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PROGRAM

SECTION 1 – DYNAMICS OF EPISCOPAL GOVERNANCE

24 October

Opening ceremony
9.00am-10.30am

José Pedro Paiva – *The first Catholic bishop who ruled a bishopric in Asia: Juan de Albuquerque, bishop of Goa (1537-1553)*

Juliana Torres – *Conversion and correction in the works of the archbishop of Goa Gaspar de Leão (1558-1576)*

Part 2: 11am-12.45am

Bruno Costa – *“Jerónimo in Peace, Caesar in War”. The episcopate of Jerónimo Fernando, Bishop of Funchal (1619-1650)*

Gabriela Nóbrega – *D. Frei Francisco dos Mártires (1636-1652): an archbishop in a changing period*

Matilde Santos – *Surveilling and disciplining the faithful: episcopal governance of Cabo Verde by the bishop Vitoriano Portuense (1687-1705)*

Part 3: 14.30pm-16.15pm

Pollyanna Gouveia Mendonça Muniz – *Timóteo do Sacramento and the Crown Court: diocesan administration, reform of customs and conflict of jurisdictions in the bishopric of Maranhão (1697-1714)*

Ellen Luz – *D. Luís Álvares de Figueiredo (1725-1735): a jacobite archbishop in the colonial Bahia?*

Anna Karolina Vilela Siqueira – *Religiosity, politics and education in the Diocese of Mariana*

SECTION 2 - EPISCOPAL ADMINISTRATION: STRUCTURES AND NETWORK OF AGENTS

Part 4: 16.45pm-19pm

Jaime Gouveia – *“Cujus regio, ejus religio”. The foundation of a Portuguese diocese in the kingdoms of the Congo and Angola and the action of the first bishops, 1596-1642*

Daniel Norte Giebels – *The Church’s presence in the Portuguese settlements in North Africa (1537-1769)*

Jairzinho Pereira – *Trent Postponed: Episcopal Governance and the Projects for the Establishment of the Diocesan Seminary in Cape Verde (1570-1866)*

Luiz Lopes – *Ascension in the clergy, obstruction in the Inquisition: clerics of cathedral chapters and “vigariarias-gerais” disapproved by the the Portuguese Holy Office*

25 October

Part 6: 9am-10.30am

Gustavo Santos – *“Vigararias da vara” in the diocese of Pernambuco (1676-1750): activities and location of an important organ of ecclesiastical justice*

Aldair Rodrigues – *Dynamics of interaction between pastoral visits and ecclesiastical courts in the bishops of southeastern Brazil (18th century)*

Juarlyson Jhones Santos de Souza – *The lawyers and the administration of ecclesiastical justice of the bishopric of Pernambuco (18th century)*

Part 7: 11am-12.45am

Kevin Carreira Soares – *Some results of the absence of episcopal payments to the government and appointment of the Asian bishoprics (c. 1558-1668)*

Gutiele Gonçalves dos Santos – *The path of salvation: Priests, vicars and missionaries in the sertões of Piauí and Maranhão in the 18th century*

Vanessa Cerqueira Teixeira – *The brotherhood phenomenon on the Mariana bishopric: dynamics and conflicts on 17th century of Minas Gerais*

SECTION 3 – INTERACTION WITH POPULATIONS AND OTHER POWERS RESPONSIBLE FOR DISSEMINATING AND CONTROLLING CATHOLICISM

Part 8: 14.30pm-16.15pm

Everton Sales Souza – *The Portuguese Patronage in Portuguese America*

Ediana Mendes – *Episcopal Power in the Junta das Missões. The cases of Bahia, Pernambuco and Rio de Janeiro (17th-18th centuries)*

Michelle Brito – *“A missionary bishop to São Paulo”: episcopal policy and the indigenous missions of the secular clergy in São Paulo’s diocese (1680-1700)*

Part 9: 16.45pm-18.30pm

Ana Ruas Alves – *Diplomacy or conflict? Relations between the Archbishop of Goa and the King (1736-1750)*

Miguel Rodrigues Lourenço – *Episcopacy, distance, and conversion. On the origins of the specificity of the commissioners of the Holy Office in the Estado da Índia*

António Vítor Ribeiro – *Slaves as Christians: the Portuguese overseas bishops and slave indoctrination (1680-1750)*