Maria Theresa (1717-1780):
Tercentenary workshop on the Habsburg empress and her time

26 February 2018, The Queen’s College, Oxford

Convened by Tobias Heinrich (Kent) and Avi Lifschitz (Oxford)

12:45 Welcome and introduction

13:00 Session I: Memorial Room, The Queen’s College
Chair: Ritchie Robertson (The Queen’s College, Oxford)
Werner Telesko (Austrian Academy of Sciences)
Maria Theresa: the making of a myth. Old questions and new insights
Catriona Seth (All Souls College, Oxford)
A well-tempered correspondence?
The letters of Marie Antoinette and Maria Theresa

15:00 Session II: Memorial Room, The Queen’s College
Chair: Peter Wilson (All Souls College, Oxford)
William O’Reilly (Trinity Hall, Cambridge)
‘All the king’s men’: Maria Theresa and the Holy Crown of St Stephan
Thomas Wallnig (University of Vienna)
After 2017: is new research on Maria Theresa possible?

17:00 Keynote Lecture: Shulman Auditorium, The Queen’s College
Barbara Stollberg-Rilinger (University of Münster)
Maria Theresa and the Catholic Enlightenment

18:30 Drinks reception

For attendance, please register here: https://modernlanguages.sas.ac.uk/events/event/15423

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