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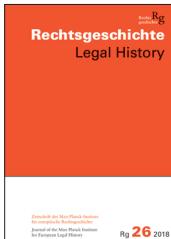
## RECHTSGESCHICHTE – LEGAL HISTORY



**RECHTSGESCHICHTE – LEGAL HISTORY**

*Rechtsgeschichte – Legal History (Rg)* is the Institute's journal, edited by Directors Marietta Auer, Thomas Duve and Stefan Vogenauer. The journal aims to be a forum for high-level scholarship in all branches of legal history. Its scope therefore reflects the full breadth of the discipline and is not restricted to particular periods of time or specific areas of law. Its particular profile derives from the research conducted at the Institute on the legal history of Europe, the common law world and the Iberian empires.

The journal has an international orientation and adopts a multilingual approach in order to reflect the diversity of global legal and research cultures. A peer review procedure ensures the high quality of the contributions. The journal's »Research« section presents selected outstanding articles of general interest. The »Focus« section brings together contributions on a common theme, and the short pieces in the »Debate« or »Forum« section discuss a given topic in legal history. The »Critique« section contains reviews of recent publications in the field. *Rg* is published by Vittorio Klostermann Verlag, Frankfurt am Main. Since 2012, the annual journal is also published online in Open Access on the journal website: [rg.rg.mpg.de/en/](http://rg.rg.mpg.de/en/). The journal is indexed, among others, in the *Directory of Open Access Journals (DOAJ)*.



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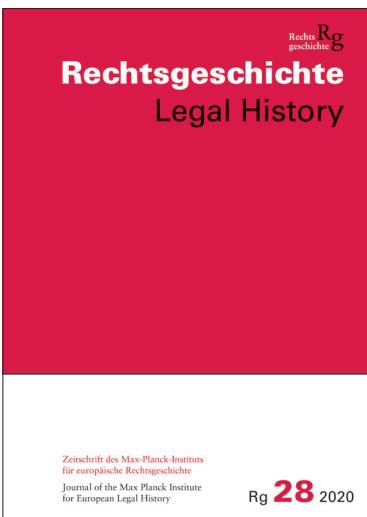
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**THE AMERICAN JOURNAL OF LEGAL HISTORY AT THE MPILHLT (2016–2020)**

The *American Journal of Legal History* (AJLH) was founded in 1957 and was the first English-language periodical in the field. When it was relaunched as an Oxford University Press (OUP) journal in early 2016, Stefan Vogenauer (mpilhlt, Frankfurt) was appointed as a co-editor. He shared the task with Al Brophy (University of North Carolina School of Law, Chapel Hill; later University of Alabama School of Law). As part of the relaunch, the Editorial Office was established at the mpilhlt. In 2019, Al Brophy handed over to Felice Batlan (IIT Chicago-Kent College of Law in Chicago).

The relaunch involved a major reorientation of the journal. While retaining its traditional focus on the legal history of the United States, it now aimed to reflect the recent enormous broadening of the intellectual horizon of the discipline and include a substantial number of contributions of a comparative, international or transnational nature.

Moreover, the design of the journal was overhauled, with a new cover and a revamped page layout. The editorial process was professionalised: an Editorial Board was established, a Managing Editor and book review editors were appointed. New author guidelines had to be drafted, and a state of the art double-blind peer review process was introduced. The publishers created an attractive journal website, making all articles since 1957 available online and offering an advance access function.

The Frankfurt Editorial Office not only handled the peer review process, it also provided linguistic editing of articles written by non-native speakers and style guiding (‘blue booking’ and ‘OSCOLAing’) of all manuscripts. Many members of Stefan Vogenauer’s department as well as of the Editorial Department were involved in a variety of roles. The team took pride in seeing through 21 quarterly issues overall, without missing a single deadline for submission to the publishers, and in consistently beating the OUP journal average for the speed of the review and production processes.

With the relaunch of the journal successfully completed, at the end of 2020 Felice Batlan and Stefan Vogenauer handed over to a new team of editors. From 2021 onwards, the editorial process will be dealt with in-house by OUP.

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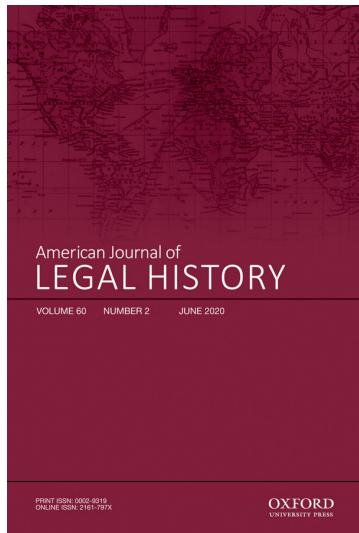
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**GLOBAL PERSPECTIVES ON LEGAL HISTORY**

The book series *Global Perspectives on Legal History*, edited by Directors Marietta Auer, Thomas Duve and Stefan Vogenauer, opens up the legal history of Europe to the history of its global connections. It publishes monographs as well as edited volumes which transcend the established boundaries of national legal scholarship and focus on different modes of normativity and law as well as on their historical development.

The peer-reviewed series addresses the global research community also in terms of its format. From its outset in 2014, it was designed as a multilingual Open Access publication series. *GPLH* primarily appears online, freely accessible to everyone on the Institute's homepage and can be found via DOAB, OAPEN, JSTOR and Project MUSE. A print-on-demand service is available for those readers who prefer or require a printed copy. With the publication of the 13th volume, the print editions will be available as hardcover.



## GLOBAL PERSPECTIVES ON LEGAL HISTORY



**VOLUME 13**

Pilar Mejía, Otto Danwerth, Benedetta Albani (eds.)

**NORMATIVIDADES E INSTITUCIONES ECLESIÁSTICAS  
EN EL NUEVO REINO DE GRANADA, SIGLOS XVI–XIX**

Frankfurt am Main: Max Planck Institute for European Legal History, 288 p.

ISBN 978-3-944773-24-7, print-on-demand: www.epubli.de, 21,08 €

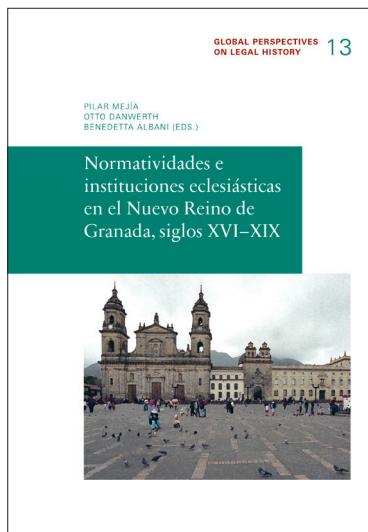
Open Access online edition: <http://dx.doi.org/10.12946/gplh13>

eISBN 978-3-944773-25-4

Ecclesiastical institutions and actors played key roles in the formation of normative orders in early modern Ibero-America. However, both legal historiography, due to its strong legalistic, state-centered imprint, and general historiography on the colonial period, more inclined towards secular law, have only rarely discussed the contribution of ecclesiastical normativity to the formation of what came to be called ›derecho indiano‹.

In light of that situation, the Institute organised a series of seminars in Mexico City, Lima, Bogotá, and São Paulo in order to offer an interdisciplinary forum dedicated to the research of *ecclesiastical normativities and institutions in Ibero-America* between the 16th and 19th centuries. The present volume (in Spanish) is the third in a four-book series that documents the results of the seminar in Bogotá. It is dedicated to the religious norms and institutions in

the territories that made up the New Kingdom of Granada, in what is now Colombia, Venezuela and Ecuador. The nine contributions focus not only on the centre of the archdiocese in Santafé but also examine the dioceses of Popayán, Santa Marta and Cartagena. The particular experiences of, and conflicts between, royal officials and members of the regular and secular clergy led to some cases from New Granada becoming precedents in the development of new forms of evangelisation and missionary practices.



## VOLUME 14

Mario G. Losano

**LE TRE COSTITUZIONI PACIFISTE**

Il rifiuto della guerra nelle costituzioni di Giappone, Italia e Germania

Frankfurt am Main: Max Planck Institute for European Legal History, 345 p.

ISBN 978-3-944773-26-1, print-on-demand: [www.epubli.de](http://www.epubli.de), 26,38 €

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The three defeated powers from the Second World War incorporated provisions prohibiting wars of aggression into their post-war constitutions, which are still in force. The first part of the book covers the difficult years for Japan, Italy and Germany between the end of the war and the start of peace (with the Nuremberg and Tokyo Trials, denazification, reparations and the renewal of the school system), analysing the birth of the three constitutions between 1947–49.

The consequences of defeat were different in each of the three countries, and hence each followed its own path in formulating the prohibition on war. However, the division of the world into two hostile blocs required the three countries to rearm, thus launching a process that resulted in the watering down of the original prohibition on war. In fact, the three countries'

involvement in international bodies requires each of them to participate in new wars, which are now branded as »peacekeeping« missions. There have thus been increasingly frequent calls to modify or even revoke these pacifist articles, above all in Japan (due to its geopolitical position). The second part looks at three extensive annexes of documents that detail a specific aspect of each of the three states' constitutional pathways.

This threefold historical-constitutional inquiry provides an account of the birth and development of the pacifist article imposed by the victorious Allies, thus allowing for a better understanding of current debates concerning its impending modification.



**VOLUME 15**

Luisa Stella de Oliveira Coutinho Silva

**NEM TEÚDAS, NEM MANTEÚDAS: HISTÓRIA DAS MULHERES E DIREITO  
NA CAPITANIA DA PARAÍBA (BRASIL, 1661–1822)**

Frankfurt am Main: Max Planck Institute for European Legal History, 390 p.

ISBN 978-3-944773-28-5, print-on-demand: www.epubli.de, about 23 €

Open Access online edition: <http://dx.doi.org/10.12946/gplh15>

eISBN 978-3-944773-29-2

This book develops a legal history of colonial women as a methodological approach to studying the women of Paraíba, a captaincy on the northeast coast of Brazil, from the end of the Dutch occupation (1661) to Brazilian independence in 1822. It uses the concept of multiple normativities to analyse dozens of daily life cases from Portuguese and Brazilian archives.

To study women's everyday normative contexts in a colonial space, the author analyses traditional Ius Commune and Portuguese legal sources from different jurisdictions, but also legal doctrines, medical treatises, moralist works and literature to enrich interpretations in women's history, gender studies, feminist legal theory and legal history. Furthermore, she examines the impact of these normative traditions in the colonial Captaincy of Paraíba and focuses on normativities of a more pragmatic character, analysing archival documents

portraying women's daily life situations relating to both secular and religious jurisdictions.



The analysis demonstrates that the law from the metropole neither offered pre-established solutions for women's daily lives, nor was it applied unchanged in the colony. On the ground, law was dynamic, and the interplay of multiple normativities provided different possibilities that depended on the intersection of women's condition and status, religion and sexual options, proving that sex and gender categories are not immutable, but, on the contrary, flexible according to the practices of law in colonial Paraíba.

## STUDIEN ZUR EUROPÄISCHEN RECHTSGESCHICHTE

### STUDIEN ZUR EUROPÄISCHEN RECHTSGESCHICHTE

The volumes of this publication series, which started in 1971, were initially published under the title *Ius Commune Sonderhefte*, as additional volumes to the former Institute journal *Ius Commune*. In 2002 (from volume 151 onwards), the former subtitle became the series' new name: *Studien zur europäischen Rechtsgeschichte*. It now contains over 320 volumes. Monographs and edited volumes are published individually or within the current sub-series: *Savignyania*, *Rechtsräume*, *Moderne Regulierungsregime*, *Lebensalter und Recht*, *Recht im ersten Jahrtausend*, *Recht in der Industriellen Revolution*, *Rechtskulturen des modernen Osteuropa*, *Repertorium der Policeyordnungen der Frühen Neuzeit*, *Juristische Briefwechsel des 19. Jahrhunderts*, *Das Europa der Diktatur*, *Bibliographica Juridica*.

The increasingly multilingual series is traditionally published in print by Vittorio Klostermann Verlag. All manuscripts undergo a peer review process. We intend to make newly published volumes available online in Open Access after a period of three years. Older volumes will successively also be digitised.



**BAND 320**

Robert von Friedeburg

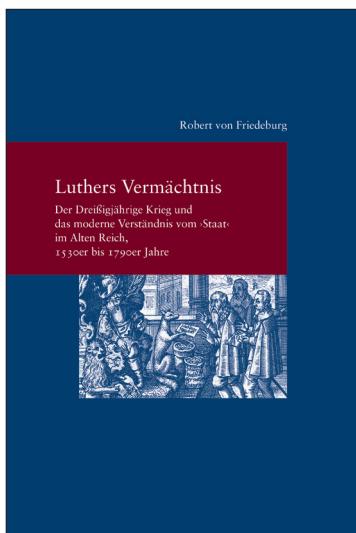
**LUTHERS VERMÄCHTNIS**

Der Dreißigjährige Krieg und das moderne Verständnis vom ›Staat‹  
im Alten Reich, 1530er bis 1790er Jahre

Frankfurt am Main: Vittorio Klostermann, 572 S., 98 €

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Der Begriff ›Staat‹ in seinem modernen Verständnis wurde im deutschsprachigen Reich nicht mit Bezug auf das frühneuzeitliche Alte Reich als Ganzes und erst recht nicht auf die Konsolidierung fürstlicher Macht über Land und Leute gemünzt. Vielmehr stand seine Genese im Zusammenhang mit den Konflikten zwischen Landständen und Fürsten angesichts der Verwüstungen des Dreißigjährigen Krieges. Die zeitgenössische, auf Luther zurückgehende Polemik gegen verbrecherische Fürsten aufnehmend, sollte Seckendorffs *Deutscher Fürstenstaat* (1656) als vermeintlich bis ins Mittelalter zurückreichende Einheit aus Land, Leuten und Gesetzen seine Bewohner durch eigene Rechtsordnung und Verwaltung (*Policey*) vor der Inkompetenz und Bosheit der Fürsten schützen. Seit dem letzten Drittel des 17. Jahrhunderts fanden solche Ideen, deren Herausbildung dieses Buch auf breiter Quellenbasis nachzeichnet, zunehmend auch bei Fürsten in evangelischen wie katholischen deutschen Landen Anklang.



**BAND 321**

Thomas Pierson

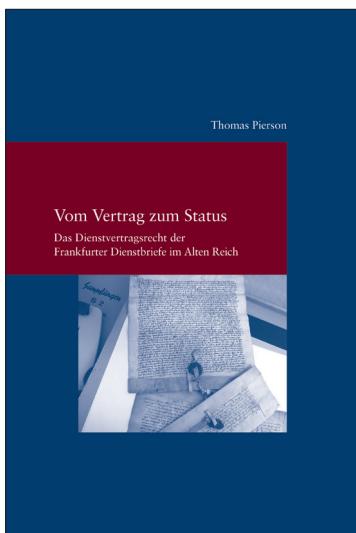
**VOM VERTRAG ZUM STATUS**

Das Dienstvertragsrecht der Frankfurter Dienstbriefe im Alten Reich

Frankfurt am Main: Vittorio Klostermann, 843 S., 139,00 €

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Die Dienstvertragspraxis der Reichsstadt Frankfurt am Main ist Gegenstand dieser Untersuchung zur vorindustriellen Arbeitsrechtsgeschichte. Mit dem Konzept der juristischen und sozialhistorischen Problemgeschichte als Analyse- und Strukturinstrument werden rechtliche, soziale und ökonomische Problemlagen im städtischen Dienst ermittelt, ihre Lösungen herausgearbeitet und anhand von Leitfragen nach Freiheit, Gleichheit und sozialer Absicherung systematisch erschlossen. Basis sind die Vertragsaussagen in den Dienstbriefen vielfältiger sozialer Gruppen – wie Knechten und Advokaten, Offizieren und Handwerkern – zum Kündigungsrecht, zur Gefahrtragung, zur Entlohnung usw. In einem Längsschnitt werden wesentliche Entwicklungslinien vom 14. Jahrhundert bis zum Ende des Alten Reichs aufgezeigt. Sie führen von einer ungeregelten spätmittelalterlichen Vertragspraxis zu einem zunehmenden beamtenähnlichen Statusverhältnis der Frankfurter Stadtbediensteten in der Frühen Neuzeit.



**BAND 322**

Philipp Siegert

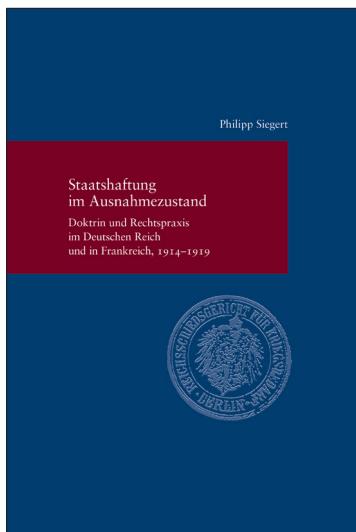
**STAATSHAFTUNG IM AUSNAHMEZUSTAND**

Doktrin und Rechtspraxis im Deutschen Reich und in Frankreich,  
1914–1919

Frankfurt am Main: Vittorio Klostermann, 362 S., 89,00 €

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Die ›Urfahrung‹ des modernen Rechtsstaats mit dem Ausnahmezustand war der Erste Weltkrieg. Geleitet von der Frage nach der rechtlichen Verantwortung des Staates unter solchen Umständen nimmt diese vergleichende Studie das Staatshaftungsrecht im Deutschen Reich und in Frankreich zwischen 1914 und 1918 in den Blick. Aus dieser Zeit stammen Kategorien von ›legitimem‹ und ›illegitimem‹ Staatshandeln, welche dem Völkerrecht der Vorkriegszeit fehlten oder gar widersprachen, mit den Friedensverträgen aber sanktioniert wurden. Trotz weiterer Zäsuren des 20. Jahrhunderts lassen sich Grundelemente der heutigen internationalen Ordnung auf Entscheidungen des Jahres 1919 zurückführen. Das gilt besonders für die völkerrechtliche Staatenverantwortlichkeit, die vor dem Hintergrund des Haftungsrechts beider Länder für Zerstörungen, Enteignungen und Wirtschaftskriegsmaßnahmen herausgearbeitet wird.



**STUDIEN ZUR EUROPÄISCHEN RECHTSGESCHICHTE****BAND 323**

Caspar Ehlers, Holger Grawe (Hg.)

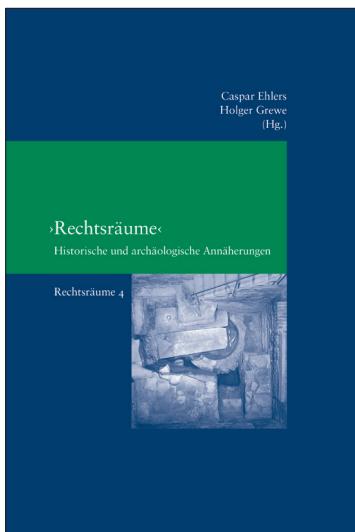
**›RECHTSRÄUME‹**

Historische und archäologische Annäherungen  
(Rechtsräume 4)

Frankfurt am Main: Vittorio Klostermann, 346 S., 79,00 €

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Die Entwicklung normativer Ordnungen in der weltlichen wie der kirchlichen Sphäre kann als Konfiguration neuer oder als Modifikation bestehender Regelungsmuster analysiert werden. Im Fokus dieses reich illustrierten Sammelbandes steht vor allem die Beobachtung dynamischer Veränderungen durch die räumliche, sprachliche und kulturelle Übertragung von Normen und Praktiken. Archäologen, Naturwissenschaftler und Historiker fragen nach derartigen Prozessen, deren Untersuchung interdisziplinäre und transnationale Ansätze verlangt sowie diachrone Komparatistik voraussetzt. Das Spektrum reicht von der Forschung an ›ancient DNA‹ im archäologischen Kontext über die historiographische (Re-)Konstruktion von Identitäten bis zur Untersuchung des Verhältnisses von Topographie und Herrschaft im europäischen Früh- und Hochmittelalter.



**BAND 324**

Martin P. Schennach

**AUSTRIA INVENTA?**

Zu den Anfängen der österreichischen Staatsrechtslehre

Frankfurt am Main: Vittorio Klostermann, 603 S., 98,00 €

ISBN 978-3-465-04414-7

Das Werk widmet sich erstmals umfassend der von der (rechts-)historischen Forschung bislang kaum beachteten österreichischen Staatsrechtslehre. Es untersucht ihre Entstehung, ihre Autoren, ihren Zusammenhang mit der Reichspublizistik, ihre Quellen und Methoden sowie ihre Inhalte und nicht zuletzt ihre Rolle in der universitären Lehre. Unter allen Partikularstaatsrechten im Heiligen Römischen Reich wurde ihr Gegenstand wohl am intensivsten traktiert. In der zweiten Hälfte des 18. Jahrhunderts stellte die österreichische Staatsrechtslehre eine florierende Literaturgattung dar, die vom habsburgischen Herrscherhaus gefördert wurde. Diese erklärt sich auch aus ihren Leitthemen: Sie flankierte den Prozess der Binnenintegration des heterogenen habsburgischen Herrschaftskomplexes und zielte auf die diskursive und juristische Konstruktion eines österreichischen Gesamtstaates sowie auf die Legitimation des Absolutismus ab.



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**STUDIEN ZUR EUROPÄISCHEN RECHTSGESCHICHTE****BAND 325**

Falko Maxin

**JURISTISCHE WAHRHEIT**

Eine Studie zum richterlichen Tatsachenwissen im 19. Jahrhundert

Frankfurt am Main: Vittorio Klostermann, 268 S., 69,00 €

ISBN 978-3-465-04426-0

Die Mechanik der »legalen Beweistheorie«, die das deutsche Verfahrensrecht bis in die zweite Hälfte des 19. Jahrhunderts beherrschte, sollte die Wahrheit eines zu beweisenden Umstandes mit legaler Strenge und arithmetischer Folgerichtigkeit errechenbar machen. Wie konnte sie – scheinbar plötzlich – durch die uns heute vertraute »freie Beweiswürdigung« des nach seiner subjektiven Übersetzung urteilenden Richter ersetzt werden? Sollte sich etwas Grundlegendes an Natur und Bedeutung des richterlichen Tatsachenwissens geändert haben? Haben etwa ein postkantisches Wahrheitsverständnis und eine gewandelte Auffassung gesellschaftlichen Wissens eine Rolle bei diesem bedeutenden justizgeschichtlichen Vorgang gespielt? Diesen Fragen geht die Studie auf ihrer Suche nach der »juristischen Wahrheit« am Beispiel von Zivil- und Strafgerichtsbarkeit nach und umreißt dabei eine Wissensgeschichte des Beweises im 19. Jahrhundert.

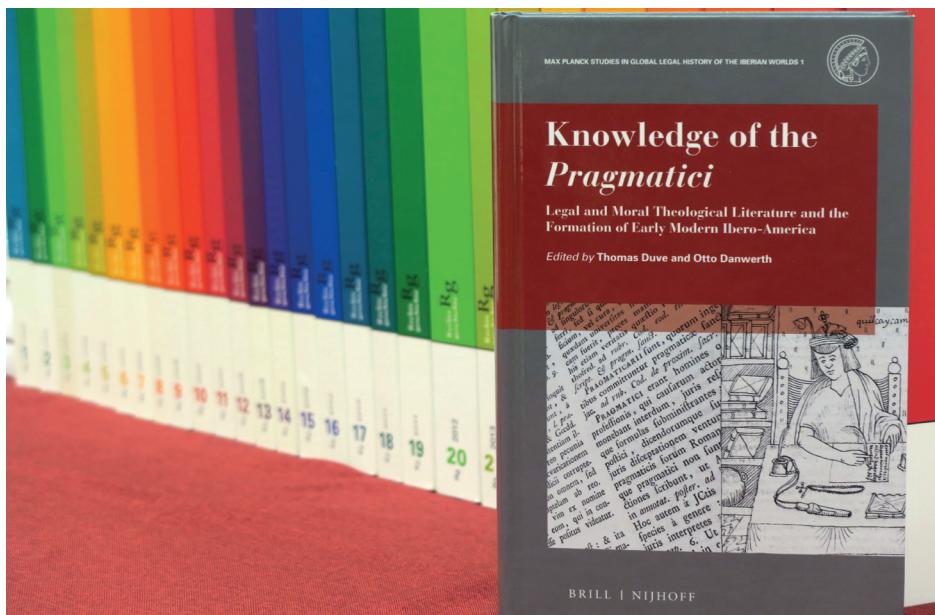


## MAX PLANCK STUDIES IN GLOBAL LEGAL HISTORY OF THE IBERIAN WORLDS



The volumes published in this book series deal with legal-historical research on areas that interacted with the Iberian empires during the early modern and modern periods in Europe, the Americas, Asia and Africa. The focus of this series is global in the sense that it does not just limit itself to imperial spaces as such, but also looks at the globalisation and localisation of norms within the spaces that were in contact with these imperial formations. The global dimension is, moreover, underscored by the attention paid to the coexistence of a variety of normativities and their cultural translations at different times and in different places. The volumes thus decentre traditional research perspectives and are open to exploring various modes of normativity.

The series is edited by Thomas Duve and published by Brill. All of the monographs, edited volumes and text editions in the series are peer reviewed and available in print and online in Open Access. Brill's Open Access books are distributed free of charge in Brill's E-Book Collections and can be found via DOAB, OAPEN and JSTOR.



**VOLUME 1**

Thomas Duve, Otto Danwerth (eds.)

**KNOWLEDGE OF THE PRAGMATICI**

Legal and Moral Theological Literature and the Formation  
of Early Modern Ibero-America

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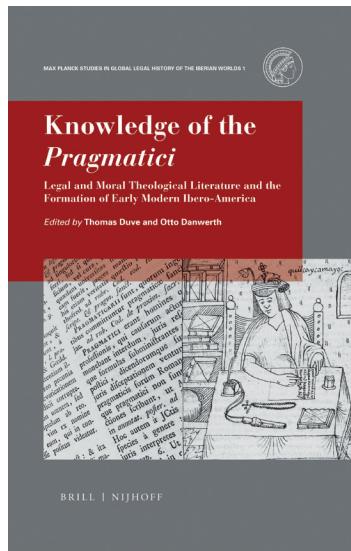
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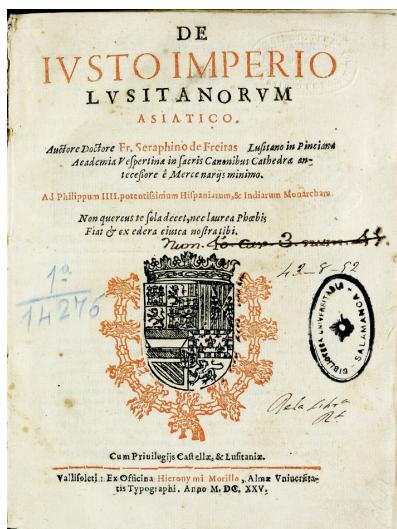
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### DAS INSTITUT

Ab dem 1. Januar 2021 trägt das Max-Planck-Institut für europäische Rechtsgeschichte einen neuen Namen: Max-Planck-Institut für Rechtsgeschichte und Rechtstheorie (mpilhlt).

Die neue Bezeichnung entspricht nicht nur der Erweiterung der rechtshistorischen Forschung auf andere Kontinente als den europäischen – ohne die europäische Rechtsgeschichte auszuschließen, die auch weiterhin einen Schwerpunkt bilden wird. Die Aufnahme der Rechtstheorie in den Institutsnamen macht vielmehr deutlich, dass mit der Einrichtung einer dritten Abteilung die Rechtstheorie nun einen festen Platz am Institut hat.

Das mpilhlt betreibt seit seiner Gründung im Jahre 1964 in Frankfurt am Main Forschungen zur europäischen und globalen Rechtsgeschichte sowie zur Theorie des Rechts. Mit seinen drei Abteilungen unter Leitung der Direktoren Marietta Auer (Multidiplinäre Rechtstheorie), Thomas Duve (Historische Normativitätsregime) und Stefan Vogenauer (Europäische und vergleichende Rechtsgeschichte), seiner Spezialbibliothek mit über 470.000 gedruckten Medieneinheiten sowie zahlreichen internationalen Gästen ist das Institut zu einem Knotenpunkt für alle Forschenden geworden, die sich mit vergangenen und gegenwärtigen nationalen und transnationalen Rechtsordnungen befassen. Viele der wissenschaftlichen Erträge werden in den Publikationsreihen des Instituts veröffentlicht.



## THE INSTITUTE

As of 1 January 2021, the Max Planck Institute for European Legal History has a new name: Max Planck Institute for Legal History and Legal Theory (mpilhlt).

This new designation not only embodies the expansion of our legal historical research to continents beyond Europe – not to the exclusion of European legal history, which remains a focus – but more significantly, the new name makes it clear that with the establishment of a third department legal theory now has a permanent place at the Institute.

Established in 1964, the mpilhlt in Frankfurt am Main engages in research on European and global legal history and on the theory of law. With its three departments led by Directors Marietta Auer (Multidisciplinary Theory of Law), Thomas Duve (Historical Regimes of Normativity) and Stefan Vogenauer (European and Comparative Legal History), its specialist library with over 470,000 printed media units, and its numerous international visitors, the Institute has become a worldwide hub for those working on past and present national and transnational legal orders. Many of the research results are published in the Institute's own publication series.


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## The Institute

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The Institute's research examines law, its constitution, legitimization, transformation and practice. Particular attention is paid to the positioning of historical forms of 'law' in the context of other normative orders. The establishment of a department engaged in developing a multidisciplinary legal theory in 2020 substantially expands the Institute's engagement with issues of legal theory.

The Institute is today able to build on its over 50-year history. While the emphasis was placed on the history of private law in Europe at the time Helmut Coing established the Institute in 1964, subsequent

directors – Walter Wilhelm, Dieter Simon, Michael Stolleis and Marie Theres Fögen – gradually extended the fields of activity to other research areas, such as the history of public law, international law and criminal law. For quite some time, a great deal of importance was attached to the evaluation of legislation and key scholarly reference texts. Today, however, the focus is primarily on working with other relevant source materials. Whereas emphasis was traditionally placed on the legal history of Europe, under the direction of Thomas Duve (since 2009) and Stefan Vogenauer (since 2015) the Institute has increasingly expanded its scope to also include other regions. Comparative, global, and global-

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