## State-Making and Diplomacy in Europe, 1050-1550

NOVA-FCSH Lisbon, 3-4 November 2022

Conveners: Tiago Viúla de Faria (IEM, Nova University of Lisbon), Joana Sequeira (Lab2PT - Univerity of Minho), Flávio Miranda (CITCEM, University of Porto), Maria Amélia Álvaro de Campos (CHSC, University of Coimbra)

Invited convener: Isabella Lazzarini (University of Molise)

## 3 November (Thursday)

09:30 *Opening* at *Sala de Reuniões* (Colégio Almada Negreiros, Room 315)

Session 1 Moderator TBC

09.45 Corinne MANCHIO (Univ. Paul Valéry - Montpellier 3, France)

Machiavelli's Diplomatic and Administrative Correspondences: The Performativity of Language

10.20 Chiara MELCHIONNO (Scuola Superiore Meridionale - Università degli Studi di Napoli "Federico II", Italy)

> On the Semantic Ambiguity of the Term Schiavo in Some Letters of the Italian Chanceries to Sultan Bayezid II (15th Century)

11.15 Coffee

Session 2 Moderator: Tiago Viúla de FARIA (IEM, NOVA-FCSH)

11.30 Óscar VILLARROEL (Universidad Complutense de Madrid, Spain)

Towards the Formation of a Royal Apparatus: Specialization in Castilian Diplomacy (12th to 15th Centuries)

12.05 Luis GALAN (Universidad de Valencia, Spain)

The Duty of the Knight: Aristocracy and State-Building in the Crown of Aragon

13.00 Lunch break

Session 3 Moderator: Joana SEQUEIRA (Lab2PT, University of Minho)

14.30 Gisele BARTZ & Jonathan DUMONT

(Österreichische Akademie der Wissenschaften, Austria)

Late-Medieval Diplomacy of the French Royal House through Illuminated Charters

15.05 Rita MELRO (Centro de História, Univ. de Lisboa, Portugal)

Exchanging, Offering and Acquiring Gifts: A Symbolic Framework to Relations between Iberian Monarchs (13th-14th Centuries)

16.00 Coffee

Session 4 Moderator: Maria Amélia A. CAMPOS (CHSC, Univ. de Coimbra)

16.15 André RODRIGUES (CITCEM, Universidade do Porto, Portugal)

Insights on the Role of Portuguese Cardinals in the Relations between Portugal's Political Community and the Papacy (15th-16th Centuries)

16.50 Milton PACHECO (Universidade de Coimbra, Portugal)

P(a)laces for Foreign Affairs: Residential Management and Social Maintenance during the Portuguese Diplomatic Missions to Rome during the Reign of King João III

Close of day at 18.00

4 November (Friday)

09.30 Welcome back, over coffee

Session 5 Moderator TBC

09.45 Vytas JANKAUSKAS (Vytauto Didžiojo Universitetas, Lithuania)

The Grand Duchy of Lithuania and Duchy of Masovia between the Second Half of the 13th Century and the First Half of the 14th Century: From Dynastic Diplomacy to Territorial Integration

10.20 Diana MARTINS (IEM, NOVA-FCSH, Portugal)

Diplomatic Practices and Administration in Portugal between 1279 and 1325: The Reign of Dinis, a Cornerstone?

11.15 Coffee

Session 6 Moderator TBC

11.30 Paulo LOPES (IEM, NOVA-FCSH, Portugal)

Constructing the Self in International Relations. Self-Identification and Presentation by the 4th Count of Ourém in his Diplomatic Mission to the Council of Basel (1436-37)

12.05 Marta CELATI (Università di Pisa, Italy)

The Intellectual in Fifteenth-Century Italian Diplomacy and the Humanist Model of the State: Angelo Poliziano's Orations for the Succession of Alfonso II of Aragon

13.00 Lunch break

Session 7 Moderator: Flávio MIRANDA (CITCEM, Universidade do Porto)

14.30 Valentina ŠOŠTARIĆ (Sveučilište u Zadru, Croatia)

The Value of Information: Production, Transmission, and Manipulation in the 15th-Century Ragusan Diplomatic Service

15.05 Albert REIXACH (Universidad de Lleida, Spain)

Urban Diplomacy, Information Management and Epidemics in the Late Medieval Crown of Aragon (c. 1350-1500)

16.00 Afternoon tea

16.40 Isabella LAZZARINI (Università degli Studi del Molise, Italy) Concluding remarks

Closure & Farewell at 17.15



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