Contents

Preface		X
No	tes on Contributors	xi
	Introduction Stefan Berger and Chris Lorenz	
1	Narrativizations of the Past: The Theoretical Debate and the Example of the Weimar Republic Jan Eckel	26
2	Double Trouble: A Comparison of the Politics of National History in Germany and in Quebec Chris Lorenz	49
3	Setting the Scene for National History Joep Leerssen	71
4	A Strained Relationship: Epistemology and Historiography in Eighteenth- and Nineteenth-Century Germany and Britain Angelika Epple	86
5	Wars of Religion in National History Writing at the Beginning of the Twentieth Century: P. J. Blok, Karl Lamprecht, Ernest Lavisse and Henri Pirenne Geneviève Warland	107
6	Heretics into National Heroes: Jules Michelet's Joan of Arc and František Palacký's John Hus <i>Monika Baár</i>	128
7	History and Politics: Interpretations of Early Modern Conquest and Reformation in Victorian Ireland Marc Caball	149
8	Narrating the Building of a Small Nation: Divergence and Convergence in the Historiography of Estonian 'National Awakening', 1868–2005 Jörg Hackmann	170
9	Theorizing and Practising 'Scientific' History in South-Eastern Europe (Nineteenth-Twentieth Century): Spyridon Lambros and Nicolae Jorga <i>Effi Gazi</i>	192

10	Theatre Histories and the Construction of National Identity: The Cases of Norway and Finland Ilona Pikkanen	209
11	Nation, State and Empire: The Historiography of 'High Imperialism' in the British and Russian Empires Andrew Mycock with Marina Loskoutova	233
12	Ends of Empire: Decolonizing the Nation in British and French Historiography Robert Aldrich and Stuart Ward	259
13	Inside-Out: The Purposes of Form in Friedrich Meinecke's and Robert Aron's Explanations of National Disaster Hugo Frey and Stefan Jordan	282
14	Clio and Class Struggle in Socialist Histories of the Nation: A Comparison of Robert Grimm's and Eduard Bernstein's Writings, 1910–1920 Thomas Welskopp	298
15	Rewriting National History in Post-War Central Europe: Marxist Syntheses of Austrian and Czechoslovak History as New National Master Narratives Pavel Kolář	319
16	Nineteenth Century Liberal Master Narratives Revisited: A Comparison of Gyula Szekfű and Benedetto Croce Árpád v. Klimó	341
17	The Lombard League in Nineteenth-Century Historiography, c.1800–c.1850 David Laven	358
18	History of Civilization: Transnational or Post-Imperial? Some Iberian Perspectives (1870–1930) Xosé-Manoel Núñez	384
19	After the Deluge: The Impact of the Two World Wars on the Historical Work of Henri Pirenne and Marc Bloch Peter Schöttler	404
20	Rising Like a Phoenix The Renaissance of National History Writing in Germany and Britain since the 1980s Stefan Berger	426

21	Myth in the Writing of European History Jan Ifversen	452
22	The Nation, Progress and European Identity in <i>The Rise of Modern Europe John L. Harvey</i>	480
Index		500