

# LIBERATIONS/OCCUPATIONS

## FRAMING INTERVENTION IN THE 20TH CENTURY

### International History Workshop

Temple University  
May 19-20, 2007

Russell F. Weigley Room  
History Department  
Gladfelter Hall



#### SATURDAY, MAY 19

**12:30-2:00 Ambiguities of Liberation in Europe: 1945 and after**

**Chair and Comment: Petra Goedde**, Temple

**Will Hitchcock**, Temple, "Liberation on the Normandy 'Frontier,' 1944-45"

**Holger Löwendorf**, Temple "A Coin with Two Faces': The United States and the Cultural-Historical Reconstruction of Postwar Germany."

**Daniel Cohen**, Rice, "Displaced Persons and the Rise of the Cold War West: 1945-1946."

**2:30-4:15 Asia and the Question of Liberation and Revolt**

**Chair: David Zierler**, Temple

**Comment: David Zierler and Robert Brigham**, Vassar

**Erez Manela**, Harvard University, "Imagining Woodrow Wilson in Asia: Dreams of East-West Harmony and the Revolt against Empire in 1919"

**Mark Lawrence**, University of Texas-Austin, "Recasting Vietnam: Alliance Politics and the Outbreak of the Cold War in Southeast Asia."

**Sophie Quinn-Judge**, Temple, "The End of South Vietnam: Liberation or Occupation?"

**6:00 Keynote Speaker: Robert Brigham**, Vassar, "Is Iraq another Vietnam?"

#### SUNDAY, MAY 20

**8:30-10:00 The Bases of Caribbean History: US Military Occupations**

**Chair and Comment: Harvey Neptune**, Temple

**Katherine McCaffrey**, Montclair State, "Vieques: A Strategic Colony on the Margins of Empire"

**John Gronbeck-Tedesco**, University of Texas, "Good or Bad Neighbors? Political Legacies of the 1933 Cuban Revolution"

**Jana Lipman**, St. Joseph's College, "A 'Ticklish' Position: Revolution, Loyalty and Crisis, 1959-1964 in Guantanamo, Cuba"

**10:15-11:15 The Middle East between Liberation and Occupation: A Conversation**

**Geoff Wawro**, University of North Texas, "Quicksand: America's Pursuit of Power in the Middle East, from the Balfour Declaration to the Bush Doctrine"

**Comment: Richard Immerman**, Temple

**11:30-12:30 Publishing and International History**

**Susan Ferber**, Senior Editor, Oxford University Press