tour of the locality)

**3.00-4.30 Session 7: Chair: Dr. Judith Rowbotham**

Yannick Cormier (Center for German and European Studies in Montreal), *A German Resilience Pattern? Collective Guilt Issues in the French Zone of Occupation in Post-War Germany, 1945-1948*

Margo de Koster, Xavier Rousseaux (Louvain) *Defining, Identifying and Convicting 'Uncivil' Citizens: Blame, Culpability and Shame for Collaboration with Germany in the Belgian Criminal Trials, 1919-1925*

Boris Kolonitskij (European University St. Petersburg), *The Cases of Contempt against the Russian Royal Family during the First World War: the Specifics of the Crime and Proceedings*

**4.45-6.15 Session 8: Chair: Dr. Tom Crook**

Olga Salamatova (Pomor State), *The Management of Poverty and Punishment for Moral and Social Offences in the Early Stuart State*

Katherine Watson (SOLON Oxford Brookes), *Dead Drunk or Just Disorderly? Homicide and Alcohol in Wales, 1730-1914*

Adrian Ager (Oxford Brookes) *'Drunk', 'Riotous', 'Disorderly' and 'Indecent': Prostitution in the Medway Towns, 1830-1885.*

**6.30-7.30 Plenary Session: Chair: Professor Barry Godfrey**

Judith Rowbotham (SOLON, Nottingham Trent) *The Shifting Nature of Blame: Revisiting Issues of Blaming and Shaming in the Criminal Justice System*

7.45 Conference Reception

**17 May**

8.15 – Bus to the Conference Hotel (Kazanskaya, 6)

**9.00-11.00 Session 9: Chair: Dr. Judith Rowbotham**

Aris Tsantiropoulos (Crete) *Discourses on Crime and Culpability in the Community, in Newspapers and in the Courts: the Case of the Feuding Society of Crete (Greece)*

Julie Peakman (Birbeck), *Naming and Shaming in Eighteenth Century Print Culture*

Anja Johansen (Dundee), *Policemen at the Pillory: Media Naming and Shaming of Police Violence in London and Berlin 1890-1914*

Jad Adams (London), *Blaming the Victim in the 1890s: The Drowning of Crackanhorpe and the Persecution of Leila*

11.00-11.30 Coffee

**11.30-1.00 Session 10: Chair: Professor David Nash**

Katerina Mousadakou (Athens), *Violence against Honour: The Crime of Rape during the Age of the Greek Revolution (1821-1828)*

Bill Miller (SUNY), *Sex Offenders and the Revival of Ancient Punishments in the US*

Sarah Wilson (Manchester), *Blame, Culpability and Shame: the State and the 'Respectable Offender' Who Commits Non-Violent Crime*

1.00-1.45 Lunch

**1.45-3.15 Session 11: Chair: Dr. Marianna Muravyeva**

Olga Kosheleva (RGADA), *Offences and Penalties in Upbringing of Youth in Eighteenth-Century Russia*

Julia Barlova (Yaroslavl), *'Treat Them After the Europe Fashion': 'the Question of Guilt' in Perceptions of Poverty and the Poor in Modern Russia*

Olga Y. Solodyankina (Cherepovets), *Shame and Guilt as Understood by Foreign Governors and Governesses and Their Russian Employees*

**3.30-4.30 Closing Plenary: Chair: Professor Bill Miller**

Barry Godfrey (Keele), *The 'Convict Stain': Shame, Integration, and the Legacies of Punishment*