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# Germany and Europe in the World: Insider and Outsider Perspectives

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German and European Studies

**28 – 31. March 2023, Berlin**

**PROGRAMME**



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# Tuesday, 28 March 2023

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1.30 – 5.30 pm      **Arrival and Registration**  
Hotel NH Collection  
Berlin Mitte at  
Checkpoint Charlie

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2.30 – 5.30 pm      **Graduate Workshop Part 1: “Thinking about your research in German and European studies through an inter-disciplinary prism”**  
Hotel NH Collection  
Berlin Mitte  
Room: Ludwig Erhardt      WORKSHOP LEADERS  
**Dr Tobias Ebbrecht-Hartmann** (*CGS Jerusalem*)  
**Dr Verena Molitor** (*ZDES Bielefeld/St. Petersburg*)

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3.30 – 5.30 pm      **Networking for Centre Directors**  
Hotel NH Collection  
Berlin Mitte  
Room: Willy Brandt

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6.30 – 9.00 pm      **Opening ceremony followed by a reception**  
Auditorium  
Friedrichstraße      OPENING  
**Dr Michael Harms**  
*Deputy Secretary General, German Academic Exchange Service - DAAD*

WELCOMING ADDRESS  
**Ralf Beste**  
*Head of the Directorate-General for Culture and Society, Federal Foreign Office*

KEYNOTE ADDRESS  
**Prof Dr Dan Diner**  
**„Zeitenwenden“ - Deutsche Geschichten 1989-1848**  
*Chair Alfred Landecker Foundation, Prof emeritus at the Hebrew University of Jerusalem and Leipzig University*

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# Wednesday, 29 March 2023

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9.00 – 10.30 am  
Hotel NH Collection  
Berlin Mitte  
Room: Friedrich der  
Große 1+2

## PARALLEL FORUMS

### Forum 1

#### International politics in times of global disorder

MODERATION

**Prof Dr Andreas Vasilache** (*ZDES Bielefeld/St. Petersburg*)

INPUT

**Dr Aziz Elmuradov** (*ZDES Bielefeld/St. Petersburg*)

Russia and the EU in the New World Disorder

**Tatiana Saraseko** (*ZDES Bielefeld/St. Petersburg*)

Political Identities of German Cities: Between Social Governance and Climate Change

**Dr Daniel Schade** (*Cornell University*)

Transatlantic ties in times of trouble – Mismatch or mismanagement?

**Noa Swisa** (*CGS Jerusalem*)

Germany, Israel and the European Union – does a European common foreign policy challenge the German-Israeli special relationship?

Room: Friedrich der  
Große 3

### Forum 2

#### Migrants as outsiders and Germans as insiders? Perspectives from inside and outside

MODERATION

**Danni Reches** (*HCGES Haifa*)

INPUT

**Gözde Böcü** (*University of Toronto*)

Beyond Religion: The Othering of Muslim immigrants and citizens in Germany amidst Changing Home Country Narratives

**Dr Arndt Emmerich** (*Heidelberg University*)

Constructing religious outsiders and insiders through interreligious encounters – The case of Jewish-Muslim relations within Frankfurt's Council of Faiths

**Danni Reches** (*HCGES Haifa*)

Insider-outsider polarization: What we can learn from liberal, conservative and tabloid newspaper reporting on the 2018 Chemnitz riots in Germany

**Dr Tatiana Cardoso Squeff** (*University of Uberlândia, Brasilien*)

Who can (be)long in Germany? The German economy and labour market influence on who is an insider and an outsider

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10.30 – 11.00 am

Coffee break

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11.00 am – 12.30 pm Hotel NH Collection Berlin Mitte Room: Friedrich der Große 1+2	<b>Plenum 3</b> <b>Globalising European Memory</b>  MODERATION <b>Dr Katarzyna K. Williams</b> ( <i>Australian National University Centre for European Studies (ANUCES)</i> )  INPUT <b>Dr Sulamith Graefenstein</b> ( <i>ANUCES</i> ) Transnational Reverberations of the Holocaust: European Atrocity Education and Australia’s Colonial Past <b>Dr Öndercan Muti</b> ( <i>Humboldt Universität Berlin</i> ) Changing generational needs and new meanings of the memory of the Armenian Genocide <b>Dr Özgür Özvatan</b> ( <i>Humboldt Universität Berlin</i> ) ‘Muslim-German’ Constructions of the Environment in the Aftermath of the ‘Climate Crisis’ <b>Dr Katarzyna K. Williams</b> ( <i>ANUCES</i> ) Migration and European memory in Australia
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11.00 am – 1.00 pm Hotel NH Collection Berlin Mitte Room: Yitzhak Rabin	<b>Graduate Workshop Part 2: “Mindfulness Matters”</b>  WORKSHOP LEADER <b>Amanda Wichert</b> ( <i>WITOS Berlin</i> )
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12.30 – 2.00 pm      Lunch

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2.00 – 5.00 pm Hotel NH Collection Berlin Mitte Room: Friedrich der Große 1+2  <i>including a coffee break</i>	<b>Networking Forum</b> All participants had the opportunity to apply in advance for a 5-minute time slot followed by a short exchange in the plenary. On the agenda are cooperation proposals for events, impulses on topics such as the possibilities of Area Studies or the development of interdisciplinary curricula for German Studies, but also news from individual centres. We look forward to a lively exchange.
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6.30 – 8.00 pm Restaurant „HABEL am Reichstag“	<b>Parliamentary Evening with Members of the German Bundestag (Centre directors (and representatives) only)</b> Parliamentary discussion evening with members of the German Bundestag and DAAD Deputy Secretary General, Dr Michael Harms <i>There will be a shuttle service from the hotel to the restaurant and back. The shuttle will depart from the hotel at 5.45 pm.</i>
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# Thursday, 30 March 2023

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9.00 – 10.30 am  
Hotel NH Collection  
Berlin Mitte  
Room: Friedrich der Große 1+2

**Plenum 4**  
**Beyond the Merkel Era- Politics and Political Institutions in the Post-Merkel Era: A View from the Outside**  
MODERATION  
**Dr Eric Langenbacher** (*American Institute for Contemporary German Studies (AICGS)*)

INPUT  
**Prof Dr Gisela Dachs** (*CGS Jerusalem*)  
HU-EF Barometer - Israelis' Perceptions of Europe and Germany and Germans' Perceptions of Israel  
**Dr Eric Langenbacher** (*AICGS*)  
Modell Deutschland No Longer? German Political Institutions  
**Jeffrey Rathke** (*AICGS*)  
The “Ampel” Reforms and German International Leadership

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10.30 – 11.00 am      Coffee break

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11.00 am – 12.30 pm  
Hotel NH Collection  
Berlin Mitte  
Room: Friedrich der Große 1+2

**PARALLEL FORUMS**  
**Forum 5**  
**Narrative der Selbst- und Fremddeutung. Deutschland als transnationaler Bezugsraum**  
MODERATION  
**Dr Hideto Hiramatsu** (*DESK Tokyo*)

INPUT  
**Dr Henning Fauser** (*CIERA Paris*)  
Das „modèle allemand“ – die Perzeption Deutschlands im Dienste französischer Selbstvergewisserung  
**Dr Rachel Muchira** (*Technical University of Kenya*)  
Genügt die Sprache? Insider-Outsider-Erzählungen von KenianerInnen in Deutschland  
**Henning Radke** (*DIA Amsterdam*)  
Urbane Sprachpraktiken im digitalen Raum  
**Dr Joanna Małgorzata Banachowicz** (*WBZ Wrocław*)  
Fremd – fremder – Flüchtling. Zur Migrantenproblematik in den Werken von Julya Rabinowich, Doron Rabinovici und Robert Menasse

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Room: Friedrich der  
Große 3

**Forum 6**

**Our cultures, ourselves**

MODERATION

**Katharina Konarek** (HCGES Haifa)

INPUT

**Dr Mark Seow** (DAAD University of Cambridge Research Hub)

Sweaty Bodies in 21st-century Berlin and 18th-century Leipzig

**Shoha Tamahide** (DESK Tokyo)

Shaping Trans People's Identities: Focusing on Germany from around 1900 to the 1920s

**Dr Franziska Wolf** (IGES Birmingham)

Outsiders, insiders and the 'in-between': Abbas Khider and the German literary sphere

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12.30 – 2.00 pm

Lunch

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Starting from 2 pm

**Social programme**

**3.00 – 4.00 pm: Humboldt Forum Berlin:** *Climate change impacts in Oceania - An interactive guided tour with augmented reality (Englisch) (Group 1)*

There will be a transfer from the hotel to the Humboldt Forum. Departure from the hotel at 2:15 pm. The return journey must be organized by yourself.

**3.00 – 4.00 pm: Neue Nationalgalerie Berlin:** *Mies van der Rohe: Museumsarchitektur in neuem Licht (Deutsch) (Group 2)*

Either independent arrival by 2:45 p.m., approx. 20 min. on foot from the hotel; or joint arrival from the hotel by bus 200 (direction S+U Zoologischer Garten) from "U Stadtmitte" to "Philharmonie", 15 min. by public transport

**2.15 – 5.45 pm: Berlin on foot** (*Brandenburg Gate, Parliament Quarter, Reichstag Dome*) (Englisch) (Group 3)

An identification document (ID card, passport or driver's license, etc.) of all participants will be checked on the spot. The tour starts and ends on foot at the hotel.

**2.00 – 3.45 pm: Literarische Führung mit Michael Bienert** (Deutsch) (Group 4)

The tour starts at 2 pm at the hotel and ends in downtown Berlin. The way back to the hotel must be organized independently.

**3.00 – 4.00 pm: Deutsches Historisches Museum:** *Roads Not Taken. Oder: Es hätte auch anders kommen können (Deutsch) (Group 5)*

There will be a transfer from the hotel to DHM. Departure from the hotel at 2:15 pm. The return journey must be organized by yourself.

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# Friday, 31 March 2023

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9.00 – 10.30 am  
Hotel NH Collection  
Berlin Mitte  
Room: Friedrich der  
Große 1+2

## PARALLEL FORUMS

### Forum 7

#### Transcultural Spaces of Memory and Identity

MODERATION

**Prof Dr Laurence McFalls** (*CCEAE Montréal*)

INPUT

**Dr Julian Hörner** (*IGES Birmingham*)

The Holocaust, Culture of Memory, and the Radical Right: A Comparative Study of Germany and Austria

**Bastian Küntzel** (*WBZ Wrocław*)

“Suddenly, half my life was gone”: Pandemic related border closure and identity in the Polish-German borderscape

**Noga Sagi** (*CGS Jerusalem*)

On Image, Memory, and Cultural Heritage in the Austrian – Israeli Relations

**Noga Stiassny** (*CGS Jerusalem*)

In Berlin-Neukölln, history reveals itself when the sun goes down: local history, transnational perspective

Room: Friedrich der  
Große 3

### Forum 8

#### Travelling ideas: Germany in Asian and South American imaginaries

MODERATION

**Prof Dr Claudia Lima Marques** (*CDEA Porto Alegre*)

INPUT

**Aniket De** (*CES Harvard*)

Federalism in Empire: Germany, Britain, and India, 1919-1947

**Marcos Lentino Messerschmidt** (*CDEA Porto Alegre*)

Confluent identities – A Latin American and Brazilian perspective on Germany and Europe

**Dr Luis Rosenfield** (*CDEA Porto Alegre*)

The flow of German ideas in Brazil during the Interwar Period (1920-1945)

**Prof Dr Xing Zhang** (*ZDS Peking*)

India-related Studies from Germany to China

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10.30 – 11.00 am

Coffee break

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11.00 am – 12.30 pm  
Hotel NH Collection  
Berlin Mitte  
Room: Friedrich der  
Große 1+2

## PARALLEL FORUMS

### Forum 9

#### **Germanness and Europeanness: Perspectives from the Outside**

MODERATION

**Prof Dr Elżbieta Opiłowska** (*University of Wrocław*)

INPUT

**Adolphe Badiel** (*CIERA Paris*)

European economy from the perspective of informal economy societies: a study based on the economic anthropology of Ouagadougou (Burkina Faso)

**Abraham Yohannes Gebremichael** (*ZDES Bielefeld/St. Petersburg*)

Theoretical and Practical Interchangeabilities of Migration Policies between Assimilation and Integration in Germany, France, United Kingdom, and the U.S.A.

**Dr John Goodyear** (*IGES Birmingham*)

The New *Heimatfilm* Documentary of *Happy Birthday Niedersachsen*. An outsider's inside-look at 75 years Niedersachsen

**Imran Hashmi** (*IGES Birmingham*)

'Germanness' as Culture, 'Europeanness' as Destiny: Theodor W. Adorno's Perspective of Europe from the Outside

Room: Friedrich der  
Große 3

### Forum 10

#### **Öffentlichkeit und Diversifizierung des Geschichtsbildes. Kollektives Gedächtnis und Versöhnung in Europa und Asien**

MODERATION

**Dr Hideto Hiramatsu** (*DESK Tokyo*)

INPUT

**Prof Dr Manfred Hettling** (*Universität Halle*)

**Dr Hideto Hiramatsu** (*DESK Tokyo*)

**Dr Madoka Tamura** (*DESK Tokyo*)

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12.30 – 2.00 pm

Lunch

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2.00 – 3.30 pm  
Hotel NH Collection  
Berlin Mitte  
Room: Friedrich der  
Große 1+2

### Networking Slot 2

MODERATION

**Dr Georg Krawietz** (*DAAD*)

INPUT

**Jana Bömer** (*DAAD*)

Projects for networking and cooperation of the Centres for German and European Studies

**Nathalie Baum** (*DAAD*)

Alumni Portal Germany

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5.00 – 7.00 pm

Berlin-

Brandenburgische

Akademie der

Wissenschaften (BBAW)

**Closing event**

**Panel “Insider and Outsider Perspectives: Germany and Europe in Uncertain Times”**

MODERATION

**Dr Klaus Birk** (*DAAD*)

INPUT

**Dr Masha Cerovic** (*CIERA*)

**Prof Dr Marina Henke** (*Hertie School*)

**Jeffrey Rathke** (*AICGS*)

**Prof Dr Krzysztof Ruchniewicz** (*WBZ Wrocław*)

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# Saturday, 1 April 2023

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After breakfast      **Departure of participants except Centre Directors and Graduate Workshop participants**

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9.00 am – 12.30 pm      **PARALLEL MEETINGS**

Hotel NH Collection  
Berlin Mitte  
Room: Friedrich der  
Große 1

**Centre Directors Meeting**

MODERATION

**Dr Georg Krawietz** (DAAD)

*Including coffee break from 10.30 – 11.00 am*

Room: Friedrich der  
Große 2

**Graduate Workshop Part 3: “Graduating into the Working World”**

WORKSHOP LEADERS

**Nitzan Chelouche** (CGS Jerusalem)

**Dr Anne Mahler**

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12.30 – 2.00 pm      Lunch for the Centre Directors and Graduate Workshop participants

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Afterwards      **Departure of Centre Directors and Graduate Workshop participants**

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