

Namibian and Southern African Studies

Venue: Basler Afrika Bibliographien, Klosterberg 23, 4051 Basel

Time: Wednesday 18:15-20:00

Organisation: Lena Bloemertz, Dag Henrichsen, Giorgio Miescher

Description: The Research Colloquium aims at creating a forum for local and international scholars to engage in cross-disciplinary and methodological debates in Southern African Studies, with particular reference to Namibian Studies. The Colloquium welcomes presentations and discussions relating to current research and seeks to engage young and upcoming scholars. It is open to all levels and guests are welcome. Course Number: 48406-01 (2 CP)

Friday 29/09/2017
(9:30-17:30)

4th Namibia Research Day
(see separate programme:
<https://baslerafrika.ch/wp-content/uploads/2017/07/Namibia-Research-Day-2017-programme.pdf>)

Wednesday 11/10/2017

Duane Jethro Humboldt University, Berlin
'Reconciliation's Waste: The Monument for the Distribution of Wealth and the Ruins of the Post-Apartheid Memorial Complex'

Wednesday 18/10/2017

Biddy Patridge London
'Conversations with the Past: Some Collaborative Readings of Personal and Cultural Photographs from Southern Africa, 1980s'

Wednesday 25/10/2017
(17:15-20:00)

Afternoon Workshop with Lorena Rizzo Harvard University
'Colonial Photography Archives, and Visual History of Namibia'

Wednesday 8/11/2017

Wolfgang Zeller Centre for African Studies, University of Edinburgh
'Bridging the Zambezi Twice – Bottlenecks, Politics and Competition in Big Infrastructure between Zambia, Namibia, Botswana and Zimbabwe'

Wednesday 29/11/2017

Alexandra Sandhage-Hofmann, Institute of Crop Science and Resource Conservation, Soil Science, University of Bonn
Impact of different rangeland management systems on bush encroachment and soil properties in a savanna of South Africa.

Wednesday 6/12/2017

Giorgio Miescher Centre for African Studies, University of Basel
'The Grid of Empire: Preliminary thoughts on the technology of fencing and the making of a South African imperial space'