Call for Participants

We are happy to inform you about a jointly organised Workshop by the Centre "History of Knowledge" (ZGW) and the Centre for Human Rights Studies (UZHR) with Prof. Martti Koskenniemi on

"Histories of International Law"

The workshop aims at doctoral students and post-docs and will take place at the Univeristy of Zurich on 30 October 2015 (2:30–7.00 p.m.)

This workshop aims to bring together doctoral students and post-docs from the fields of history and international law in order to discuss current research questions with regard to histories of international law. Prof. Martti Koskenniemi is one of the leading scholars in the field of international law today and has decisively contributed to the research of international legal history. In the workshop we will critically reflect on Prof. Koskenniemi's approach to history of international law writing and together with him discuss his working methods. On the basis of his current book project, major challenges in joining theory and practice will be addressed. In a final part of the workshop we would like to draw attention to research about contemporary problems as well as processes of international law and discuss the importance of knowledge about the histories of international law for these objectives.

Doctoral students and post-docs from history, law, political sciences and philosophy are invited to participate in the workshop. To foster a lively discussion, the number of participants is strictly limited to 12. If you are interested in participating, please send a one-page motivation letter and CV to Jonathan Pärli (jpaerli@fsw.uzh.ch) by 10 October 2015.

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