



Close Encounters of the Primary Kind: Strategies for Navigating Archives and Archi- val Sources

Workshop with BGSF-Fellow Maarten Halff, Basel - 02.05.2023

This graduate workshop with BGSF fellow Maarten Halff will focus on archival studies and palaeography. It will provide a forum for Ph.D. students to present and discuss their sources in a collegiate setting that would seek to collaboratively identify and overcome potential interpretative and palaeographical challenges. The workshop covers the full range of the department's epochal and is therefore intended as a diachronic methods class open to early-career scholars of all historical fields. Maarten Halff will share his perspective as an outsider 'maverick' historian who independently succeeded in overcoming many of the difficulties faced by junior researchers in their early archival endeavours, thus equipping students with practical tools and tactical strategies in dealing with primary archival sources.

Wann: Dienstag, 02.05.2023, 13:00-17:00 Uhr
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