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Program:

Session 1

Chair: Beate Fricke (University of California, Berkeley)

Johannes Endres (University of California Riverside): Freud's Renaissance. How the Early Modern Artist Became Popular

Joseph Imorde (University of Siegen): Michelangelo's David Globalized

Session 2

Chair: Julia Gelshorn (University of Vienna)

Melissa Renn (Harvard Art Museums): Even Better than the Real Thing? Life Magazine's Illuminations

Jeanette Kohl (University of California Riverside): He-Man and It-Girl. The Afterlife of the Machiavellian Prince in Contemporary Political Imagery

Beat Wyss (Karlsruhe University of Arts and Design): Vasari's Chimaera and Totemism in Modern Art

Session 3

Chair: Stefan Neuner (University of Basel)

Jörg Scheller (Swiss Institute for Art Research, Zurich): Oration on the Dignity of Muscle. The Afterlife of Humanist Thought in Bodybuilding and Fitness

Valentin Nussbaum (National Taiwan Normal University): Renaissance 'de façade'. Treacherous Survival in Brian de Palma's Obsession

Session 4

Chair: Wolfgang Brückle (University of Basel)

Douglas N. Dow (Kansas State University): History and the Hyperreal: Assassin's Creed II, Simulation, and the Historical Act

Jens Baumgarten (Federal University of São Paulo, Brazil): A Sacred Las Vegas in São Paulo: Michelangelo's Sistine Chapel and the Foundation of Brazilian Art History

Session 5

Chair: Mateusz Kapustka (University of Zurich)

Arnold Bartetzky (University of Leipzig): 'Palaces for the Working Class'. Neo-Renaissance in Eastern European Architecture and Mass Culture under Stalin

Berthold Hub (University of Vienna): African Renaissance? A Simulacrum of St. Peter's Basilica in Côte d'Ivoire

Martino Stierli (University of Basel): Re-enacting Venice: Postmodern Reproductions of La Serenissima

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