













International Workshop

Humanitarianism, human rights and development during global decolonization (1945-1980)

12-13 April 2023

Faculty of Arts and Humanities, University of Coimbra Sala Jorge Faria, Floor 5

PROGRAM

12 April

12:15-14:15 Lunch

14:30-14:45 Opening session

José Pedro Monteiro (University of Minho) and Miguel Bandeira Jerónimo (University of Coimbra)

Session 1 14:45-16:15

Marie-Luce Desgrandchamps (Geneva University and Fribourg University) – Winning over with medical care: MPLA and FNLA health services during the Angolan war of independence (1961-1975)

Angela Santese (University of Florence) – Beyond Humanitarian aid: the Italian solidarity network in support of the peoples of Southern Africa (1973-1984)

Coffee break - 16:15-16:30

Session 2 16:30-18:30

Alba Martín Luque (University of Florence) – Beyond bearing witness: atrocity images, catholic Missionaries and the decolonization of Portuguese Africa (1967-1974)

Hugo Gonçalves Dores (University of Coimbra) – Developing body and mind: religion, education and social progress in colonial Africa (1960s-1970s)

Pedro Cerdeira (University of Minho) – A quest for community development in Guinea-Bissau: between international politics and wartime policy (1963-1974)

19:30 - Dinner

April 13

Session 3 9:30-11:30

Kalliopi Geronymaki (University of Florence) – The advocacy of "self-determination" for Cyprus (1950-1960): Greeks and Greek-Cypriots between human rights, activism and humanitarian mobilization

José Pedro Monteiro (University of Minho) – (Re)Defining citizenship: the Portuguese empire and the international debates on human rights, development and sovereignty

Ana Guardião (University of Florence) – A discrete kind of humanitarianism: Portugal's aid to Biafra (1967-1970)

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