

# Guest Lecture Series in American Studies

summer semester  
2019

Thurs. March 28, 10–11:30

Marion Rohrleitner  
(University of Texas  
at El Paso)

## QUEERING THE BORDERLANDS:

Lesbian Cowgirls, Migrant  
Mariposas, and Disobedient  
Nuns in Contemporary  
Chicanx Fiction

Attemsgasse 25, SR 34.D2

Thurs. March 28, 10–12:00

Katharina Gerund  
(FAU Erlangen-Nürnberg)

## HAPPY HOME FRONT HEROINES IN US TV SERIES

Attemsgasse 25, SR.34.K3

Tue. April 2, 10–11:30

Volker Depkat  
(University of Regensburg)

## THE MEANINGS AND USES OF THINGS

Material Culture Studies and  
American Cultural History

Attemsgasse 25, SR 34.D2

Tue. April 2, 13:30–15:00

Volker Depkat  
(University of Regensburg)

## PROMISSORY NOTES:

American Exceptionalism  
and African American  
Self-Empowerment

Attemsgasse 25, SR 34.D2

Wed. April 3, 11:45–13:15

Lina Tegtmeier  
(The Tourism Studies Working  
Group, University of California,  
Berkeley)

## AMERICA'S OUTCAST CITY:

Detroit Between Tourism,  
Rebellion, and Survival

Attemsgasse 25, SR 34.D2

Wed. April 10, 11:45–13:15

Harri Heinilä,  
(Helsinki)

## HARLEM AND ITS AFRICAN-AMERICAN JAZZ DANCE EXPERIENCE REFLECTED IN POPULAR CULTURE

Harrachgasse 21, HS 07.02

Tue. April 30, 10–11:30

Keith Feldman  
(University of California,  
Berkeley)

## HUMANIST HORIZONS IN THE VISUAL CULTURE OF THE LONG WAR ON TERROR

Attemsgasse 25, SR 34.D2

Fri. May 3, 16–17:30

Gabriele Pizarz-Ramirez  
(Leipzig University)

## AMERICAN LITERARY GEOGRAPHIES:

Spatializing National  
Territory in 19<sup>th</sup>-Century  
Texts about the  
U.S. Southern  
Periphery

Attemsgasse 25, SR 34.D2

### SPECIAL EVENT

May 2-4, 2019

## AN INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON TRANSNATIONAL LITERATURE & INNOVATIVE AESTHETICS FORMS OF MIGRATION

Keynote Speakers:

J. Michael Martinez  
(St. Lawrence University)

Karen Tei Yamashita  
(University of California, Santa Cruz)

David Savran  
(City University of New York)

Organizers:

Jennifer A. Reimer and Silvia Schultermann  
(University of Graz)

With a special performance event

Fri. May 3, 19:00/21:00

Kunstverein Graz, Burggasse 4

Free / open to the public

[formsofmigration.uni-graz.at](http://formsofmigration.uni-graz.at)

Mon. May 6, 9–10:30

Delphine Munos  
(Humboldt Foundation/Goethe  
University Frankfurt)

## DIGITAL F(R)ICTIONS:

Mapping the uses and  
abuses of digital media and  
digital technologies by  
contemporary minority  
writers.

Attemsgasse 25, SR 34.D2

Tue. May 14, 17–18:30

Winfried Fluck  
(Freie Universität Berlin)

## READING FOR RECOGNITION:

Narratives of Recognition  
and What We Do with Them

Attemsgasse 25, SR 34.D2

Mon. May 20, 13:30–15

Jean Pfaelzer  
(University of Delaware)

## DRIVEN OUT:

The Forgotten War Against  
Chinese Americans

Merangasse 18, SR 35.K2

Tue. May 21, 10-11:30

Jean Pfaelzer  
(University of Delaware)

## PACIFIC SLAVORIES:

Missions to  
Marijuana Grows

Attemsgasse 25, HS 34.K1

Wed. May 22, 11:45–13:15

Myung Mi Kim  
(SUNY Buffalo)

## AMERICAN LITERATURE LIVE:

A Conversation with  
Myung Mi Kim

Universitätsplatz 6, HS 06.02

### SPECIAL EVENTS

Thurs. May 23, 19:00-21:00

Myung Mi Kim  
(SUNY Buffalo)

## A NIGHT OF POETRY

Kunstverein Graz, Burggasse 4

Hosted by  
Jennifer A. Reimer  
(University of Graz)

Mon. June 3, 9–10:30

Tegan Zimmerman  
(Stephens College)

## THE TOXIC BODY: Academic Feminism on Twitter

Attemsgasse 25, SR 34.D2

Wed. June 19, 11:45–13:15

Marion Rohrleitner  
(University of Texas  
at El Paso)

## SANCTUARY MOVEMENTS:

Latinx Narratives of  
Migration, Refuge and  
Asylum

Harrachgasse 21, HS 07.02

Wed. June 19, 19-20:30

## PERFORMING CLIMATE CHANGE:

A Conversation with Wendy  
Arons and Chantal Bilodeau

Kunstverein Graz, Burggasse 4

Organized by  
Nassim W. Balestrini  
(University of Graz)

June 20-23, 2019

## 28<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL CDE CONFERENCE THEATRE OF CRISIS

Keynote Speakers:

Mojisola Adebayo (London)

Wendy Arons (Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh)

Sibylle Baumbach (University of Stuttgart)

Chantal Bilodeau (New York)

Lynette Goddard (University of London)

Erin Hurley (McGill University, Montréal)

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