

# Chinese Walls around the World

Success and Failure of Wall Building in Human History

## Programme

### Thursday, October 18

10:00-10:15

Welcome and Opening address  
Lukas Nickel and Robert Rollinger

**Panel 1**, Panel Chair: Eberhard Sauer

10:15-11:00

Gebhard Selz, Wien,  
**The Martu-Wall of the UR-III period**

11.00 coffee break

11:15-12:00

Robert Rollinger, Innsbruck,  
**The Median wall and Xenophon**

12:00-12:45

Lukas Nickel, Wien,  
**The Qin and Han Great Wall**

12:45-14:30 Lunch Break

**Panel 2**, Panel Chair: tbd

14:30-15:15

Nicola DiCosmo, Princeton,  
**The Chinese Wall from a Nomadic Perspective**

15:15-16:00

Krzysztof Nawotka, Wrocław,  
**The „Gates of Alexander“ and the Caucasian Wall of Derbent**

16.00 coffee break

16:15-17:15

**Discussion** (Tim Taylor)

19:00 Conference Dinner

(Speakers and Discussants only)

### Friday, October 19

**Panel 3**, Panel Chair: Lukas Nickel

9:00-9:45

Lauren Morris, Freiburg,  
**The Iron Gate wall in Uzbekistan**

9:45-10:30

Eberhard Sauer et al., Edinburgh,  
**The Wall of Gorgan**

10:30-11:00 Coffee Break

11:00-11:45

Dirk Rupnow, Innsbruck,  
**The Berlin Wall**

11:45-12:30

**Discussion** (Sitta von Reden)

12:30-14:30 Lunch Break

afternoon:

Excursion: **Roman Vienna**  
(with Andreas Schwarcz, Wien)

### Saturday, October 20

**Panel 4**, Panel Chair: Robert Rollinger

9:30-10:15

Kai Ruffing, Kassel,  
**The Hadrian's Wall**

10:15-11:00

Christoph Schäfer, Trier,  
**The Rhine and Danube Limes**

10.00 Coffee break

11:15-12:15

**Concluding Remarks and Final discussion**  
(Bert Fagner)

Conference at the University of Vienna, Institute of Art History, Seminar Room 1,  
Garnisongasse 13, Court 9 (Uni Campus), 1090 Wien, 18-20 October 2018