Desert Workshop Program
3-4 March 2017
Honors College Conference Room, UNLV (RLL134)

FRIDAY 3 March

13.00-13.30  Introductions and Lame Words of Welcome™

13.30-14.30  Danielle Ross
“Wives, Patients, Believers: Muslim Women’s Marriage Rights, Medicine, and
Religious Knowledge in Pre-Great Reforms Russia (1790s-1860s)”

14.45-15.45  Laurie Manchester
“Imagining the Soviet Union from Abroad: How Post-War Manchurian
Russians Reconceptualized their Historic Homeland.”

16.00-17.00  Elise Wirtschafter, “Russian Diplomacy as Enlightenment Project: The Holy
Alliance and the Vienna Settlement, 1815-1822”

18.00-??    Dinner at Werth Residence: 1801 Adonis Ave, Henderson, NV 89074 (about 8
miles from the UNLV campus; Uber & Lyft are probably the ideal way to
handle transport). My cell = 702-460-5270.

SATURDAY 4 MARCH

09.00-10.00  Gary Hamburg
“V. V. Leontovitsch’s Legal Revolution under Ivan the Terrible.”

10.15-11.15  Adrienne Edgar
“What to call the children? Names and naming among ethnically mixed families

11.30-13.00  Lunch (each as he or she wishes; suggestions to be provided)

13.00-14.00  Nancy Kollmann
“Conundrums of Punishment: Early Modern Russia and the Death Penalty”

14.15-15.15  Jeff Hardy & Yana Skorobogatov
“We’re Talking about a Person’s Life”: Supreme Soviet Discussions of Capital
Punishment and Pardon, 1953-1964.”

15.15-16.15  Maya Peterson, “From Subversion to Rebellion: The Uprising of 1916 in
Turkestan’s Chu River Valley”

16.30       Termination & Ending