Illustrations and Tables

Figures

1.1 *White Lion* teacup 9
1.2 Böttger presents the Arcanum 36
2.1 German kitchen, ca. 1820 70
2.2 Imitation Wedgwood medallion 77
2.3 Gotthelf Greiner and sons 98
2.4 Turkish cup 100
3.1 Albrechtsburg, Meissen 120
3.2 The “Blue Onion” 132
3.3 Meissen factory interior 134
3.4 “Pagode” 141
3.5 J. J. Kändler, “Lady and Fox” 144
3.6 Laocoön mini-bust 148
3.7 Princesses in biscuit 150
4.1 Frederick William III teacup 169
4.2 Villeroy & Boch manufactory, Mettlach 190
5.1 Café Reale, Dresden 203
5.2 Semper’s Meissen vase 213
5.3 Battle of Leipzig commemorative teacup 218
5.4 Biedermeier pipe 222
6.1 Women tile makers at work 265
6.2 Marvelous “mosaic” tiles 274
6.3 Meissen's new factory  
7.1 Working-class interior, Berlin 1913  
7.2 International Women's Congress meeting, 1914  
7.3 KPM booth, 1900 World Exhibition  
7.4 Van de Velde chocolate service  
8.1 Porcelain department, Kaufhaus des Westens, 1932  
8.2 Rosenthal shop window  
8.3 Arzberg advertisement, Form 1382  
8.4 Dollmaking in Thuringia, 1927  
8.5 Christmas, 1930  
8.6 Weimar-era sales tactics  
8.7 Nazi mass consumption  
8.8 Hitler and Himmler admire Meissen figurines  
8.9 The Klemperer family collection  
9.1 Rosenthal studio house, Düsseldorf  
9.2 Worker shoveling porcelain, Selb, 1960  
9.3 GDR Meissen stamps  
9.4 Reform kitchen  
9.5 GDR supper, 1955

Plates (between pages 264 and 265)

1. Porcelain Room, Charlottenburg Palace
2. *Coronation Banquet for Joseph II*, 1764
3. Count Brühl’s fancies
4. A princely dinner, ca. 1766
5. Painting department, WPM, ca. 1830
7. “Sweet” classicism at Meissen
8. \textit{A Family Supper}, 1836
9. WPM sample plate and goblet
10. Biedermeier salon, ca. 1830
11. Porcelain shoppers in Vienna, 1838
12. Diversity in the ceramics industry
13. Wilhelmine dollhouse
14. Wilhelm II on porcelain
15. Hitler’s train service
16. Berlin flea market, today

Maps

1. Porcelain manufacturers in central Europe, ca. 1800  
2. Porcelain manufacturers in central Europe, ca. 1900

Tables

2.1 Firm Foundings in Thuringia, Eighteenth Century  
4.1 The KPM’s Ministerial Minders, 1787–1879  
5.1 Women Workers at Meissen, 1765–1876  
6.1 Firm Size, 1882–1907  
6.2 Average Wages, 1878–1906  
6.3 Firm Foundings, Silesia and Bavaria  
8.1 Expansion of Administrative Staff, Meissen, 1765–1930  
8.2 Relative Increase and Decrease of Sales of Porcelain, Glass, Etc. (1932 Baseline)  
9.1 Porcelain Workers, Bavaria, 1925–2016