The Press and the Political Public, 1830 – 1930
A one-day workshop in the German Historical Institute in London,
17 Bloomsbury Square

Friday, 24 October 2003

9.30 – 11.00  Chair: Bernhard Fulda
Torsten Riotte  ‘A sense of Revolution? German newspaper reporting prior to the political events 1830 and 1848’
Abigail Green  ‘Intervening in the Public Sphere: German governments and the press, 1815-1870’

11.00-11.30  Coffee Break

11.30 –13.00  Chair: Torsten Riotte
James Thompson  ‘The press and the idea of ‘public opinion’ in Britain, 1870-1914’
Frank Bösch  ‘Scandals, Mass Media and the Transformation of the Public Sphere at the turn of the Century in Germany’

13.00 – 14.45  Lunch break

14.45 – 16.15  Chair: Matthias Reiss
Dominik Geppert  ‘Mass public & secret diplomacy. The role of the press in Anglo-German Relations, 1890-1914’
Dan Vyleta  ‘Pictorial representations and the courtroom as public sphere at the turn of the century’
Bernhard Fulda  ‘Newspaper consumers, voters and the unknown public in the 1920s’

16.15-16.30  Tea Break

16.30 – 17.30  Chair: Dominik Geppert
Concluding discussion & planning of Cambridge conference autumn 2004