Draft Programme for 3rd MMHN Conference
Izmir, Turkey, 4-7 May, 2010
As at 31 March 2010

Tuesday 4 May 2010
pm Tour of Izmir

Wednesday 5 May 2010
08.00-09.00 Registration
09.00-10.00 Official Opening & Keynote Address
10.00-10.30 Coffee Break
10.30-12.00 Session 1: Trade, Ports & Port Labour
12.00-13.30 Light Lunch
13.30-14.30 Session 2: Power Projection
14.30-15.00 Coffee Break
15.00-16.30 Session 3: Culture & Technology
20.00 Welcome Reception/Dinner

Thursday 6 May 2010
09.00-11.00 Session 4: Venice and the Mediterranean I
11.00-11.30 Coffee Break
11.30-13.30 Session 5: Venice and the Mediterranean II
13.30-15.00 Light Lunch
15.00-17.00 Session 6: Relations between Italian States and the Levant
20.00 Dinner

Friday 7 May 2010
09.00-11.00 Session 7: Greece and its Diaspora
11.00-11.30 Coffee Break
11.30-13.00 Session 8: The Port of Malta
13.00-14.30 Light Lunch
14.30-16.00 Session 9: The Maritime History of Turkey & Izmir
16.00-17.00 MMHN General Meeting
20.00 Farewell Dinner

Saturday 8 May 2010
08.30-16.30 Visit to Pergama

Sunday 9 May 2010
08.30-16.30 Visit to Ephesus
Academic Programme for 3rd MMHN Conference
(Within sessions, order is *grosso modo* chronological - original titles, unedited)

**Opening:** Prof. Dr. Attila SEZGİN, Rector, Izmir University of Economics & Prof. Carmel Vassallo, Coordinator Mediterranean Maritime History Network

**Keynote Lecture:** Prof. Lewis R. [Skip] Fischer, Memorial University, Canada

**Session 1: Trade, Ports & Port Labour**
Chair: Prof. Michela D’Angelo (University of Messina, Italy)

- Benady, Tito (UK/Gibraltar)
  *The Trade of Gibraltar (1805-1819)*

- Galani, Katerina (University of Oxford, UK/Greece)
  *Following British Ships across the Mediterranean, 1770-1815: from "shuttle voyages" to intra-Mediterranean Trade*

- Prata, Ana (New University of Lisbon, Portugal)
  *Seaports: Gateways between Land and Sea: Developments in the Portuguese seaport sector in the early twentieth century.*

- Restifo, Giuseppe (University of Messina, Italy)
  *A maritime city of the Reticular Mediterranean System*

- Garcia Domingo, Enric (University of Barcelona, Spain)
  *The Black Gang: Marine Engineers, Firemen and Trimmers in Spanish Merchant Navy (1817-1893)*

- Ibarz Gelabert, Jordi (University of Barcelona, Spain)
  *Migration and the Shaping of the Labour Market in the Barcelona Docks during the early Francoist period.*

**Session 2: Power Projection**
Chair: Mr Tito Mesod Benady (Greenwich Maritime Insitute, UK)

- Sicking, Louis (University of Leiden, the Netherlands)
  *The North-western European contribution to Mediterranean warfare at sea: the case of the Dutch and Venice in a comparative perspective*

- Chessel, Ian (Australia)
  *Britain’s Ionian Consul: Spiridion Foresti and the Return to the Islands, 1807-1810*

- Ardeleanu, Constantin (University of Galati, Romania)
  *Russian-British contradictions regarding Danube navigation and the origins of the Crimean War (1846-1853)*

- Fotakis, Zisis (Hellenic Naval Academy, Greece)
  *Greek Naval Policy and the Great Powers 1931 to 1940*
Session 3: Culture & Technology
Chair: Prof. Elena Frangakis Syrett (The City University of NY, USA)

Fehri, Abdelhanid (University of Sfax, Tunisia)
*Les acculturations méditerranéennes face à la mondialisation*

Gugliuzzo, Elina (University of Messina, Italy)
*Mediterranean dockyards in the Early Modern Age: the case of Messina*

Salvemini, Raffella (CNR Naples, Italy) & Sirago, Maria (Liceo Sannazaro, Naples, Italy)
*Nautical education in pre-unification Italy*

Dursteler, Eric (Bringham Young University, USA)
*Speaking in Tongues: Language and Communication in Early Modern Mediterranean Port Cities*

Rotem, Elinor (Wizo College, Haifa, Israel)
*The Mediterranean Sea in European landscape painting*

Session 4: Venice and the Mediterranean (XIII-XVIII centuries) I
Chair: Prof. Jean Claude Hocquet (University of Lille, France)

Asonitis, Spiros N. (Ionian University, Corfu, Greece)
*Venice’s policies in the Ionian region. From the Treaty of Turin to the Second Ottoman-Venetian War (1381-1502)*

Congdon, Eleanor A. (Youngtown State University, USA)
*A Venetian Merchant’s Business Records*

D’Andrea, David (Oklahoma State University, USA)
*The Mediterranean Miracle: Shipwrecks, Pirates, and Divine Intervention in Sixteenth-Century Venice*

Davis, Robert C. (Ohio State University, USA)
*Venice and Piracy Revisited: the Voyage of the Rizarda*

Gertwagen, Ruthy (Oranim Academic College and Haifa University, Israel)
*Venice, Genoa and the fights over The Island of Tenedos since in late fourteenth century and early fifteenth*

Lappa, Daphne (European University Institute, Florence, Italy)
*Religious Conversion and the Venetian Military Milie*

Melani, Igor (University of Florence, Italy)
*Andrea Navagero, a Venetian humanist ambassador between Spain and France (1525-1529)*
Lo Basso, Luca (University of Genoa, Italy)
*Tra uscocchi e dulcignotti. Polizia marittima anticorsara e guerra etnica in Adriatico tra XVII e XVIII secolo.*

**Session 5: Venice and the Mediterranean (XIII-XVIII centuries) II**
Chair: Prof. Ruthy Gertwagen (University of Haifa, Israel)

Candiani, Guido (CNR, Istituto di Storia dell’Europa Mediterranea, Genoa, Italy)
*The evolution of the Ottoman Sailing Navy in Venetian Sources and Perspective, 1650-1718*

Costantini, Vera (University of Venice, Italy)
*Seizing an opportunity. The Ottomans, Venice and la scala di Spalato*

Fabijanec, Sabine Florence (University of Paris, France & Croatia)
*Entreprendre sous la domination vénitienne : La compagnie des Matafarich de Zadar durant la seconde moitié du XVe siècle*

Hocquet, Jean Claude (University of Lille, France)
*Le réseau d’affaires de Giacomo Badoer marchand vénitien à Constantinople (1436-1440)*

Pagratis, Gerassimos (University of Athens, Greece)
*Venice, the Sea and the Greeks: the maritime policy of the Venetian state and the entrepreneurial activities of the Greek subjects during the 16th Century*

Pappalardo, Salvo (University of Udine, Italy)
*The Periphery of Exceptions; the early-modern foreign policy of the Republic as seen from the Venetian authorities in Candia*

Frumin, Mitia (Hebrew University, Israel)
*Venetian subjects on the Russian service: Volunteers, Mercenaries or Pirates?*

Santaliana, Diego (Venice, Italy)
*Venetian presence in Turkey*

**Session 6: Relations between Italian States and the Levant (XVI-XIX centuries)**
Chair: Prof. Mirella Mafrici (University of Salerno, Italy)

Avallone, Paola (CNR Naples, Italy)
*Navigation on the Mediterranean sea. Maritime Insurance in Southern Italy (XVI – XIX Centuries)*

Bottari, Salvatore (University of Messina, Italy)
*The roots of the ‘Eastern Question’: the Russo-Turkish war of 1768-1774 in the diplomatic correspondence of the Italian states.*
Mafrici, Mirella (University of Salerno, Italy)
*La diplomatie en action dans la Méditerranée: les relations russes-napolitaines (1760-1787)*

D'Angelo, Michela (University of Messina, Italy)
*Shipping and trade between the Straits of Messina and the Straits of Dardanelles (1800-1806)*

D'Andrea, Diletta (University of Messina, Italy)
*From Sicily to the Levant: British views on the Mediterranean during the Napoleonic wars*

Delli Quadri, Rosa Maria (University of Naples - L’Orientale, Italy)
*Naples, Sicily and the Levant in the first half of XIX century: an American view*

Passaro, Biagio (University of Pescara, Italy)
*The growth of the Southern Italy Marine in the ocean seas and the role of the Eastern Mediterranean routes through the log books (XIX Century)*

Session 7: Greece and its Diaspora
Chair: Prof. Gelina Harlaftis (Ionian University, Greece)

D’Amato, Raffaele (University of Ravenna, Italy)
*The Gazmouloi, Tzakones and Prosalentai, last marine èlite of Byzantium: a proposed reconstruction of their equipment in 13th and 14th century AD*

Luca, Cristian (Lower Danube University of Galați, Romania)
*The emergence and development of the Greek ‘conquering merchants’ in the trade between the Eastern Mediterranean and the Romanian Principalities (16th–17th Centuries)*

Harlaftis, Gelina (Ionian University, Greece)
*The Fleet of Ottoman and Venetian/Ionian Greeks of the Aegean and Ionian Islands, 1780-1821*

Kapetanakis, Panayotis (Ionian University, Greece)
*The Ports of the British-protected United States of the Ionian Islands and their gradual Integration in the Economy of Western Europe, 1815-1864*

Delis, Apostolos (Ionian University, Greece)
*Hermoupolis (Island of Syros): The Shipbuilding Centre of the Aegean and its Contribution to local, national and inter-regional Growth, 1830-1880*

Papadopoulou, Alexandra (Ionian University, Greece)
*Ownership, Structure and Administrative Control in Greek Maritime Enterprises: the Case of the Spetsiot family Business Groups, 1830-1880*

Vourkatioti, Katerina (Panteion University, Greece)
*The economic aspect of the voyages of the sailing ship “Ag. Panteleimon”- 1873-1877*
Dagkas, Alexandros (Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, Greece)
Activités économiques - sociales et itinéraires culturels au sein de la diaspora hellénique : les communautés grecques dans les ports du Maghreb, de la fin du XIXe au début du XXe siècle.

**Session 8: The Port of Malta**
Chair: Prof. Henry Frendo (University of Malta)

Erdogru, M. Akif (University of Ege, Turkey)
*The Great Siege of Malta of 1565: New Information from the Ottoman Perspective.*

Grech, Ivan (University of Malta, Malta)
*Reaching out beyond the Horizon: Hospitaller Malta’s Communication System with the Mediterranean World in the 1600s*

Occhi, Katia (FBK- Studi Storici, Trento, Italy)
*From Venice to Malta: timber trade between XVI-XVII centuries*

Depasquale, Carmen (University of Malta, Malta)
*La Méditerranée dans la vie quotidienne maltaise de la deuxième moitié du XVIIIe siècle*

Theuma, Frank (University of Malta, Malta)
*The Port of Malta and the Eastern Mediterranean in the late eighteenth century*

Mercieca, Simon (University of Malta, Malta)
*Travelling in the Central Mediterranean in Early Modern Times: The Networking of a North-South Axis*

**Session 9: The Maritime History of Turkey & Izmir**
Chair: Prof. Dr. Oğuz Esen

Kumrular, Özlem (Bahçeşehir University, Turkey)
*The Aid that never came: Rhodes as the last Stronghold of Christianity in the Eastern Mediterranean.*

Aydin, Yusuf Alperen (Turkey)
*Ottoman Naval Code and Regulations (1701-1733)*

Şakul, Kahraman (Turkey)
*Military Transportation as part of Mediterranean Maritime Trade: Ottoman Freight Payments during the war of the Second Coalition (1798-1802)*

Zorlu, Tuncay (Istanbul Technical University, Turkey)
*Ottoman Naval Technology in the Late eighteenth Century*

Roberts, Tim (Western Illinois University, USA)
*American-Levantine interaction in Smyrna in the late eighteenth and early nineteenth centuries*
Frangakis-Syrett, Elena (The City University of New York, USA)
Concentric Circles and the Public Sphere in the Making of Izmir, 1750s-1900s