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Habilitations

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Being a State and States of Being in Highland Georgia
Public Lecture as Part of the Habilitation: Denn sie wissen nicht, was sie tun – Ritualtheorien und die Frage der Intentionalität
23 May 2012, Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg

Tatjana Thelen
Care: Konstruktion, Reproduktion und Auflösung bedeutsamer Bindungen
Public Lecture as Part of the Habilitation: Bürgerschaft, Zivilgesellschaft und Exklusion ethnischer Minderheiten
20 June 2012, Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg

Joachim Otto Habeck
Das Kulturhaus in Russland. Performance eines Idealzustands
Public Lecture as Part of the Habilitation: Lebensstil: Nutzen und Anwendung eines sozialwissenschaftlichen Konzepts
23 January 2013, Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg

Dissertations

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Contested Spaces in Post-war Society: the ‘devil business’ in Freetown, Sierra Leone
Public Defence: 30 January 2012, Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg

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Local Response to the Ethiopian Ethnic Based Federalism: conflict and conflict management among the Borana and their neighbours
Public Defence: 8 February 2012, Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg
Aksana Ismailbekova
“The Native Son and Blood Ties”: kinship and poetics of patronage in rural Kyrgyzstan
Public Defence: 8 February 2012, Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg

Agnieszka Pasieka
Seven Ways to God. The dynamics of religious pluralism in rural Southern Poland
Public Defence: 24 April 2012, Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg

Kristin Pfeifer
“Wir sind keine Araber!” Amazighische Identitätskonstruktion in Marokko – Im Spannungsfeld von internationalen Einflüssen und lokalen Ansprüchen
Public Defence: 8 May 2012, University of Leipzig

Philipp Schröder
From Shanghai to Iug-2: integration and identification among and beyond the male youth of a Bishkek neighbourhood
Public Defence: 18 June 2012, Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg

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Pétrole et changement social: rente pétrolière, dé-agriculturation et monétisation des interactions sociales dans le canton Béro au sud du Tchad
Public Defence: 3 July 2012, Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg

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Dynamic Synergy of Descent, History and Tradition in the Process of Sidama Ethnic Identification in Southern Ethiopia
Public Defence: 17 July 2012, Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg

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Rescaling States – Rescaling Insecurities: rural citizenship at the edge of the Hungarian state
Public Defence: 11 October 2012, Central European University, Budapest
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*City of the Future: built space and social change in Astana, Kazakhstan*
Public Defence: 22 October 2012, Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg

Christina Gabbert
*Deciding Peace. Knowledge about war and peace among the Arbore of Southern Ethiopia*
Public Defence: 17 December 2012, Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg

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Public Defence: 28 October 2013, Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg

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*Integrating Conflict – Assessing a Thirty Years War. Conflict and conflict management in the lower Casamance, Senegal*
Public Defence: 16 December 2013, Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg
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December 2013, Awarded best FP7 research project and accomplishment in the humanities Celebration, honoring the university’s FP7 researchers and their accomplishments, and launch of Horizon 2020, KU Leuven & EU Commission (DG Research), Leuven, Belgium.

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   Social Science History Association
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Working Group on Childhood and Migration, Rutgers State University of New Jersey

**Dimitra Kofti**
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International Association of Buddhist Studies
Royal Anthropological Institute
The Pali Text Society

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American Anthropological Society
Canadian Anthropological Society
European Association of Social Anthropologists

**Nathan Light**
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**Azim Malikov**
Association for the Study of Nationalities
Central Eurasian Studies Society
China Union of International Union of Anthropological and Ethnological Sciences
International Union of Anthropological and Ethnological Sciences (Member of the Scientific Committee on Anthropology of the Middle East)

**Bettina Mann**
Deutsche Gesellschaft für Völkerkunde
Sektion Religionssoziologie der Deutschen Gesellschaft für Soziologie

**Emma Marxer-Tobler**
Society for Neuroscience

**Alexander Pashos**
Berliner Gesellschaft für Anthropologie, Ethnologie und Urgeschichte (Board Member)
European Anthropological Association
Gesellschaft für Anthropologie
Human Behavior and Evolution Society
International Society for Human Ethology

**Ioan-Mihai Popa**
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**Artem Rabogoshvili**
Association of Asian Studies
Central Eurasian Studies Society
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American Academy of Religion
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Association for Asian Studies
Commission on Legal Pluralism
Deutsche Gesellschaft für Völkerkunde
European Association for the Study of Religion
Law and Society Association
Michael Rechta
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European Society for Central Asian Studies
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American Anthropological Association
Royal Anthropological Institute
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Association for Asian Studies
European Association of Social Anthropologists
Hong Kong Anthropological Society
Royal Anthropological Institute
Maria Sapignoli
African Studies in Europe
American Anthropological Association
American Association for Applied Anthropology
Central States Anthropological Society
European Association of Social Anthropologists
International Network of Genocide Scholars
Law and Society Association
Tabea Scharrer
European Association of Social Anthropologists
Sarah Schefold
Schweizerische Ethnologische Gesellschaft
Swiss-Chinese Association
Günther Schlee
African Studies Association
Deutsche Gesellschaft für Völkerkunde
European Association of Social Anthropologists
Studienwerk Sudan e.V.
Vereinigung für Afrikawissenschaften in Deutschland
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Moldova-Institut Leipzig
Societas Uralo-Altaica, e.V. Göttingen
Verband der Osteuropahistorikerinnen und -historiker

Katrin Seidel
Academic Research Association Horn-of-Africa (WAKHVA)
African Law Association
Association for Arabic and Islamic Law
Commission on Legal Pluralism
International Union of Anthropological and Ethnological Sciences

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European Society for Central Asian Studies

Bertram Turner
Commission on Legal Pluralism (Member of Executive Board)
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Deutsch-Marokkanische Gesellschaft
European Association of Social Anthropologist
Law and Society Association
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Bea Vidacs
American Anthropological Association
European Association of Social Anthropologists
Editorships

Franz von Benda-Beckmann
Australian Journal of Asian Law
Focaal: Journal of Global and Historical Anthropology (Consulting Editor)
International Journal of Law in Context (International Editorial Board)
Journal of Legal Pluralism and Unofficial Law (Associate Editor)
Journal of Resources, Energy and Development (Editorial Advisory Board)
Law, Social Justice and Global Development (Editorial Board)

Keebet von Benda-Beckmann
Australian Journal of Asian Law (Editorial Advisory Board)
Focaal: Journal of Global and Historical Anthropology (Consulting Editor)
Journal of Legal Pluralism and Unofficial Law (Editorial Advisory Board/Associate Editor)
Law and Policy (Editorial Board)
Law, Governance and Development Series, Leiden University (Editorial Board)

John Eidson
Integration and Conflict Studies (Editorial Board)

Marie-Claire Foblets
Journal of Legal Pluralism and Unofficial Law (Consulting/Advisory Editor)
Droit et cultures (Consulting/Advisory Editor)
Oxford Journal of Law and Religion (Consulting/Advisory Editor)
Civilisations (Consulting/Advisory Editor)
Tijdschrift voor vreemdelingenrecht (Consulting/Advisory Editor)
Revue du droit des étrangers (Consulting/Advisory Editor)
Panopticon (Consulting/Advisory Editor)
Revue interdisciplinaire d’études juridiques (Consulting/Advisory Editor)
Publiekrechtelijke chronieken (Consulting/Advisory Editor)
Studies on Islam and Muslim Societies (Consulting/Advisory Editor)
Ethnicities (Reviewer)
Revue Droit et Société (Reviewer)
Migratie- en Migrantenrecht. Recentere Ontwikkelingen (Series Editor)
Minderheden in de Samenleving Acco (Series Editor-in-chief)
Studia Anthropologica (Series Editor)
Codex Vreemdelingenrecht, Bruges, La Charte/Die Keure (Series Editor)
Oñati Series ‘Law and Society’
Oñati Socio-Legal Series (Editorial Board since 2013)
RELIGARE series (since 2010, in association with ‘Cultural Diversity and Law’ series) (Series Editor)

Joachim Görlich
Integration and Conflict Studies (Editorial Board)
Joachim Otto Habeck
Sibirica: Interdisciplinary Journal of Siberian Studies

Chris Hann
Archives européennes de sociologie
Halle Studies in the Anthropology of Eurasia (Series Editor)
Cargo. Journal for Cultural/Social Anthropology (Editorial Board)
Focaal. Journal of Global and Historical Anthropology (Editorial Board)
Stan Rzeczy (Editorial Board)
Antipoda. Revista de Antropología y Arqueología (Editorial Board)
History and Anthropology (Editorial Board)
Lud (Editorial Board)
Müveltseg és Androgogia (Editorial Board)
Wiley Blackwell International Encyclopedia of Anthropology (Associate Editor, responsible for Economic Anthropology)

Patrick Heady
Anthropology of Europe (Series Editor)

Jacqueline Knörr
Integration and Conflict Studies (Editorial Board)

Patrice Ladwig
Body Politics. Zeitschrift für Körpergeschichte

Azim Malikov
International Journal of Modern Anthropology (Editorial Board)

Bettina Mann
Integration and Conflict Studies (Editorial Board)

Martin Ramstedt
Journal of Inter-Religious Dialogue (Editorial Board)

Andrew Sanchez
Urbanities (Assistant Editor)

Gonçalo Santos
Journal of China in Comparative Perspective (Executive Editor)

Günther Schlee
Integration and Conflict Studies (Series Editor)
Nomadic Peoples

Dittmar Schorkowitz
Eurasian Studies Library (Series Editor)
Gesellschaften und Staaten im Epochenwandel (Series Editor)
Transfer of Knowledge

Zahir Musa Abdal-Kareem

Judith Beyer
• from 2012, Country of Origin Expert (COI) providing expertise on Central Asia and Southeast Asia, Fahamu Refugee Programme (FRP).
• October 2012 – October 2014, Mentor, Central Asia Research and Training Initiative (CARTI), Open Society Foundations.
• from 2013, Country of Origin Expert (COI) providing expertise on Central Asia and Southeast Asia, Electronic Immigration Network (EIN).
• November 2013, Consultant providing written expert opinion on interethnic relations in Central Asia as part of a sociological study, Institute for Socio-Political Research, Kazakhstan Ministry of Culture, Kazakhstan.
• December 2013, Workshop on ‘Oral History – qualitative research methods and analysis’ in the frame of the pilot project ‘Minesweeping through Mindsweeping’, funded by the Federal Ministry for Economic Cooperation and Development. Weltfriedensdienst e.V., Mandalay, Myanmar.

Małgorzata Biczyk
• March – September 2013, Advisor providing expertise on the security and development in Central Asia, Development Policy Foundation, Warsaw, Poland.

Daniel Delchev
• from March 2013, Team member, program for prevention of social aggression in schools and kindergartens in Bulgaria, Foundation Identity, Plovdiv, Bulgaria.

Chris Hann
• Member of the Scientific Advisory Board, Zentrum Moderner Orient, Berlin, Germany.
• Member of the Scientific Advisory Board, Institut für donauschwäbische Geschichte und Landeskunde, Tübingen, Germany.

Elisa Kohl-Garity
• from September 2009, Board member, support and education of families living in the Ger districts, Children’s Ger, Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia.

Florian Köhler
• 2012–2013, Independent external advisor, implementation of rural development projects, NGO Saaby, Niamey and Zinder, Niger.
Jacqueline Knörr
- Advisor concerning asylum cases, human rights issues in Upper Guinea Coast region and Indonesia, Legal Advisory and Human Rights Organisations in the UK, USA, Germany, Netherlands.

Shauna LaTosky
- October 2011 – January 2013, Director, SORC – South Omo Research Centre, Jinka, Ethiopia.

Markus Rudolf
- April – August 2012, Consultant, project ‘Gender and Conflict in the Casamance’, World Bank, Conflict and Social Development Unit – AFTCS, Africa Region; University of Ziguinchor, Senegal.
- December 2012 – June 2013, Consultant, project ‘Political Economy Analysis of Forced Displacement in Casamance’, Internal Displacement Monitoring Centre (IDMC), Geneva; Norwegian Refugee Council (NRC), Oslo; World Bank, Conflict and Social Development Unit – AFTCS, Africa Region, Washington; University of Ziguinchor, Senegal.

Andrew Sanchez
- September 2013, Advisor to ‘Urban Futures Project’ report, Save the Children International, Humanitarian Futures Programme, King’s College London, UK.

Günther Schlee
- 2012–2013, Member of the Management Board, SORC – South Omo Research Centre, Jinka, Ethiopia.
- 2013–2015, Member of the International Consultative Scientific Council, framework ‘Man in a Changing World: problems of identity and social adaptation in history and at present’, National Tomsk State University, Tomsk, Russia.
- January 2013, Wissenschaftlicher Beirat, Deutsche Stiftung Friedensforschung, Osnabrück, Germany.
- September 2013, Member of the Scientific Advisory Board, Center for Development Research (ZEF), University of Bonn, Germany.

Dittmar Schorkowitz

Oliver Tappe

Bertram Turner
- Advisory Board, Evifa: Virtuelle Fachbibliothek Ethnologie, Humboldt University Berlin, Germany.
Cooperation with National and International Research Institutions

Professorships

Franz von Benda-Beckmann
- Honorary Professor, Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Germany (2004–2012)
- Honorary Professor, University of Leipzig, Germany (2002–2012)
- Professor Emeritus, Wageningen University, The Netherlands (2006–2012)

Keebet von Benda-Beckmann
- Honorary Professor, Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Germany (2004–2012)
- Honorary Professor, University of Leipzig, Germany (2003–2012)
- Professor, Erasmus University Rotterdam, The Netherlands (1998–2006)

Christoph Brumann
- Honorary Professor, Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Germany

Marie-Claire Foblets
- Professor (extra)ordinarius of Anthropology (Social & Cultural), University of Antwerp, Belgium (part time, January–March 2012)
- Professor, Catholic University of Leuven, Belgium (until June 2012)
- Professor (extra)ordinarius, Catholic University of Leuven, Belgium (July 2012 to present)

Chris Hann
- Honorary Professor, Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Germany
- Honorary Professor, University of Leipzig, Germany
- Honorary Professor, University of Kent, Canterbury, UK
- Professor of Social Anthropology, University of Oslo, Norway (part time, 2013–2017)

Patrick Heady
- Visiting Professor, Minzu University of China, Beijing, China (May–June 2012)

Jacqueline Knörr
- Extraordinary Professor, Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Germany

Patrice Ladwig
- Visiting Professor, University of Zurich, Switzerland (August 2013 – January 2014)

Günther Schlee
- Honorary Professor, Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Germany
- Honorary Professor, University of Leipzig, Germany
Agreement of Cooperation

- Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Germany
- Faculty of Philosophy I and Faculty of Law and Economics
- Centre for Interdisciplinary Area Studies (ZIRS)
- Research Cluster Society and Culture in Motion (SCM)
- Geisteswissenschaftliches Zentrum Geschichte und Kultur Ostmitteleuropas e.V. an der Universität Leipzig (GWZO)
- McGill University, Department of Anthropology, Montreal, Canada
- Indiana University, African Studies Program, Bloomington, USA
- Indonesian Institute of Sciences, Research Center for Regional Resources (PSDR-LIPI), Indonesia
- Institute of Social Sciences (ICS), University of Lisbon, Portugal
- European Consortium for Asian Field Study (ECAF)
- South Omo Research Center, Jinka, Ethiopia
- Centre de Recherches en Anthropologie et Sciences Humaines (CRASH), N’Djamena, Chad

Training Cooperation

- International Max Planck Research School on Retaliation, Mediation and Punishment (IMPRS REMEP)
- International Max Planck Research School for the Anthropology, Archaeology and History of Eurasia (IMPRS ANARCHIE)
- Max Planck International Research Network on Aging (MaxNetAging), MaxNetAging Research School
- Graduate School Society and Culture in Motion (SCM), Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg
- Internationales Graduiertenkolleg ‘Formwandel der Bürgergesellschaft. Japan und Deutschland im Vergleich’

Cooperation in Third Party Funded Projects

- DFG Collaborative Research Centre SFB 586 ‘Difference and Integration’
- Local State and Social Security in Rural Hungary, Romania and Serbia (funded by the Volkswagen Foundation)
- Colonialism and Mimetic Processes: historical and anthropological perspectives (funded by the German Academic Exchange Service – DAAD)
- Transitional Justice in Protracted Conflict: local and diaspora conceptions of retributive and restorative justice between shari’a, customary and human rights law in Somalia and Ethiopia’s Somali Region (funded by the German Foundation for Peace Research – DSF)
• BRAINSCAPES: investigating how differences in environmental layout influence the neural topography of spatial navigation (Pilot Study, MaxNet Cognition)
• Ethnic Differentiation, Interethnic Relations and Conflict in Central Asia: the case of the Uzbeks in Kyrgyzstan, Afghanistan, Tajikistan and Kazakhstan (funded by the German Research Foundation – DFG, D-A-CH Programme)
• The State and Indigenous Legal Cultures: law in search of legitimacy (funded by the Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada – SSHRC)
• Cultural and Religious Diversity in Four National Contexts: a comparative study of identity dynamics and of the regulation of religion (funded by the Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada – SSHRC)
• Patterns of Governing Religion (funded by the International Research Acceleration Programme at the University of Ottawa)

Further Research Cooperation

• Center for Islamic and Middle Eastern Legal Studies (CIMELS) University of Zurich, Switzerland
• Centre for Anthropological Studies on Central Asia (CASCA) University of Zurich, Switzerland
• Deutsch-Russische Begegnungen (Franckesche Stiftungen zu Halle and Internationale Georg-Wilhelm-Steller-Gesellschaft e.V. in Halle, Germany)
• EVIFA, Virtual Library of Social Anthropology, Germany
• Novosibirsk State University, Subdivision of Sociology, Department of Economics, Novosibirsk, Russia
• Max Planck Research Network for the Cognitive and Neurosciences (MaxNet Cognition)
• Minzu University of China, The Base of Strategy Research on Ethnic Issues in Contemporary China, Beijing, China
• Shihezi University, School of Political Sciences and Law, Xinjiang, China
• Siberian Branch of the Russian Academy of Sciences, Institute for Philosophy of Law, Novosibirsk, Russia
• Sinnar University, Abu Na’ama, Sudan
• University College London, Institute of Archaeology, London, UK
• University of Khartoum, Institute of African and Asian Studies, Sudan
• Vietnamese Academy of Social Sciences, Institute of Anthropology, Hanoi, Vietnam
Teaching

Julie Billaud

Astrid Bochow
• Summer Semester 2012, Einführung in die Religionsethnologie. Institute for Social and Cultural Anthropology, Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Germany.
• Summer Semester 2012, Einführung in die qualitativen Methoden der Sozialforschung. Institute for Social and Cultural Anthropology, University of Göttingen, Germany.
• Winter Semester 2012/13, Ethnographien von Ungleichheit und Gesundheit in Afrika. Institute for Social and Cultural Anthropology, Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Germany.

Stefanie Bognitz
• Winter Semester 2013/14, Anthropologie normativer Ordnungen: von lokaler Ungerechtigkeit über translokale Gesetzmäßigkeiten zu globaler Gerechtigkeit. Institute for Social and Cultural Anthropology, Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Germany.

Christoph Brumann
• Summer Semester 2012, Culture on Display. Institute for Social and Cultural Anthropology, Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Germany.
• Winter Semester 2012/13, jointly with Günther Schlee, Advanced Course. Institute for Social and Cultural Anthropology, Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Germany.
• Summer Semester 2013, Ethnologie der Globalisierung. Institute for Social and Cultural Anthropology, Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Germany.
• Winter Semester 2013/14, Ethnologie internationaler Organisationen. Institute for Social and Cultural Anthropology, Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Germany.

Jennifer Cash
Kirsten W. Endres

Marie-Claire Foblets

Joachim Görlich

Joachim Otto Habeck
- Winter Semester 2012/13, *Distinktion und Lebensstile*. Institute for Social and Cultural Anthropology, Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Germany.

Markus V. Hoehne

Michael Hoffmann
Soledad Jiménez Tovar
• 3 July 2013, Gender and Identity among Kazakhstani Dungans. Guest Lecture in the Seminar ‘Class, Ethnicity and Gender in Contemporary China’, Institute for Social and Cultural Anthropology, Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Germany.
• 9 July 2013, Kazakhstanising Kazakhstan? Guest Lecture in the Seminar ‘Ethnicity and Nationalism in Central Asia’, Institute for Social and Cultural Anthropology, Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Germany.

Eeva Kesküla

Jacqueline Knörr
• Summer Semester 2012, Ethnography of Southeast Asia I: Indonesia. Institute for Social and Cultural Anthropology, Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Germany.
• Winter Semester 2012/13, Ethnography of Southeast Asia II: Integration and Conflict. Institute for Social and Cultural Anthropology, Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Germany.

Siri Lamoureaux
• Summer Semester 2013, jointly with Enrico Ille, Sudan Regional Course. Institute for Social and Cultural Anthropology, Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Germany.

Mateusz Laszczkowski
• May 2012, Introduction to the Anthropology of Urbanism. Department of Philosophy, Faculty of Social Science, Lev Gumilev Eurasian National University, Astana, Kazakhstan.

Shauna LaTosky
• September 2012 – September 2013, Anthropology of Illness (web-based). Open Learning Department, Thompson Rivers University. Kamloops, Canada.

Azim Malikov
• October – November 2012, History and Culture in Central Asia. Department of Philology and Social Sciences, Balkh State University, Mazar-i Sharif, Afghanistan.
• Summer Semester 2013, Ethnicity and Nationalism in Central Asia. Institute for Social and Cultural Anthropology, Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Germany.

Ioan-Mihai Popa
• Summer Semester 2013, jointly with Timm Sureau, Anthropology of the State: understanding local expressions of global state models. Institute for Social and Cultural Anthropology, Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Germany.
• Winter Semester 2012/13, jointly with Viorel Anastasoaei, *Social Action in the Contemporary World: local situations and global concerns*. Institute for Social and Cultural Anthropology, Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Germany.

**Markus Rudolf**
• Summer Semester 2012, *Geschichte der Ethnologie*. Institute for Social and Cultural Anthropology, Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Germany.

**Meltem Sancak**
• Fall Semester 2012, *Gender in post-sozialistischen Gesellschaften*. Department of Social and Cultural Anthropology, University of Zurich, Switzerland.
• Spring Semester 2013, jointly with Daniela Dietz, *Transnational Islam: Europe and the USA*. Department of Social and Cultural Anthropology, University of Zurich, Switzerland.

**Gonçalo Santos**
• Winter Semester 2012/13, *Anthropology of Kinship and Gender*. Institute for Social and Cultural Anthropology, Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Germany.

**Maria Sapignoli**
• 1 December 2013, jointly with Pierrot Ross-Trembla, *Doing Fieldwork in Indigenous Communities: practical, political, and ethical dimensions*, Faculty of Law, University of Ottawa, Canada.

**Tabea Scharrer**

**Sarah Schefold**

**Günther Schlee**
• Winter Semester 2012/13, jointly with Tabea Scharrer, *Advanced Course*. Institute for Social and Cultural Anthropology, Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Germany.
• Winter Term 2012/13, *Identität und Konflikt*. Ethnologisches Seminar, University of Zurich, Switzerland.
• 30 November – 2 December 2012, *Method Workshop: Kinship and Networks*. Teaching Course Halle. International Max Planck Research School on ‘Retaliation, Mediation and Punishment’ in cooperation with Graduate School Society and Culture in Motion and SPP 1448. MPI for Social Anthropology, Halle/Saale, Germany.


• Winter Term 2013/14, *Kinship: relationships, classifications and their strategic use*. Ethnologisches Seminar, University of Zurich, Switzerland.

• 17 December 2013, *Identität und Ethnizität*, Institute of Anthropology, University of Leipzig, Germany.

**Timm Sureau**

• Summer Semester 2013, jointly with Ioan-Mihai Popa, *Anthropology of the State: understanding local expressions of global state models*. Institute for Social and Cultural Anthropology, Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Germany.

**André Thiemann**

• Summer Semester 2013, jointly with Shakira Bedoya-Sanchez and Gustavo Rojas-Paez, *Anthropology and Critique*. Institute for Social and Cultural Anthropology, Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Germany.

**Detelina Tocheva**

• Summer Semester 2012, *Capitalism and Christianity: shifting conjunctures of global and local forces*. Institute for Social and Cultural Anthropology, Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Germany.


**Tommaso Trevisani**


**Bertram Turner**

Cooperation with National and International Research Institutions

• 30 November – 2 December 2012, REMEP Basic Concepts in Anthropology. Teaching Course Halle. International Max Planck Research School on ‘Retaliation, Mediation and Punishment’ in cooperation with Graduate School Society and Culture in Motion and SPP 1448. MPI for Social Anthropology, Halle/Saale, Germany.


PhD Examinations

Keebet von Benda-Beckmann


Christoph Brumann

• 23 September 2013, Manon Istasse, Living in a World Heritage Site: ethnography of the Fez Medina (Morocco). Free University of Brussels, Belgium (Co-examiners: David Berliner, Mathieu Hilgers, Jean-Louis Genard, Lynn Meskell).

Marie-Claire Foblets


• 23 April 2013, Zeynep Yanasmayan, *Turkey Entangled with Europe? A qualitative exploration of mobility and citizenship accounts of highly educated migrants from Turkey.* KU Leuven, Belgium (Co-examiners: Peter Vermeersch, Riva Kastoryano, Adrian Favell, Marc Hooghe, Johan Wets).

• 18 June 2013, Dominik Kohlhagen, *Diasporas africaines et mondes de droit. Une anthropologie juridique d’une migration entre Douala et Berlin.* Université Paris I, Sorbonne, France (Co-examiners: Etienne Leroy, Danièle Lochak, Jerôme Valluy).


**Joachim Otto Habeck**


**Chris Hann**


• 24 April 2012, Agnieszka Pasieka, *Seven Ways to God: the dynamics of religious pluralism in rural Southern Poland.* Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Germany (Co-examiner: Michał Buchowski).


**Jacqueline Knörr**

• 30 January 2012, Nathaniel King, *Contested Spaces in Post-war Society: the ‘devil business’ in Freetown, Sierra Leone.* Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Germany (Co-examiner: Burkhard Schneipel).

**Gonçalo Santos**


• 3 September 2013, Chen Meixuan, ‘Eating huaqiao’ and the Left Behind: the moral and economic consequences of the return of Overseas Chinese to a South China village. University College London, UK (Co-examiner: Francesca Bray).

**Günther Schlee**

• 8 February 2012, Dejene Gemechu Chala, Local Response to the Ethiopian Ethnic Based Federalism: conflict and conflict management among the Borana and their Neighbors. Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Germany (Co-examiner: Richard Rottenburg).

• 8 February 2012, Aksana Ismailbekova, “The Native Son and Blood Ties”: kinship and poetics of patronage in rural Kyrgyzstan. Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Germany (Co-examiner: Peter Finke).

• 14 February 2012, Meltem Sancak, Economic and Social Change in Post-Soviet Rural Uzbekistan. University of Zurich, Switzerland (Co-examiner: Mareile Flitsch).


• 18 June 2012, Philipp Schröder, From Shanghai to Iug-2: integration and identification among and beyond the male youth of a Bishkek neighbourhood. Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Germany (Co-examiner: Peter Finke).

• 3 July 2012, Remadji Hoinathy, Pétrole et changement social: rente pétrolière, dé-agriculturement et monétisation des interactions sociales dans le canton Béro au sud du Tchad. Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Germany (Co-examiner: Richard Rottenburg).


• 20 October 2012, Mateusz Laszczkowski, “City of the Future”: built space and social change in Astana, Kazakhstan. Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Germany (Co-examiner: Catherine Alexander).

• 17 December 2012, Christina Gabbert, Deciding Peace: knowledge about war and peace among the Arbore of southern Ethiopia. Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Germany (Co-examiner: Thomas Zitelmann).

• 18 April 2013, Merle Schatz, *Sprache und Identität der Mongolen Chinas heute*. University of Bonn, Germany (Co-examiner: Klaus Sagaster).


Symposia, Conferences, etc.

Conferences and Workshops

Workshop, 20–21 January 2012

Performing Indigeneity

Organiser: Joseph Long

Papers presented by: David Anderson (University of Tromsø, Norway) Marine Carrin (EHESS, Toulouse, France) Beth Conklin (Vanderbilt University, Nashville, USA) Nicolas Ellison (EHESS, Toulouse, France) Joseph Long (MPI for Social Anthropology) Fiona Magowan (Queen’s University, Belfast, UK)

Discussants: Barbara Bodenhorn (University of Cambridge, UK) Nicolas Ellison (EHESS, Toulouse, France) Hiroko Ikuta (University of Aberdeen, UK) Alexander King (University of Aberdeen, UK) Luz Maria Lozada (James Hutton Institute, Aberdeen, UK) Susanna Rostas (University of Cambridge, UK) Colin Scott (McGill University, Montreal, Canada)
Mid-term Workshop funded by the German Foundation for Peace Research (DSF), 10–11 May 2012

**Transitional Justice in Protracted Conflict: local and diaspora conceptions of retributive and restorative justice between shari’a, customary and human rights law in Somalia and Ethiopia’s Somali Region**

*Organiser: Markus Virgil Hoehne*

Papers presented by: Fowsia Abdulkadir (School of Canadian Studies at Carleton University, Ottawa, Canada) Rahma Abdulkadir (New York University Abu Dhabi Campus, United Arab Emirates) Abdurahman M. Abdulahi (Baاديyow) (Mogadishu University, Somalia) Tobias Hagmann (University of California at Berkeley, USA) Markus Virgil Hoehne (MPI for Social Anthropology) Mohammed Mealin Seid (Independent Researcher)

Workshop, 23–25 May 2012

**Exploratory Meeting – Department ‘Law & Anthropology’**

*Organiser: Marie-Claire Foblets*

Participants: John Bowen (Washington University in St. Louis, USA) Johannes Feest (University of Bremen, Germany) Marie-Claire Foblets (MPI for Social Anthropology) Jean-François Gaudreault-Desbiens (Université de Montréal, Canada) Anne Griffiths (University of Edinburgh, UK) Mathias Koenig (MPI for the Study of Religious and Ethnic Diversity, Göttingen, Germany) Werner Menski (SOAS, University of London, UK) Martin Ramstedt (MPI for Social Anthropology) Mathias Rohe (Erlangen Centre for Islam & Law in Europe, Germany) Monica Sandor (MPI for Social Anthropology) Ayelet Shachar (University of Toronto, Canada) Bertram Turner (MPI for Social Anthropology)

Pre-fieldwork Workshop, 31 May – 1 June 2012

**Approaching Research in the Marketplace**

*Organiser: Kirsten W. Endres*

Workshop, 28–30 June 2012

**Anthropology and Civilizational Analysis: Eurasian explorations**

Organisers: Johann P. Arnason (La Trobe University, Melbourne, Australia and Charles University, Prague, Czech Republic) and Chris Hann (MPI for Social Anthropology)

Papers presented by: Johann P. Arnason (La Trobe University, Melbourne, Australia and Charles University, Prague, Czech Republic) Milena Benovsk-Sabkova (Sofia, Bulgaria) Yang Der-Ruey (Nanjing University, China) Stephan Feuchtwang (London School of Economics, London, UK) Martin Fuchs (Max-Weber-Kolleg, University of Erfurt, Germany) Jean-Claude Galey (EHESS, Paris, France) David Gellner (University of Oxford, UK) Andre Gingrich (Austrian Academy of Sciences, Vienna, Austria) Hans Peter Hahn (University of Frankfurt, Germany) Chris Hann (MPI for Social Anthropology) Joel S. Kahn (University of Melbourne, Australia) Nikolay N. Kradin (Russian Academy of Sciences, Vladivostok, Russia) Krishan Kumar (University of Virginia, Charlottesville, USA) Patrice Ladwig (MPI for Social Anthropology) Yulia Prozorova (Russian Academy of Sciences, St. Petersburg, Russia) Goncalo Santos (MPI for Social Anthropology) Oliver Tappe (MPI for Social Anthropology) XiuJie Wu (MPI for Social Anthropology) Shengmin Yang (Minzu University, Beijing, China)
Workshop, 18–20 July 2012

Relocating Science and Technology. Global knowledge, traveling technologies and postcolonialism. Perspectives on science and technology studies in the global south

Organisers: Richard Rottenburg (MPI for Social Anthropology) and Norman Schräpel (Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Germany)

Papers presented by: Katharina Abd (University of Frankfurt, Germany) Uli Beisel (Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Germany) Marc Boeckler (University of Frankfurt, Germany) Sandra Harding (University of California, Los Angeles, USA) Lilly Irani (University of California, USA) Roger Jeffery (University of Edinburgh, UK) Emma Kowal (University of Melbourne, Australia) Christine Leuenberger (Cornell University, USA) Michael Mascarenhas (Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, USA) Branwyn Poleykett (London School of Hygiene & Tropical Medicine, UK) Peter Redfield (University of North Carolina, USA) Luisa Reis-Castro (University of Liège, Belgium) Salla Sariola (University of Edinburgh, UK) Antina von Schnitzler (The New School, USA) Norman Schräpel (Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Germany) Suman Seth (Cornell University, USA) Bertram Turner (MPI for Social Anthropology) Discussants: Mário da Cunha Vilar (University of Leipzig, Germany) Andrew Farlow (University of Oxford, UK) Steven Feierman (University of Pennsylvania, USA) Tjetske Holtrop (Amsterdam Institute for Social Science Research, Netherlands) Gianluca Miscione (University College Dublin, Ireland) Carsten Ochs (TU Darmstadt, Germany) Sung-Joon Park (Martin Luther University, Germany) Trevor Pinch (Cornell University, USA) René Umlauf (University of Bayreuth, Germany)
Workshop, 12–13 September 2012

Applied Legal Anthropology

Organiser: Marie-Claire Foblets

Papers presented by: Marlies Bouman (District Court of The Hague, The Netherlands) Joseph Cannataci (University of Malta, Malta) Annamaria Casadonte (Civil Judge in the First Instance Court in Reggio Emilia, Italy) Horatius Dumbrava (Member Superior Council for Magistrates Romania) Alison Dundes Renteln (University of South California, USA) Marie-Claire Foblets (MPI for Social Anthropology) Anthony Good (University of Edinburgh, UK) Susan Hirsch (George Mason University of Washington, USA) Rene Kuppe (University of Vienna, Austria) Maleiha Malik’ (King’s College, University of London, UK) Werner Menski (SOAS, University of London, UK) Roderick Murphy (High Court of Ireland) Prakash Shah (Queen Mary University London, UK) John Thornhill (Magistrate – European Network of Councils for Judiciary – Judicial Appointments Commissioner) Erik van den Eede (Justice of the Peace, Kontich, Belgium) Nadjma Yassari (MPI for Comparative and International Private Law, Hamburg, Germany)
Workshop, 13–14 September 2012

**Comparison and Comparability of Legal Cultures**

*Organiser: Marie-Claire Foblets*

Papers presented by: Franz von Benda-Beckmann (MPI for Social Anthropology) KEEBET VON BENDA-BECKMANN (MPI for Social Anthropology) Joxerramin Bengoetxea (University of the Basque Country, Spain) Martin Flohr (MPI for Comparative and International Private Law, Hamburg, Germany) Marie-Claire Foblets (MPI for Social Anthropology) Michele Graziadei (University of Turin, Italy) Matthias Lehmann (Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Germany) Sally Engle Merry (University of New York, USA) Ralf Michaels (Duke University, USA) David Nelken (Cardiff Law School, UK) Annelise Riles (Cornell Law School, USA) Richard Rottenburg (Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Germany) Prakash Shah (Queen Mary University London, UK) Gordon Woodman (University of Birmingham, UK)
Conference, 26–28 September 2012

Transcending Traditional Tropes. Conceptualizing politics and policies in 21st century Upper Guinea Coast

Organisers: Jacqueline Knörr and Christian Kordt Højbjerg

Papers presented by: Sharon Abramowitz (University of Florida, USA) Karel Arnaud (Max Planck Institute for the Study of Religious and Ethnic Diversity, Germany) David Brown (University of Oxford, UK) Victoria Coifman (University of Minnesota, USA) Chris Coulter Indevelop, Sweden) Martin Evans (University of Chester, UK) Vincent Foucher (International Crisis Group, France) Michael Frishkopf (University of Alberta, Canada) Kathrin Heitz (University of Basel, Switzerland) Niklas Hultin (University of Virginia, USA) Christoph Kohl (Peace Research Institute Frankfurt, Germany) Benjamin Lawrance (Rochester Institute of Technology, USA) Brandon D. Lundy (Kennesaw State University, USA) Abu K. Mboka (California State University, USA) Michael McGovern (Yale University, USA) Anaïs Ménard (MPI for Social Anthropology) Anne Menzel (Free University Berlin, Germany) Charlotte Ray (Coventry University, USA) Jairo Munive Rincon (Danish Institute for International Studies, Denmark) William B. Murphy (Northwestern University, USA) David O’Kane (MPI for Social Anthropology) Markus Rudolf (MPI for Social Anthropology) Sylvanus Spencer (University of Sierra Leone, Sierra Leone)
Joint initiative of the FP7 research programmes RELIGARE (Katholieke Universiteit Leuven) & RELIGIOWEST (European University Institute Florence), the Law Faculty of the University of Milan, hosted by the Department ‘Law & Anthropology’

Workshop, 4 October 2012

The European Court of Human Rights and the US Supreme Court Case-Law on Religion in the Public Space. A comparison

Papers presented by: Pasquale Annicchino (European University Institute Florence, Italy) Peter Danchin (University of Maryland, USA) Ronan McCrea (University College London, UK) Julie Ringelheim (Université catholique de Louvain, Belgium) Mark Tushnet (Harvard University, USA) Marco Ventura (Katholieke Universiteit Leuven, Belgium)

Workshop, 5–6 October 2012

Constitutional Models on the Two Sides of the Mediterranean. A comparison

Papers presented by: Baudouin Dupret (Centre Jacques Berque, Rabat, Morocco/CNRS, France) Alessandro Ferrari (University of Insubria, Italy) Souad Ghaouti (University of Algiers, Algeria) Khalid Haji (Mohammed V University, Rabat, Morocco) John Madeley (London School of Economics and Political Science, UK) Nadia Marzouki (European University Institute Florence, Italy) Abou Moussa Ramadan (Bir Zeit University, Palestine) Olivier Roy (European University Institute Florence, Italy) Mohamed Serag (The American University in Cairo, Egypt) Jeroen Temperman (Erasmus University Rotterdam, The Netherlands)
Workshop, 11–12 October 2012

**World Heritage on the Ground: ethnographic perspectives**

*Organisers: David Berliner (Université libre de Bruxelles, Belgium) and Christoph Brumann (MPI for Social Anthropology)*

Papers presented by: David Berliner (Free University of Brussels, Belgium) Lisa Breglia (George Mason University, Fairfax, USA) Christoph Brumann (MPI for Social Anthropology) Jasper Chalcraft (University of Sussex, Brighton, UK) Élise Demeulenaere (CNRS, UMR Eco-anthropologie et Ethnobiologie, Paris, France) Rachel F. Giraudo (California State University, Northridge, USA) Manon Istawse (Free University of Brussels, Belgium) Charlotte Joy (University College London, UK) Lynn Meskell (Stanford University, USA) Keiko Miura (Waseda University, Tokyo, Japan) Peter Probst (Tufts University, Medford, USA) Noel B. Salazar (University of Leuven, Belgium) Shu-Li Wang (University College London, UK) Yujie Zhu (University of Heidelberg, Germany)

Discussants: Ulf Hannerz (University of Stockholm, Sweden) Brigitta Hauser-Schäublin (University of Göttingen, Germany) Michael Rowlands (University College London, UK)
Conference in cooperation with Franckesche Stiftungen zu Halle, 17–21 October 2012, Franckesche Stiftungen zu Halle

**Deutsch-Russische Begegnungen 2012: Vom Sammeln zum Systematisieren**

Organisers: Wieland Hintzsche and Anna-Elisabeth Hintzsche (Internationale Georg-Wilhelm-Steller-Gesellschaft e.V., Halle/Saale) Friederike Lippold (Franckesche Stiftungen zu Halle) and Joachim Otto Habeck (MPI for Social Anthropology)

Papers presented by: Vladimir Abašnik (Charkiv, Russia) Michael Andreev (St. Petersburg, Russia) Larisa Bondar (St. Petersburg, Russia) Roland Cvetkovski (Cologne, Germany) Dmitrij Gogolev (Tjumen’, Russia) Aleksej V. Grebenjuk (Novosibirsk, Russia) Jürgen Gröschl (Halle/Saale, Germany) Karsten Hommel (Leipzig, Germany) Aleksandr Jarkov (Tjumen’, Russia) Eduard Kolčinskij (St. Petersburg, Russia) Natalja Kopaneva (St. Petersburg, Russia) Natascha Lind (Copenhagen, Denmark) Stefano Mattioli (Siena, Italy) Vladimir Sobolev (St. Petersburg, Russia) Andrej Sytín (St. Petersburg, Russia) Irina Tunkina (St. Petersburg, Russia) Eberhard Winkler (Göttingen, Germany)

Conference, 29–30 November 2012

**Temporalities of Law**

Organisers: Franz and Keebet von Benda-Beckmann and Martin Ramstedt

Papers presented by: Gerhard Anders (University of Edinburgh, UK) Franz von Benda-Beckmann (MPI for Social Anthropology) Keebet von Benda-Beckmann (MPI for Social Anthropology) Marie-Claire Foblets (MPI for Social Anthropology) Carol Greenhouse (Princeton University, USA) Anne Griffiths (University of Edinburgh, UK) Brigitta Hauser-Schäublin (University of Göttingen,
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Germany) Armin Höland (Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Germany) Renisa Mawani (University of British Columbia, Canada) Sven Missling (University of Göttingen, Germany) Martin Ramstedt (MPI for Social Anthropology) Friederike Stahlmann (MPI for Social Anthropology) Mariana Valverde (University of Toronto, Canada) Melanie G. Wiber (University of New Brunswick, Canada)

Discussants: Judith Beyer (MPI for Social Anthropology) Julia Eckert (University of Bern, Switzerland) Carolien Jacobs (University of Wageningen, The Netherlands) Johanna Pfaff-Czarnecka (University of Bielefeld, Germany) Fernanda Pirie (University of Oxford, UK) Tatjana Theelen (University of Vienna, Austria)

Workshop, 30 November – 2 December 2012

International Max Planck Research School ‘Retaliation, Mediation and Punishment’ (IMPRS REMEP): Teaching Course Halle

Organiser: Bertram Turner


Participants: Sandra Calkins (University of Leipzig, Germany) Lucia Facchini (MPI for Social Anthropology) Anne Fleckstein (MPI for Social Anthropology) Kaleb Kassa (MPI for Social Anthropology) Mandana Knust (MPI for Comparative Public Law and International Law, Heidelberg, Germany) Sirí Lamoureaux (MPI for Social Anthropology) Christiane Preiser (MPI for Foreign and International Criminal Law, Freiburg, Germany) Luísa Reis Castro (Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Germany) Clara Rigoni (MPI for Foreign and International Criminal Law, Freiburg, Germany) Ameyu Godesso Roro (MPI for Social Anthropology) Anina Schwarzenbach (MPI for Foreign and International Criminal Law, Freiburg, Germany) Muyassar Turaeva (Bielefeld University, Germany) Filip Voja (MPI for Foreign and International Criminal Law, Freiburg, Germany) Maria Walsh (MPI for Foreign and International Criminal Law, Freiburg, Germany)

Workshop, 9–11 January 2013

First Preliminary Workshop

Organisers: Industry and Inequality Group

Discussants: Catherine Alexander (University of Durham, UK) James Carrier (Oxford Brookes University, UK) Geert De Neve (University of Sussex, UK) Chris Hann (MPI for Social Anthropology) Jonathan Parry (London School of Economics and Political Science, UK) Christian Strümpell (Universität Heidelberg, Germany)

Winter School, 5–7 February 2013, Leucorea, Wittenberg, Germany

Winter School of the International Max Planck Research School for the Anthropology, Archaeology and History of Eurasia (IMPRS ANARCHIE)

Organiser: Daria Sambuk

Papers presented by: Leah Cheung (MPI for Social Anthropology) Daniel Delchev (MPI for Social Anthropology) Miriam Franchina (MPI for Social Anthropology) Debra Gerstenberger (Free University of Berlin, Germany) Nadine Holesch (MPI for Social Anthropology) Louis D. Nebelsick (Cardinal Stefan Wyszyński University, Warsaw, Poland) Karoline Rolle (MPI for Social Anthropology) Sascha Roth (MPI for Social Anthropology) Lale Yalçin-Heckmann (University of Pardubice, Czech Republic)

Workshop, 14–16 February 2013

Inter-related Conflicts in a Northeast African Border Region (Azomia 1)

Organisers: Immo Eulenberger and Günther Schlee

Papers presented by: Darlington Akabwai (Feinstein International Center, Tufts University, Medford, USA) Lucie Buffavand (MPI for Social Anthropology) Immo Eulenberger (MPI for Social Anthropology) Echi Christina Gabbert (MPI for...
Social Anthropology) **Luke Glowacki** (Harvard University, Cambridge, USA) **Patrick Heady** (MPI for Social Anthropology) **Eisei Kurimoto** (Osaka University, Japan) **Patrice Ladwig** (MPI for Social Anthropology) **Shauna Latosky** (MPI for Social Anthropology) **Ken Masuda** (Nagasaki University, Japan) **Harald Müller-Dempf** (MPI for Social Anthropology) **Toru Sagawa** (Graduate School of Asian and African Area Studies, Kyoto University, Japan) **Mareike Schomérus** (London School of Economics and Political Science, UK) **Simon Simonse** (Independent Scholar, Nairobi, Kenya) **Timm Sureau** (MPI for Social Anthropology) **Serge Tornay** (formerly Musée de l’Homme, Paris, France)  
**Discussants:** **John Eidson** (MPI for Social Anthropology) **Immo Eulenerger** (MPI for Social Anthropology) **John Ryle** (Rift Valley Institute, London, UK) **Bertram Turner** (MPI for Social Anthropology)  

**Workshop, 4–5 March 2013**  
**Lands of the Future – Changing Land Use in North-East Africa**  
**Organisers:** **Echi Christina Gabbert** and **Günther Schlee**  

Papers presented by: **Jon Abbink** (Leiden University, Netherlands) **Fekadu Adugna** (Addis Ababa University, Ethiopia) **Kelly Askew** (University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, USA) **Lucie Buffavand** (MPI for Social Anthropology) **Elliot Fratkin** (Smith College, Northampton, USA) **Echi Christina Gabbert** (MPI for Social Anthropology) **Shauna Latosky** (MPI for Social Anthropology) **Jean Lydall** (Independent Scholar, Germany) **John Markakis** (University of Crete, Greece) **Till Stellmacher** (Center for Development Research (ZEF), Germany) **Ivo Strecker** (Mainz University, Germany) **David Turton** (University of Oxford, UK)
Workshop, 12 April 2013, Vietnamese Academy of Social Sciences, Hanoi, Vietnam

The Transformation of Public Markets in Contemporary Vietnam: anthropological perspectives

Organisers: Vuong Xuan Tinh (Vietnamese Academy of Social Sciences) and Kirsten W. Endres (MPI for Social Anthropology)

Papers presented by: Nir Avieli (Ben Gurion University) Lisa Barthelmes (MPI for Social Anthropology) Michael DiGregorio (Senior Expert and Filmmaker) Kirsten W. Endres (MPI for Social Anthropology) Caroline Grillot (MPI for Social Anthropology) Chris Hann (MPI for Social Anthropology) Esther Horat (MPI for Social Anthropology) Tran Huu Son (Department of Culture, Sport, and Tourism, Lao Cai Province)

Workshop, 16–18 May 2013

Second Preliminary Workshop

Organiser: Industry and Inequality Group


Discussants: Catherine Alexander (University of Durham, UK) James Carrier (Oxford Brookes University, UK) Martin Fuchs (Max-Weber-Kolleg, Erfurt, Germany) Chris Hann (MPI for Social Anthropology) Don Kalb (Central European University, Budapest, Hungary) Antje Linkenbach-Fuchs (Max-Weber-Kolleg, Erfurt, Germany) Jonathan Parry (London School of Economics and Political Science, UK)

Workshop, 23–25 May 2013

Second Exploratory Meeting – Department ‘Law & Anthropology’

Organiser: Marie-Claire Foblets

Workshop of the International Max Planck Research School for the Anthropology, Archaeology and History of Eurasia (IMPRS ANARCHIE), 31 May 2013

**Collective Identifications, Domination and Legitimation**

Organiser: IMPRS ANARCHIE

Papers presented by: **Ildikó Bellér-Hann** (University of Copenhagen, Denmark) **Andrew Bevan** (University College London, UK) **Chris Hann** (MPI for Social Anthropology) **Gordon Mathews** (The Chinese University of Hong Kong) **Burkhard Schnepel** (Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Germany)

Workshop, 26–29 June 2013

**Is Chinese Patriarchy Over? The decline and transformation of a system of social support**

Organisers: **Stevan Harrell** (University of Washington, USA) and **Gonçalo Santos** (MPI for Social Anthropology)

Papers presented by: **Melissa Brown** (University of Minnesota and Harvard University, USA) **Elisabeth Engbretsen** (Helsinki Collegium for Advanced Studies, Finland) **Harriet Evans** (University of Westminster, UK) **Sara Friedman** (Indiana University, USA) **Suzanne Gottschang** (Smith College, Northampton, USA) **William Jankowiak** (University of Nevada, USA) **Andrew Kipnis** (Australian National University, Australia) **Kerstin Klein** (Barts Health NHS Trust, UK) **Xuan Li** (University of Cambridge, UK) **Helena Obendiek** (Konstanz University of Applied Sciences, Germany) **Gonçalo Santos** (MPI for Social Anthropology) **Lihong Shi** (Case Western Reserve University, Cleveland, USA) **Charles Stafford** (Lon-
don School of Economics and Political Science, UK) Rubie Watson (Harvard University, USA) Xiujie Wu (MPI for Social Anthropology) Roberta Zavoretti (MPI for Social Anthropology) Hong Zhang (Colby College, Waterville, USA) Discussants: Francesca Bray (University of Edinburgh, UK) Janet Carsten (University of Edinburgh, UK) Deborah Davis (Yale University, USA) Henrike Donner (Oxford Brookes University, UK) Stevan Harrell (University of Washington, USA) Michael Herzfeld (Harvard University, USA)

Summer School of the International Max Planck Research School for the Anthropology, Archaeology and History of Eurasia (IMPRS ANARCHIE), 19–21 July 2013, Naumburg, Germany

Identities in (Ex)Change: interdisciplinary approaches and challenges
Organiser: Daria Sambuk
Papers presented by: François Bertemes (Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Germany) Christoph Brumann (MPI for Social Anthropology) Bruce Grant (New York University, USA) Alexander Etkind (University of Cambridge, UK) Johannes Litzel (Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Germany) Michael G. Müller (Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Germany) Andreas Pečar (Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Germany) Roberto Risch (Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona, Spain) Dittmar Schorkowitz (MPI for Social Anthropology)
Workshop funded by the German Foundation for Peace Research, 12–13 August 2013

Transitional Justice in the Somali Setting: insights from the Horn of Africa and the diaspora

Organiser: Markus Virgil Hoehne

Papers presented by: Fowsia AbdulKadir (Carleton University, Ottawa, Canada) Rahma AbdulKadir (New York University, Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates) Abdurahman M. Abdullahi Baadiyow (Mogadishu University, Somalia) Faduma Abukar Mursal (University of Basel, Switzerland) Tobias Hagmann (Roskild University Denmark) Markus V. Hoehne (MPI for Social Anthropology) Kathy Roberts (The Center for Justice and Accountability, San Francisco, USA) Mohammed M. Seid (Independent Researcher)

Emerging South Sudan: negotiating statehood

Organiser: Katrin Seidel and Timm Sureau

Papers presented by: Pierluigi Allegretti (Independent Scholar, Italy) Redie Bereketeab (Nordiska Afrikainstitutet, Uppsala, Sweden) Ferenc David Marko (Central European University, Budapest, Hungary) Jean-Marie Hatungimana (Generation in Action, Torit, South Sudan) Andreas Hirblinger (University of Cambridge, UK) Cherry Leonardi (Durham University, UK) Harald Müller-Dempf (MPI for Social Anthropology) Immo Eulenberger (MPI for Social Anthropology) Richard Rottenburg (Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Germany) John Ryle (Rift Valley Institute, UK/Kenya) Katrin Seidel (MPI for Social Anthropology) Timm Sureau (MPI for Social Anthropology) Rens Twijnstra (Wageningen University, The Netherlands) Nyambura Wambugu (University of Leeds, UK) Samson Wassara (University of Juba, South Sudan)

Discussants: Judith Beyer (MPI for Social Anthropology) Ole Frahm (Humboldt University, Berlin, Germany) Markus Virgil Hoehne (MPI for Social Anthropology) Janine Moritz (Independent Scholar, Berlin, Germany)

On Mediation: forms, models and theories

Organiser: Stefanie Bognitz and Fazil Moradi

Papers presented by: Keebet von Benda-Beckmann (MPI for Social Anthropology) Stefanie Bognitz (MPI for Social Anthropology) Debbie de Girolamo (Queen Mary University of London, UK) Karl Härtel (Max Planck Institute
for European Legal History, Frankfurt, Germany) Armin Höland (Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Germany) Matthias Kaufmann (Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Germany) Fazil Moradi (MPI for Social Anthropology) Andrea Nicolas (Graduate School Cultural Contacts and Scientific Discourse, Rostock University, Germany) Günther Schlee (MPI for Social Anthropology) Bertram Turner (MPI for Social Anthropology)

Workshop, 7–8 November 2013

Negotiating Normative Spaces: insights from and into African judicial encounters

Organiser: Katrin Seidel

Papers presented by: Gerhard Anders (University of Edinburgh, UK) Girmachew Alemu Aneme (Addis Ababa University, Ethiopia) Kelly Askew (University of Michigan, USA) Shakira Bedoya (Rechtskulturen, Berlin, Germany) Stefanie Bognitz (MPI for Social Anthropology) Hatem Elliesie (Freie Universität Berlin, Germany) Markus V. Höhne (University of Leipzig, Germany) Dominik Kohlhagen (University of Antwerp, Belgium) Sophie Kotanyi (University of Heidelberg, Germany) Maria Sapignoli (MPI for Social Anthropology) Julia Schaar-Schmidt (Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Germany) Katrin Seidel (MPI for Social Anthropology) Hashim Mohammad Tewfik (Addis Ababa University, Ethiopia) Hakeem Yusuf (University of Strathclyde, Glasgow, UK) Olaf Zenker (University of Bern, Switzerland)

Discussants: Miia Halme-Tuomisaari (MPI for Social Anthropology) Yuriditzi Pascacio Montijo (MPI for the History of Science, Germany) Martin Ramstedt (MPI for Social Anthropology) Timm Sureau (MPI for Social Anthropology)
Conference hosted by the MPI for Social Anthropology, 8–9 November 2013


*Organiser: African Law Association*

Papers presented by: **Tulia Ackson** (University Dar es Salaam, Tanzania) **Girmachew Alemu Aneme** (Addis Ababa University, Ethiopia) **Kangnikoe Bado** (University Giessen, Germany) **Daniel Behailu** (University Giessen, Germany) **FikreMarkos Merso Birhanu** (Addis Ababa University, Ethiopia) **Markus Böckenförde** (Käte Hamburger Kolleg/Centre for Global Cooperation Research, Duisburg, Germany) **Yash P. Ghai** (University of Hong Kong) **Lisa Heemann** (University Giessen, Germany) **Victoria Lihiru** (University Dar es Salaam, Tanzania) **Prosper Maguchu** (University Giessen, Germany) **Thilo Marauhn** (University Giessen, Germany) **Bonaventure Rutinwa** (University Dar es Salaam, Tanzania) **Hannah Wamuyu Wanderi** (University Dar es Salaam, Tanzania) **Seyoum Yohannes** (Addis Ababa University, Ethiopia)

**Workshop, 14–15 November 2013**

**Frontier Frictions. Cultural encounters, exchange, and emergence in Asian uplands**

*Organiser: Oliver Tappe*

Papers presented by: **Meenaxi Barkataki-Ruscheweyh** (University of Göttingen, Germany) **Małgorzata Biczyk** (MPI for Social Anthropology) **Bradley Davis** (Eastern Connecticut State University, USA) **Martin Fuchs** (Max Weber Kolleg, Erfurt, Germany) **Masao Imamura** (National University of Singapore) **Mar
Jianxiong (Hong Kong University of Science and Technology) Hjorleifur Jonsson (Arizona State University, USA) Jean Michaud (Université Laval, Canada) Erik Mueggler (University of Michigan, USA) Pierre Petit (Université Libre de Bruxelles, Belgium) Oscar Salemink (University of Copenhagen, Denmark) Grégoire Schlemmer (Institut de recherche pour le développement (IRD), France) Olivier Tappe (MPI for Social Anthropology)

Workshop, 27–28 November 2013

Teaching Legal Anthropology: aims and constraints in a changing academic climate in Europe

Organiser: Marie-Claire Foblets

Papers presented by: Gerhard Anders (University of Edinburgh, UK) César Arjona (Center for Transnational Legal Studies, London, UK) Lucia Bellucci (University of Milan, Italy) Yazid Ben Hounet (National Centre for Scientific Research, Paris, France) Anthony Bradney (Keele University, Staffordshire, UK) Birgit Bräuchler (Goethe-University Frankfurt, Germany) Marie-Claire Foblets (MPI for Social Anthropology) Werner Gephart (Käte Hamburger Kolleg ‘Recht als Kultur’, University of Bonn, Germany) Anthony Good (University of Edinburgh, UK) Anne Griffiths (University of Edinburgh, UK) André Hoekema (University of Amsterdam, The Netherlands) Armin Höland (Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Germany) Myriam Hunter-Henin (University College London, UK) Alexandra Kemmerer (Rechtskulturen, Berlin, Germany) René Kuppe (University of Vienna, Austria) Emmanuel Melissaris
Workshop in cooperation with the Institute for Social Anthropology ISA, Austrian Academy of Sciences, 4–6 December 2013, Vienna, Austria

**Anthropological Atelier: Risks, Ruptures, and Uncertainties: dealing with crisis in Asia’s emerging economies**

*Organiser: Kirsten W. Endres (MPI for Social Anthropology) and Maria Six-Hohenbalken (Institute for Social Anthropology ISA, Austrian Academy of Sciences)*

Workshop of the Centre of Anthropological Studies of Central Asia (CASCA Halle-Zurich), 20–22 December 2013, Department of Social and Cultural Anthropology, University of Zurich, Switzerland

The Visible and the Invisible: institutions and identities in contemporary Central Asia

Organiser: Centre of Anthropological Studies of Central Asia (CASCA Halle-Zurich)

Papers presented by:

Aida Alymbaeva (MPI for Social Anthropology) Malgorzata Biczky (MPI for Social Anthropology) Tabea Buri (University of Zurich, Switzerland) Peter Finke (University of Zurich, Switzerland) Eliza Isabaeva (University of Zurich, Switzerland) Aksana Ismailbekova (Zentrum Moderner Orient, Berlin, Germany) Soledad Jimenez Tovar (MPI for Social Anthropology) Agnieszka Jonia-Lüthi (University of Bern, Switzerland) Madlen Kobi (University of Bern, Switzerland) Dominik Müller (University of Zurich, Switzerland) Lhamsuren Munkh-Erdene (National University of Mongolia, Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia) Kishimjan Osmonova (Humboldt University, Berlin, Germany) Meltem Sanca (MPI for Social Anthropology) Rita Sanders (Independent Researcher, Berlin, Germany) Günther Schlee (MPI for Social Anthropology) John Schoebberlein (Nazarbayev University, Astana, Kazakhstan) Philipp Schröder (Humboldt University, Berlin, Germany) Dilyara Suleymanova (University of Zurich, Switzerland) Linda Tubach (University of Zurich, Switzerland) Damira Umetbaeva (European University Viadrina, Frankfurt/Oder, Germany) Russell Zanca (Northeastern Illinois University, USA)
Joint Institutes Colloquia

Organisers: Max Planck Institute for Social Anthropology and Institute for Social and Cultural Anthropology, Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg

Winter 2012 “Time and Space”

10 January 2012 Helmuth Berking (TU Darmstadt, Germany) “The Whole of the City”. Outline of a research programme

24 January 2012 Ayşe Öncü (Sabanci University, Turkey) The Constitution of “Security” as an Urgent Urban Problem: Perspectives from Istanbul

Summer 2012 “Ethnographies of the Contemporary”
Organisers: Astrid Bochow, Daniel Münster, Gonçalo Santos

24 April 2012 John G. Galaty (McGill University, Canada) Remote Effects of Global Breezes: ethnographic glimpses of disintegrating property and displaced communities in Eastern Africa

8 May 2012 Shiho Satsuka (University of Toronto, Canada and Rachel Carson Center, LMU Munich, Germany) Charisma of Wild Mushroom: revitalizing forest and agrarian lifestyle in post-industrial Japan

22 May 2012 Anna Lora-Wainwright (Oxford University, UK) ‘Environmental Illness’, Toxic Uncertainty and Contested Evidence: rural industrial pollution and lay epidemiology in China

5 June 2012 Alpa Shah (Goldsmiths, University of London, UK) The Intimacy of Insurgency: the limitations of greed or grievance in Maoist India

19 June 2012 Jerome Lewis (University College London, UK) Extreme Citizen Science: at the intersection of anthropology, engineering, computer science and environmental justice

3 July 2012 Michael Schnegg (University of Hamburg, Germany) Connected Ethnographies: methodological and theoretical challenges in a globalized world

17 July 2012 Deborah James (London School of Economics and Political Science, UK) ‘The Camel Will Kick You’: borrowing and lending in South Africa
Winter 2012/13

23 October 2012 **Bilinda Straight** (Western Michigan University, USA) War, Grief, and the Auto-Narrative of a Hesitant Killer

6 November 2012 **Mahmoud Ezzamel** (Cardiff University, UK and IE Business School, Madrid, Spain) The Emergence of Chinese State Capitalism and the Role of Accounting

4 December 2012 **Patrick Eisenlohr** (University of Göttingen, Germany) Media, Citizenship, and Religious Mobilization: the Muharram Awareness Campaign in Mumbai

18 December 2012 **Anthony Good** (University of Edinburgh, UK) The Benefit of the Doubt in British Asylum Claims

15 January 2013 **Martin Sökefeld** (Ludwig Maximilians University Munich, Germany) Politics of a “Natural” Disaster: the Attabad Landslide in Northern Pakistan

29 January 2013 **Brian Moeran** (Copenhagen Business School, Denmark) How to Award a Prize: an ethnography of a juried ceramic art exhibition in Japan

**Summer 2013** ““Citizenship” Today”  
Organisers: David O’Kane, Martin Ramstedt, Tabea Scharrer, Katharina Schramm

23 April 2013 **Ayşe Çağlar** (University of Vienna, Austria) Acts of Citizenship and Sites of Contentious Politics: EU Citizen Roma in Berlin

7 May 2013 **Peter Wade** (University of Manchester, UK) Genetic Belonging, Citizenship and Mixed Nations in Latin America

28 May 2013 **Pnina Werbner** (Keele University, UK) Multicultural Citizenship: deconstructing a stereotypical paradigm

11 June 2013 **Jonathan Anjaria** (Brandeis University, Boston, USA) Citizens on the Street: urban form and political practice in Mumbai.

25 June 2013 **Nigel Rapport** (University of St Andrews, UK) ‘Life is Individual’: outline of a cosmopolitan ethics for anyone

9 July 2013 **Yasemin Soysal** (University of Essex, UK) Citizenship and Immigration: “failing” human rights?
Winter 2013/14

15 October 2013 **Nükhet Sirman** (Bogazici University, Istanbul, Turkey) Widows of the War: the transformation of kinship in the space of force migration

29 October 2013 **Alessandro Monsutti** (Graduate Institute of International and Development Studies, Geneva, Italy) Anthropologizing Conflict and Post-conflict Reconstruction: the case of Afghanistan

12 November 2013 **Friederike Busch** (Berlin, Germany) Traditional Cultural Expressions: protection through customary law? Experiences from Panama and Brazil

26 November 2013 **Eyal Ben-Ari** (Kinneret College on the Sea of Galilee, Israel) Area Studies and the Disciplines: anthropology and Japanese studies in comparative perspective

14 January 2014 **Ursula Rao** (University of Leipzig, Germany) Justified Bodies: biometric technology and the emergence of new notions of citizenship in India

28 January 2014 **Natasha Pairaudeau** (University of Cambridge, UK) Mobile Citizens: the French of India in colonial Indochina
Talks 2012/2013 at the Institute

2012

16 April 2012 Carol Warren (Murdoch University, Perth, Australia) Is Nothing Sacred? The cultural and environmental politics of impact assessment and zoning in Bali

16 May 2012 Goody Lecture: Peter Burke (Emeritus Professor of Cultural History at the University of Cambridge, UK and Fellow of Emmanuel College) A Case of Cultural Hybridity: the European Renaissance

11 June 2012 Ema Pires (University of Évora and Anthropology Research Network CRIA-IUL, Portugal) Eurasian Connections and Packaged Nostalgia in Melaka (W. Malaysia)

19 July 2012 Data Dea Barata (California State University, Sacramento, USA) Land, Culture Politics and Contested Models of Social Justice in Ethiopia’s South

19 September 2012 Andrew Sanchez (MPI for Social Anthropology) and Christian Strümpell (Heidelberg University, Germany) Sons of Soil, Sons of Steel

27 September 2012 Eszter Bartha (Eötvös Loránd University, Budapest, Hungary) Lonely Fighters: workers in postsocialist East Germany and Hungary

12 October 2012 Li Zhang (University of California at Davis, USA) Refashioning the Self through New Therapeutics in Postsocialist China

15 October 2012 Stephen Shennan (University College London, UK) Opening Lecture of the International Max Planck Research School for the Anthropology, Archaeology and History of Eurasia (IMPRS ANARCHIE): Patterns of Long-Term Change in the European Neolithic

22 November 2012 Liubov L. Abaeva (Russian Academy of Sciences, Ulan-Ude, Russia) Tradition and Innovation among the Mongolian Peoples (Russia, Mongolia, China in comparison)

6 December 2012 Donatas Brandisauskas (University of Vilnius, Lithuania) Enacted and Emplaced Mastery and Luck among Orochen-Evenki of Zabaikal’è
13 December 2012 Joanna Urbanczyk (University of Warsaw, Poland) From the Kingdom of Force to the Kingdom of Soul: fieldwork report on the Siberian community of Vissarion

19 December 2012 Cherry Leonardi (Durham University, UK) The Effect of Difference: the mutual constitution of traditional authority and the state in South Sudanese history

2013

28 January 2013 Christian Lübke (GWZO Leipzig, Germany) Place Names designating Human Activities - Indicators of Medieval State-Building in East Central Europe?

4 April 2013 Ronald Niezen (McGill University, Canada) Public Justice and the Comparative Study of Human Rights Campaigns in Sub-Saharan Africa

10 April 2013 Milena Kremakova (University of Warwick, UK) Duty, morality, and “marfa”: smuggling in the Bulgarian merchant navy before and after 1989

29 April 2013 Dietlind Hüchtker (GWZO, Leipzig University, Germany) Religion and Politics in the 19th and 20th Centuries – Questions and Concepts

10 May 2013 Sergey Abashin (Russian Academy of Science, Moscow, Russia) Nations and Postcolonialism in Central Asia: twenty years later

21 May 2013 Gearoid Michael Miller (University of Aberdeen, UK) Ethnography as Evaluation: understanding local experiences of agricultural land-grabs in transitional states

27 May 2013 Hans-Georg Stephan (Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Germany) Pots and Potters in the Middle Ages

30 May 2013 Gordon Mathews (Chinese University of Hong Kong) Ghetto at the Center of the World: Chungking Mansions, Hong Kong

3 June 2013 Ivonne Kaiser (University of Bonn, Germany) Minoans, Minoanisations

10 June 2013 Moritz Baumstark (University of Heidelberg, Germany) Hume, Rapin and the Quest for Impartiality in Eighteenth-Century Historical Writing
24 June 2013 Gundula Mehnert (Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Germany) Exchange, Contact and Acculturation in Greek and Roman Antiquity: the archaeological evidence

27 June 2013 Livia Holden (Karakoram International University, Gilgit, Pakistan) Between Legal and Illegal: anthropology of law and the quest for legitimacy

10 July 2013 Don Kalb (Central European University, Hungary / Utrecht University, Netherlands) Regimes of Value and Worthlessness: two stories I know, plus a Marxist reflection

15 July 2013 Volker Heyd (University of Bristol, UK) Communication Networks and Identities in the Third Millennium BC

15 July 2013 Mukaram Toktogulova (American University of Central Asia, Bishkek, Kyrgyzstan) Transnational Tablighi Jama’at Network in the Context of Re-Islamisation in Kyrgyzstan: local practices and contested discourses

18 July 2013 Goody Lecture: Martha Mundy (London School of Economics and Political Science, UK) The Solace of the Past in the Unspeakable Present: the historical anthropology of the ‘Near East’

23 July 2013 Adrienne Lynn Edgar (University of California, USA) Between the Ethnos and the Soviet People: intermarriage and identity in Kazakhstan

13 November 2013 Gerhard Anders (University of Edinburgh, UK) Contested Expertise: anthropologists at the Special Court for Sierra Leone
Anthropological Workshop/Werkstatt Ethnologie

Organisers: Bettina Mann (MPI for Social Anthropology) jointly with the Institute for Social and Cultural Anthropology, Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg

Winter 2012


31 January 2012 Mihai Popa (MPI for Social Anthropology) Looking the State in the Eyes: an inquiry into the social production of administrative knowledge

Summer 2012

17 April 2012 Christoph Brumann, Kirsten W. Endres, Jacqueline Knörr and Detelina Tocheva (MPI for Social Anthropology) Surviving Peer Review

15 May 2012 Bea Vidacs (MPI for Social Anthropology) Mesmerized by the Posts: can postsocialism and postcolonialism be compared?

29 May 2012 Stephen Reyna (University of Manchester, UK) Boas’s Dream and the Question, What is Interpretation? A critical structural realist approach

12 June 2012 James Carrier (Oxford Brooks University, UK) Where Books Come From: everything you wanted to know about publishing

10 July 2012 Artem Rabogoshvili (MPI for Social Anthropology) Between “the Stage” and “the Market” – national-cultural organizations at the time of public celebrations in Siberia
Winter 2012/13

16 October 2012 **Judith Beyer** (MPI for Social Anthropology) The Customization of Law. A case study from Kyrgyzstan

30 October 2012 **David Palmer** (University of Hong Kong) Ritual Conquests and Socialist Event Productions: an exorcist goddess and the production of sacrality in contemporary China


27 November 2012 **Chuan-Kang Shih** (University of Florida, USA) Kinship without Affines: social structure and social relations among the Moso in Southwest China

11 December 2012 **Patrice Ladwig** (MPI for Social Anthropology) Rumors, Spectral Apparitions and the Longing for Buddhist Charisma in Laos

8 January 2013 **Gustavo Rojas Paez** (Max Planck Institute for Foreign and International Criminal Law, Freiburg, Germany) Localizing the Global: spatial practices and killing fields

22 January 2013 **Norman Schräpel** (Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg) Improving Access to Health Care through Information Infrastructures in Rwanda

Summer 2013

30 April 2013 **John Schoeberlein** (Harvard University, USA) The National in a Global Mode: Kazakhs’ use of new public spaces for reestablishing their national essence

14 May 2013 **Hirochika Nakamaki** (National Museum of Ethnology, Osaka, Japan) Comparing UNESCO World Heritage in Japan, Spain and Germany: a focus on pilgrimage

4 June 2013 **Thomas Sikor** (University of East Anglia, UK) When Things Become Property: land reform, politics, and economy

18 June 2013 **Tommaso Trevisani** (MPI for Social Anthropology) Modern Weddings in Uzbekistan. State regulation, local debates, evolving practices
2 July 2013 André Thiemann (MPI for Social Anthropology) Security for the City – Farming for the Village?

16 July 2013 Markus V. Hohne and Shakira Bedoya (MPI for Social Anthropology) Producing Evidence and Commodifying Bones? The political economy of exhumations in post conflict Somaliland

Winter 2013/14

5 November 2013 James Carrier (Oxford Brooks University, UK) Dealing with Journals: writing, submission, evaluation

19 November 2013 Carsten Wergin (Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Germany) Songlines vs. Pipelines: fighting for ‘living country’ in the age of the anthropocene

3 December 2013 Research Group ‘Traders, Markets, and the State in Vietnam’ (MPI for Social Anthropology) Vietnamese Traders “In Motion”: test screening and discussion of three short films from the field

17 December 2013 Norman Schräpel (Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Germany) Organization by Contracts. Prudential politics and the translation of the Millennium Development Goals in Rwanda

Lectures

Judith Beyer

Julie Billaud
- 18 November 2013, *Humanitarian Theatre: gender, the ordinary and the carnivalesque in “post-war” Afghanistan*. Department of Islamic Studies, McGill University, Canada.

Małgorzata Biczyk
- 14 February 2013, *The Nawruz Celebration: a ritual that challenges people’s sense of belonging*. Institute of Anthropology and Ethnography, Russian Academy of Science, Moscow, Russia.

Astrid Bochow

Christoph Brumann

Jennifer Cash
- 28 November 2012, *Economy and Aspirations in Rural Moldova (Ritual Solutions to Poverty and Uncertainty)*. Südosteuropaabend, Institutes of Slavistics, Romanistics, and Southeast European Studies, University of Jena, Germany.
- 23 October 2013, *When Sufficiency is not Enough: ethnographic perspectives on poverty in Bessarabia*. Geisteswissenschaftliches Zentrum Geschichte und Kultur Ostmitteleuropas (GWZO), Center for Area Studies (University of Leipzig), and the Moldova Institute, Leipzig, Germany.
- November 2013, *What does Poverty Mean? Lifestyle, aspirations, and expectations in Europe’s ‘poorest’ country*. Department of Anthropology and Office of Service Learning, Coe College, Cedar Rapids, IA, USA.
Kirsten W. Endres
• 29 January 2013, Commercial Relations, Mutual Perceptions, and Everyday Economic Practice at the Vietnam-China Border: an anthropological inquiry. Institutskolloquium Ethnologie, Göttingen University, Germany.

Marie-Claire Foblets
• 23 January 2012, jointly with Dirk Vanheule and Geert Debersaques, Themis postacademische vorming vreemdelingenrecht. Training for practitioners in immigration and asylum law, KU Leuven jointly with Universiteit Kortrijk, Kortrijk, Belgium.
• 7 February 2012, De Rondetafels van de Interculturaliteit. Welke lering trekken uit dit initiatief van de federale regering? Public Lecture (Series: Universiteit Derde leeftijd), University Kortrijk, Belgium.
• 9 February 2012, Interculturaliteit in Vlaanderen. Wat zijn de slaagkansen? Guest lecture within the framework of the programme ‘CeMIS Levensbeschouwelijk pluralism’ Centrum voor Migratiestudies, University of Antwerp, Belgium.
• 4 February 2013, Freedom of Conviction(s) and Belief(s): the challenges of religious pluralism in a changing Europe. Draft summary of the main findings of the RELIGARE project. Berliner Seminar “Recht im Kontext”, Wissenschaftskolleg Berlin, Germany.
• 19 March 2013, The Challenges of Religious Pluralism in a Changing Europe: draft summary of the main findings of the RELIGARE project. CURA Lecture, Institute on Culture, Religion and World Affairs, Boston University, USA.
• 23 April 2013, *Culturele diversiteit en de democratische rechtstaat: een inleiding.* Lecture within the framework of the ‘Inleiding in culturele diversiteit en de democratische rechtstaat’ programme. University of Hasselt (KULeuven), jointly with the University of Maastricht. Maastricht, The Netherlands.

• 15 June 2013, *Een nieuwe start voor de rechtsantropologie in Europa binnen het raamwerk van de Max Planck Society in Duitsland.* Royal Flemish Academy of Belgium for Science and the Arts, Brussels, Belgium.


• 23 October 2013, *The Autonomous Person in Plural Societies: a complicated ambivalence about asserting rights.* Max Planck Society (Sektionssitzung, Fall 2013), Berlin, Germany.

• 7 December 2013, *Personal Autonomy in Western Legal Reasoning. The paradoxes of a principle and how they impact in the context of present-day plural societies.* Laboratorio Diritti Fondamentali, Academy of Sciences, Turin, Italy.


**Joachim Görlich**


**Joachim Otto Habeck**


• 30 May 2013, *Mission Civilisatrice im Hohen Norden: das sowjetische Modernisierungsprojekt in Sibirien und seine Aktualität für das Heutige Russland.* Seminar for Social Anthropology, University of Zurich, Switzerland.

• 1 July 2013, *Marginale Existenzen: Gender und Status in der Peripherie (am Beispiel Russlands).* Department of History, University of Regensburg, Germany.


**Chris Hann**


• 30 May 2012, *Gesprächsabend*. Institute for Social and Cultural Anthropology, Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Germany.

• 17 October 2012, *Kofferpacken in Osteuropa*. Oktobermusikfest 2012, Max Planck Society in cooperation with Bayerische Staatsoper München, Munich, Germany.


• 27 November 2012, *The Turkish Nation-State and the Chimera of Modernity*. Stirling Lecture 2012, University of Kent at Canterbury, UK.

• 3 December 2012, *Time’s Arrow in Tázlár (and in anthropology)*. Department of Sociology and Social Anthropology, Central European University, Budapest, Hungary.


• 18 March 2013, *Risk and Uncertainty in Rural Eastern Xinjiang*. University Lecture, School of Political Sciences & Law, Shihezi University, China.

• 8 May 2013, *Ernest Gellner and Karl Polanyi: complementary philosophies of history and common limitations*. Elias Lecture, Willy Brandt Zentrum, University of Wrocław, Poland.

• 13 May 2013, *Collective Effervescence or Cynical Pokazukha? Public rituals under socialism and today*. Slavic and East-European Lecture Series, Department of Slavic and East-European Studies, University of Ghent, Belgium.

• 14 May 2013, *Die klassische Ethnologie ist tot; es lebe die Neoklassische*. Institut für Ethnologie und Afrikastudien, University of Mainz, Germany.

• 2 October 2013, *Were the Postmodernists Right? The end of grand narratives in a village in Orbanistan*. The CUNY Graduate Center, New York, USA.

**Patrick Heady**

Michael Hoffmann
• 8 July 2013, The Constraining Factors of Unfree Labour in Post-Conflict Nepal: insights from a brick factory in rural Kailali, far-western Tarai. Institute of Social and Cultural Anthropology, LMU Munich, Germany.

Wolfgang Holzwarth
• 15 February 2012, Markets, Money and Credit in Colonial Central Asia. Lecture Series ‘Beyond Oil and Radical Islam: from classifications to links of economy and religion in Central Asia’, Zentrum Moderner Orient, Berlin, Germany.
• 22 February 2012, On Recent Field and Archival Research in Tajikistan. Central Asian Seminar, Humboldt University, Berlin, Germany.
• 15 May 2013, Tashkiloti nizomii Bukhoro az asri hafdaum to asri nuzdahum [Bukharan Army Organisation, seventeenth to nineteenth century] Faculty of History, Nosiri Khusrav Tajik National University of Qurghon-Teppa, Tajikistan.

Florian Köhler
• 30 October 2012, Eletel und Kaakol – Zwei außergewöhnliche Objekte der Wodaabe-Frauen in Niger. Ethnographic Museum, University of Zurich, Switzerland.

Dimitra Kofti
• 30 November 2012, ‘Communists’ on the Shopfloor: continuity and transformation of power in a Bulgarian privatised factory. Institute of History Chair of Southeast and East European History, University of Regensburg, Germany.

Patrice Ladwig
• 23 April 2013, Non-Buddhist Ethnic Minorities in the Buddhist Historiography of Mainland Southeast Asia. Divinity School, University of Chicago, USA.
• 12 June 2013, Modernisierung, Meditation und Religionspolitik. Entwicklungen im laotischen Buddhismus zwischen Parteikontrolle und sozialer Differenzierung. Institut für Südostasienwissenschaften, Bonn University, Germany.

Mateusz Laszczkowski
• 10 May 2013, State Building(s): construction work in Astana and the performed state. Center for Russian, East European, and Eurasian Studies, Stanford University, USA.

Nathan Light
• March 2013, *Ethnographic and Textual Analysis in Central Asia: the role of linguistics*. Department of Linguistics and Philology, Uppsala University, Sweden.

**Azim Malikov**

**Fazil Moradi**
• 6 June 2012, *De Facto Sovereignty vs. Human Rights*. Sixth Brown Bag Lecture, American University of Iraq, Sulaimani, Kurdistan Region of Iraq.
• 18 November 2012, *Anfāl or Genocide: travelling modes of translation*. Public Lecture, University of Salahaddin, Erbil, Kurdistan Region of Iraq.
• 7 September 2013, *Genocides, Genocide Convention and Sovereignty: Al-Anfāl operations and the anticipation of justice*. Public Lecture, University of Kurdistan - Hawler, Erbil, Kurdistan Region of Iraq.

**Minh T. N. Nguyen**

**Eleanor Peers**

**Martin Ramstedt**
• 12 December 2012, *Juridification of Balinese Customary Law and the Pitfalls of Local Citizenship*. Department of Social Anthropology, University of Bern, Switzerland.
Gonçalo Santos
• 24 April 2012, *Technologies of Ethical Imagination*. Department of Anthropology, Emory University, Atlanta, USA.
• 15 May 2012, *China in Comparative Perspective: ideas and methods*. Department of Anthropology, Sun Yat-Sen University, Guangzhou, China.
• 17 May 2012, *Technology, Charity, and Ethical Imagination: an anthropological perspective*, Hong Kong Institute for the Humanities and Social Sciences, The University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong.
• 5 June 2012, *Charitable Practices and Ethical Imagination in Rural South China*. Ethnologisches Kolloquium, Institut für Ethnologie, University of Hamburg, Germany.
• 7 December 2012, *The Art of ‘Doing Good’ in Contemporary China. New material powers*. Hong Kong Institute for the Humanities and Social Sciences, The University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong.

Maria Sapignoli
• 3 December 2013, *Access to Justice and the Kgotla in Botswana*, Faculty of Law, University of Ottawa, Canada.

Tabea Scharrer

Günther Schlee
• 17 January 2012, *Customary Law and the Joys of Statelessness*. Sociocultural Colloquium, Department of Anthropology, University of California, Davis, USA.
• 10 October 2012, *Space and Regulation: conflicting forms of land use in the Blue Nile area, Sudan*. Social Anthropology Seminars 2012–2013, Department of Anthropology, University College London, UK.

• 14 June 2013, *Kinship – Universals and Variation: some considerations on contemporary kinship studies*. School of Sociology and Ethnology, Minzu University, Beijing, China.


**Oliver Tappe**


**Bertram Turner**


Presentations at Conferences and Workshops

Zahir Musa Abdal-Kareem


Christiane Adamczyk


Aida Alymbaeva


• 20–22 December 2013, *Between History and Memory: discourses of the past*. Visible and Invisible in Central Asia: institutions and identities under transformation. Halle-Zurich Centre for the Anthropological Studies of Central Asia, Department of Social and Cultural Anthropology, University of Zurich, Switzerland.

Milena Baghdasaryan


Lisa Barthelmes


Maarten Bedert

Franz von Benda-Beckmann
• 18 April 2012, Interdisciplinary Legal Scholarships: experiences, probabilities and suggestions. Where Now? Moving beyond Traditional Legal Geographies. Baldy Center for Law and Social Policy, University of Buffalo, USA.

Keebet von Benda-Beckmann
• 29–30 November 2012, Trust and the Temporalities of Law. Temporalities of Law, MPI for Social Anthropology, Halle/Saale, Germany.
• 21 June 2013, Political and Legal Transformations of an Indonesian Polity: historical perspectives on current events. 5th Southeast Asia Update. University of Wageningen, The Netherlands.
Judith Beyer

- 16 September 2013, jointly with Jeanne Féaux de la Croix, Lutz Rzehak, Moritz Florin, Rudolf Mark, Andrea Schmitz, Andrei Dörre, Forschungsberichte aus den Disziplinen. Hamburger Zentralasientag 2013. Institut für Friedensforschung und Sicherheitspolitik an der Universität Hamburg (IFSH), Germany.

Julie Billaud


Małgorzata Biczyk

- 18–20 April 2013, Autonomy without Autonomy? What are the limits of “the art of being not governed” in mountainous Badakhshan, Tajikistan? 18th Annual ASN World Convention, Panel: Conflict and Integration in Kyrgyzstan. Columbia University, New York, USA.
- 12 July 2013, Autonomy without Autonomy? What are the limits of “the art of being not governed” in mountainous Badakhshan, Tajikistan? Round Table: Current Research on Tajikistan. MPI for Social Anthropology, Halle/Saale, Germany.


• 20–22 December 2013, The Nawruz Celebration: a ritual that challenges people’s sense of belonging. Visible and Invisible in Central Asia: institutions and identities under transformation. Halle-Zurich Centre for the Anthropological Studies of Central Asia, Department of Social and Cultural Anthropology, University of Zurich, Switzerland.

**Astrid Bochow**


**Stefanie Bognitz**

• 3–4 February 2012, Rights-based Organisations and Legal Aid as Reconfigurations of Public Justice in Rwanda. REMEP Winter University, International Max Planck Research School on Retaliation, Mediation and Punishment. Hinterzarten, Germany.


• 29 September 2012, The Significance of Legal Aid and Mediation for the Organisation of Access to Justice in Rwanda. GIZ & ZFD Rwanda, Butare, Rwanda.


Symposia, Conferences, etc.


**Christoph Brumann**


**Lucie Buffavand**


**Jennifer Cash**


• 26–27 September 2013, *The Poor and the Pious: how giving Pomană reshapes the moral economy*. Economy, Morality, and Materiality, University of Pardubice, Czech Republic.


**Daniel Delchev**

• 5–7 February 2013, *Ways of Acculturation in Thracia and Moesia Inferior 1st to 4th Century. The role of the settlers from Asia Minor as a cultural medium*. Winter School of the International Max Planck Research School for the Anthropology, Archaeology and History of Eurasia (IMPRS ANARCHIE), Wittenberg, Germany.

• 19–21 July 2013, *Continuity within Change. An example of Roman Thrace*. Identities in (Ex)Change: interdisciplinary approaches and challenges, Summer School of the International Max Planck Research School for the Anthropology, Archaeology and History of Eurasia (IMPRS ANARCHIE). Naumburg, Germany.

**Pierpaolo De Giosa**

Kirsten W. Endres

- 9–10 June 2012, Neighbourly Bargains: small-scale trade and social dynamics at the Vietnam-China border. Vietnam and Its Minorities, Vietnam and Its Neighbours – are there historical lessons for the 21st century. Asia Africa Institute, University of Hamburg (on the occasion of the 30th anniversary of Vietnamese Studies at the University of Hamburg), Hamburg, Germany.

Immo Eulenberger


• 23–24 September 2013, “Pastoralists” & “Development Actors”: emerging configurations of task division in Equatoria’s east. Emerging South Sudan: negotiating statehood. MPI for Social Anthropology, Halle/Saale, Germany.

**Lucia Facchini**


**Anne Fleckstein**


**Marie-Claire Foblets**


• 19–21 June 2013, jointly with Léon Buskens and Mulki Al-Sharmani, *Islamic Family Law in Modern Europe: plea for a forward looking approach (conclusions)*. Islamic Family Law in Modern Europe and the Muslim World. Normative, legal and empirical approaches beyond the women’s rights issue, plenary session. Centre for Migration Law, Radboud University Nijmegen, The Netherlands.


Colloquium on the occasion of the inauguration of the new building of the Max Planck Institute for European Legal History. Frankfurt am Main, Germany.


- 27–28 November 2013, Why Convening a Meeting of Teachers in Legal Anthropology: three main reasons (introduction). Teaching Legal Anthropology: aims and constraints in a changing academic climate in Europe. MPI for Social Anthropology, Halle/Saale, Germany.

Christina Gabbert


- 4–5 March 2013, Notes from Arbore. Lands of the Future. MPI for Social Anthropology, Halle/Saale, Germany.


in the Horn of Africa. Greater Horn Horizon Forum, Djibouti and Friedrich Ebert Stiftung, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia.


**Joachim Görlich**


**Caroline Grillot**


**Joachim Otto Habeck**

• 25 February 2012, *Sovremennnaja Sibir’ glazami zapadnykh evropeitsev [Contemporary Siberia from the Vantage Point of Western Europeans].* Brending segodnia: obraz territorii v antropologii, iskusstve, marketinge [Branding Today: the image of territory in anthropology, arts, and marketing]. “Laboratory” Centre for Contemporary Art in cooperation with the Institute for Archaeology and Ethnography of the Siberian Branch of the Russian Academy of Sciences, Novosibirsk, Russia.
• 31 May – 1 June 2013, Hangover. Drinking and Driving is so much Fun: Arctic workshop. University of Tartu, Estonia.
• 28–30 October 2013, Sibir’ glazami nemetskikh etnografov i antropologov: podkhody i perspektivy nemetskogo sibirevedeniia (1989–2013) [Siberia through the Eyes of German Ethnographers and Anthropologists: approaches of and prospects for German research into Siberia].IX Sibirskiie Chteniia [Ninth Siberian Lectures], Panel: Plenary Session. Russian Geographic Society, Kunstkamera, and European University at St Petersburg, St Petersburg, Russia.

Miia Halme-Tuomisaari
• 7–8 June 2013, Lobbying for Relevance: American internationalists, French civil libertarians and the drafting of an international bill of rights. History of Human Rights: continuities, gaps and conflicts. Centre for International History Columbia University, New York, USA.
• 20–24 November 2013, Engagement, Detachment and Personal ‘Space’: exploring ‘values’ in UN treaty body proceedings. Future Publics, Current Engagements, AAA 112th Annual Meeting. Chicago, USA.

Chris Hann
• 23–24 February 2012, Postsocialist Peddlers: perspectives from economic anthropology (Keynote). Post-socialist Bazaars: markets and diversities in ex-COM-
ECON countries. Max Planck Institute for the Study of Religious and Ethnic Diversity, Göttingen, Germany.


• 13 June 2012, *Bilder der Wirtschaft in der Ethnologie*. Bilder der Wirtschaft, Sektionssymposium, 63. Jahresversammlung der Max-Planck-Gesellschaft, Düsseldorf, Germany


memory and social transformations. Kazan Federal University and Open Society Foundations, Kazan, Russia.


**Patrick Heady**


**Markus V. Hoehne**

• 5–8 June 2012, Turning Elders into Elected Representatives? The problems of democratic transformation within the hybrid political system of Somaliland. Cutting Edges and Retrospectives, 50th Anniversary Conference of the Centre of African Studies. Center for African Studies, University of Edinburgh, UK.
• 5–8 June 2012, jointly with Olaf Zenker, Introduction: Processing the Paradox: when the state has to deal with customary law in Africa. Cutting Edges and Retrospectives, 50th Anniversary Conference of the Centre of African Studies. Center for African Studies, University of Edinburgh, UK.
• 29 October – 2 November 2012, jointly with Bahru Zewde, Introduction to the panel: Moving Boundaries – the dynamics of frontiers in tradition and modernity. 18th International Conference of Ethiopian Studies. French Center for Ethiopian Studies and Institute of Ethiopian Studies, Dire Dawa, Ethiopia.
• 12 April 2013, Somaliland Facing New Challenges: trouble in the east, Mogadishu raising and the way forward, Somaliland Societies Europe (SSE) Annual Conference, Brussels, Belgium.


**Michael Hoffmann**


**Wolfgang Holzwarth**

• 12–13 July 2013, Southern Tajikistan History and Culture since the Late Nineteenth Century. Roundtable: Current Research on Tajikistan, MPI for Social Anthropology, Halle/Saale, Germany.


**Esther Horat**


**Soledad Jiménez Tovar**

and emotions in the field. Work Group Medical Anthropology of the German Anthropological Association e.V., University of Vienna, Austria.


- 20–22 December 2013, *The Good, the Bad,and the Chopsticks: religious performance and differentiation among Shaanxi Dungans in Kazakhstan.* Visible and Invisible in Central Asia: institutions and identities under transformation. Halle-Zurich Centre for the Anthropological Studies of Central Asia, Department of Social and Cultural Anthropology, University of Zurich, Switzerland.

**Eeva Kesküla**


**Dimitra Kofti**

- 9–11 January 2013, ‘*We Are Like Broken Glass’*: production and employment flexibility in a privatised Bulgarian glass factory. First Preliminary Workshop, Industry and Inequality Group. MPI for Social Anthropology, Halle/Saale, Germany.


**Elisa Kohl-Garrity**

Jacqueline Knörr
• January 2013, *Repatriates Revisited: how it feels to get old(er) ‘back home’... and where is home anyway?* Migration and Well-being – Research Frontiers, Conference of the International Sociological Association (ISA)/Research Committee on Sociology of Migration. Tel Aviv University, Israel.
• November 2013, *The Research Program of the Research Group “Integration and Conflict along the Upper Guinea Coast” at the Max Planck Institute for Social Anthropology (Halle/S., Germany)*. Program of African Studies (PAS), Northwestern University, Evanston, USA.

Patrice Ladwig
• 28–30 June 2012, *“And the Buddha Looked up to the Hills of Zomia...” Buddhist civilization, hegemony and ethnic minorities in Laos and Thailand*. Anthropology and Civilizational Analysis: Eurasian explorations. MPI for Social Anthropology, Halle/Saale, Germany.
• 21 September 2012, *Spatializing the Dhamma. The Buddhification of ethnic minorities in southern Laos*. Religion, Place and Modernity in East and Southeast Asia, University of Göttingen, Germany.
• 19 April 2013, *Re-Materializing Empire and Colonial Rule as Mimesis: the reconstruction of sacred Lao monuments and the patronage of Buddhism in French Indochina*. International Lao Studies Conference, University of Wisconsin/Madison, USA.
Siri Lamoureaux

Mateusz Laszczkowski
- 23–24 March 2012, The Hands that Smell of Bread: built space, nostalgia, and the afterlife of a Khrushchevite development campaign. Annual Soyuz Symposium, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, USA.
- 22–23 March 2013, Shrek Meets the President: aesthetics and popular authoritarianism in Kazakhstan. Annual Soyuz Symposium, Columbia University, New York, USA.
- 10–13 September 2013, Shifting Spaces: the changing forms, meanings, and uses of public space in Astana. Central square and shopping mall. 5th International Urban Geographies of Post-Communist States Conference, Tbilisi State University, Tbilisi, Georgia.
- 27–28 September 2013, Shrek Meets the President: magical authoritarianism in a fairy-tale city. 3rd Annual Conference of the Central Asian Studies Institute, American University in Central Asia, Bishkek, Kyrgyzstan.

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• 14–16 February 2013, **Harmful Practices: inter-related conflicts and their discourse at a late frontier of globalization.** Inter-related Conflicts in a Northeast African Border Region (Azomia 1). MPI for Social Anthropology, Halle/Saale, Germany.

• 4–5 March 2013, **Notes on Fieldwork in Mursi and the South Omo Research Center.** Lands of the Future. MPI for Social Anthropology, Halle/Saale, Germany.


**Nathan Light**


• 22–23 February 2013, *Hieromancers of History: historicism and popular historical narratives in Kyrgyzstan.* History Making in Central and Inner Asia, Centre for Interdisciplinary Area Studies (ZIRS), Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Germany.


**Dina Makram Ebeid**


**Azim Malikov**


**Anaïs Ménard**


**Fazil Moradi**

• 27 June 2012, *The Ba‘th State of Exception: formation of authority, violence and l**ife*. 2nd Annual American University of Iraq Conference on the Middle East. Sulaimani, the Kurdistan Region of Iraq.


• 11–15 October 2012, *The Ba‘th Regime’s State of Exception: configuration of de facto sovereignty or operation Al-Anfāl*. 2nd World Kurdish Conference. Erbil, the Kurdistan Region of Iraq.


**Miladina Monova**

• 10–13 July 2012, “*We Are Too Connected” or The Ritual Side of Economy in a Macedonian Town*. Uncertainty and Disquiet, 12th EASA Biennial Conference. Nanterre, France.
Maria Nakhshina
- 5–10 August 2013, *When Russian People Claim Indigenous Status within the Russian State: Pomors’ attempt to make the state pay its moral deb.* Evolving Humanity, Emerging Worlds, 17th World Congress of the IUAES. University of Manchester, UK.

Minh T. N. Nguyen

Eleanor Peers
- May 2013, *How to Enjoy a Teetotal All-night Party: the use and abuse of alcohol at the Sakha people’s Yhyakh.* Annual Arctic Studies Conference, University of Tartu, Estonia.
- June 2013, *Znachenie predstavleniya Olongkho v sovremennykh otnosheniakh k yakutskoy etnichnosti* [The Significance of Perceptions of the Sakha Olongkho epic in contemporary attitudes towards Sakha ethnicity] Conference on the Olongkho. North-Eastern Federal University of Russia, Yakutsk, Russia.
Ioan-Mihai Popa

- 6–8 December 2012, jointly with Tatjana Thelen, *Care Migration and Reframing the “Other”. Explorations from rural Romania*. Rethinking Care: anthropological perspectives on life courses, kin-work and their trans-local entanglements, Panel: Labour Framing Care. IGK Work and Human Life Cycle in Global History, Humboldt University Berlin, Germany.

Artem Rabogoshvili

- 25–26 May 2012, *Between the Stage and the Market – appropriation of urban space by labour migrants at the time of public celebrations (the case of two Siberian cities)*. Diversity and Local Contexts: urban space, borders and migration, Panel: Migration and Culture Change. Institute of Ethnology, Academy of Sciences of the Czech Republic, Prague, Czech Republic.

Martin Ramstedt

Eberhard Schmidt-Åssmann. Forschungsstätte der Evangelischen Studiengemeinschaft, Institut für interdisziplinäre Forschung, Heidelberg, Germany.

- 20 February 2013, jointly with Marie-Claire Foblets, *Religion and the Constitution in Europe, the US and the Maghreb: anthropological perspectives*. RELIGARE-RELIGIOWEST Meeting, European University, Robert Schuman Centre for Advanced Studies, Florence, Italy.
- 19 October 2013, ‘*Indigene Völker*’ in Indonesien. Rechte indigener Völker an natürlichen Ressourcen und die Sorben/Wenden. Brandenburgische Technische Universität und Rosa-Luxemburg-Stiftung, Cottbus, Germany

**Michael Rechta**

- 19–21 July 2013, jointly with Karoline Rolle, Daniel Delchev, Mustafa Coşkun, *Continuity within Change (from three disciplines perspectives)*. Identities in (Ex) Change: interdisciplinary approaches and challenges, Summer School of the International Max Planck Research School for the Anthropology, Archaeology and History of Eurasia (IMPRS ANARCHIE). Naumburg, Germany.

**Nicole Reichert**

- 19–21 April 2013, *Laotian Migrants in the German Democratic Republic: life between official state narratives and individual migration histories*. 4th Interna-
tional Conference on Lao Studies, Panel: Migration. Centre for Southeast Asian Studies, University of Wisconsin-Madison, USA.

**Karoline Rolle**

- 19–21 July 2013, jointly with Daniel Delchev, Mustafa Coşkun, Michal Rechta, *Continuity within Change (from three disciplines perspectives)*. Identities in (Ex) Change: interdisciplinary approaches and challenges, Summer School of the International Max Planck Research School for the Anthropology, Archaeology and History of Eurasia (IMPRS ANARCHIE), Naumburg, Germany.

**Markus Rudolf**


**Daria Sambuk**


**Meltem Sancak**

- 20–22 December 2013, *Post-Soviet Migration: those who leave and those left behind (Tajikistan)*. Visible and Invisible in Central Asia: institutions and identities under transformation. Halle-Zurich Centre for the Anthropological Studies of Central Asia, Department of Social and Cultural Anthropology, University of Zurich, Switzerland.
Andrew Sanchez

- 28 January 2013, Criminal Entrepreneurship: a political economy of corruption and organised crime in India. The State in Modern India. South Asia Institute, Heidelberg University, Germany.

Gonçalo Santos

- 26–29 June 2013, Multiple Mothering and Labour Migration in Rural South China. Is Chinese Patriarchy Over? The decline and transformation of a system of social support. MPI for Social Anthropology, Halle/Saale, Germany.

Maria Sapignoli


Tabea Scharrer


Sarah Schefold


Günther Schlee


• 2 July 2013, *Collective Identification in Cities: reflections on city scale and group size*. 10th Congress of Russian Ethnographers and Anthropologists “Modern Cities and Social and Cultural Modernization of Russia”, Panel: Plenary Session. Institute of Ethnology and Anthropology, Russian Academy of Sciences, Moscow, Russia.


• 20–22 December 2013, jointly with Peter Finke, *Regional Perspective on Central Asia. Introduction. The Visible and the Invisible: institutions and identities in contemporary Central Asia*. Halle-Zurich Centre for the Anthropological Studies of Central Asia, Department of Social and Cultural Anthropology, University of Zurich, Switzerland.

**Simon Schlegel**


**Dittmar Schorkowitz**


• 19–21 July 2013, *Imperial Formations and Colonial (Trans-)Continuities: continuity within change*. Identities in (Ex)Change: interdisciplinary approaches and challenges, Summer School of the International Max Planck Research School for the Anthropology, Archaeology and History of Eurasia (IMPRS ANARCHIE). Naumburg, Germany.

**Ina Schröder**


• 31 May – 1 June 2013, *Stumbling upon a Drunk: moral, ritualistic and comic aspects of drinking*. Drinking and Driving is so much Fun: Arctic workshop. University of Tartu, Estonia.
Katrin Seidel
• 23–24 September 2013, jointly with Timm Sureau, Emerging South Sudan: negotiating statehood: an introduction. Emerging South Sudan: negotiating statehood. MPI for Social Anthropology, Halle/Saale, Germany.

Friederike Stahlmann

Jakub Štofaník
• 7–8 June 2013, Necessity of Social Reform and Vision of the Better Society in the Catholic Camp. Research Discussion ‘Reform, Secularities and Religions (19th/20th Century)’. Geisteswissenschaftliches Zentrum Geschichte und Kultur Ostmitteleuropas an der Universität Leipzig (GWZO), Germany.

Timm Sureau
• 11 –12 June 2013, The Conflict of Amee Junction – conflict over land at the road from Juba to Uganda. From a Sudan to Another: political and social restructur-
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**Oliver Tappe**


**André Thiemann**


**Tommaso Trevisani**


**Bertram Turner**


• 18–20 July 2012, *Experimenting in the Forest Laboratory: entanglements of law, knowledge, science and technology in Moroccan argan oil production.* Relocat-
ing Science and Technology: global knowledge, traveling technologies and post colonialism. Perspectives on Science and Technology Studies in the Global South. MPI for Social Anthropology, Halle/Saale, Germany.


- 5–10 August 2013, Legal Pluralism and Transnational Politics of Securitization. Evolving Humanity, Emerging Worlds, 17th World Congress of the IUAES. University of Manchester, UK.


Monica Vasile

Larissa Vettens

- 2–5 October 2013, Wie Mostarer Bürger Bindungen schaffen: Patronage und Zivilgesellschaft als Modi der Interaktion mit einem Staat im Umbruch. Ethnologie in Wissenschaft, Arbeitswelt und Öffentlichkeit. Biennial Conference of
the German Anthropological Association (DGV), Panel: Ties that Matter: Welche Bindungen greifen in politischen Umbruchssituationen. Mainz, Germany.

**Bea Vidacs**

**Xiujie Wu**

**Roberta Zavoretti**
- 26–29 June 2013, *Being the Right Woman for Mr Right. Marriage and household politics in present-day Nanjing*. Is Chinese Patriarchy Over? The decline and transformation of a system of social support. MPI for Social Anthropology, Halle/Saale, Germany.
Public Relations Work

Over the past years, MPI researchers have worked together with different media on a number of diverse topics. Sought as experts in various fields of public and political interest, our researchers have cooperated with media representatives in spreading the knowledge generated at the Institute to a wider audience.

Participation in activities such as the ‘Lange Nacht der Wissenschaften’, an annual event organised by the Martin Luther University, opens doors to the general public. On this occasion, in 2012 and 2013, we organised a film night together with the Institute for Social and Cultural Anthropology. Short presentations and ethnographic films produced by researchers of both Institutes allowed visitors to gain insights into research topics and methods.

We offer internships to young students and pupils and thus hope to spark the interest of future generations for our discipline.

Public Talks and Outreach

Judith Beyer

Małgorzata Biczyk

Astrid Bochow

Christoph Brumann

Jennifer Cash
- 6 July 2012, Der Tag des Schutzheiligen (Hramul Satului, Hramul Bisericii). Film presentation, Lange Nacht der Wissenschaften, MPI for Social Anthropology, Halle/Saale, Germany.
Daniel Delchev
• 19 August – 30 September 2013, Excavations at the Roman Agora (Forum) of Ancient Philippopolis, Archaeological Museum Plovdiv, Bulgaria.

Kirsten W. Endres

Christina Gabbert
• 15 May 2013, jointly with Bettina Mann and Ginno Ballo, Research at the Max Planck Institute for Social Anthropology: research in Southern Ethiopia; Language Acquisition, Language Corner. Dies Internationalis, Martin Luther University, Halle/Saale, Germany.
• 27 June 2013, *Research in Southern Ethiopia, Department ‘Integration and Conflict’*. Poster and abstract, Africa Day, Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Germany.

**Joachim Otto Habeck**

• 8 May – 15 June 2013, jointly with Jaroslava Panáková, *Eskimo is not Dead (Different Colours of White)*. Exhibition, Raum Hellrot, Halle (supported by Kunststiftung Saxony-Anhalt and MPI for Social Anthropology), Halle, Germany.
• 14 January 2012, *Ice*. Studio Guest, WDR 5 Oase, Westdeutscher Rundfunk (WDR), Cologne, Germany.

**Markus V. Hoehne**

• 8 March 2012, *From Trauma to Transitional Justice: legacies of violence and prospects for peace in Somalia and Afghanistan*. Department of Anthropology and Center for Military and Strategic Studies (CMSS), University of Calgary, Canada.
• 19 March 2012, *Different Views on Trauma and Transitional Justice and Their Implications for State Formation and Development in Somaliland*. Admas University, Hargeysa, Somaliland, Somalia.
• 21 March 2012, Interview with Jamhuuriya (Somaliland daily newspaper) online: http://www.togdheernews.com/v2/?p=18070.
• 24 March 2012, *Different Views on Trauma and Transitional Justice and Their Implications for State Formation and Development in Northern Somalia*. Nugaal University, Lasanod, Somaliland, Somalia.
• 31 May – 1 June 2012, *Somalia Simulation (representing Dhulbahante and Warsangeli clans in northern Somalia)*. Bureau of Intelligence and Research, U.S. Department of State, Washington, USA.
• 10 September 2012, *Somalia wählt einen neuen Präsidenten*. Interview with Deutsche Welle (DW), online: http://www.dw.de/dw/article/0,,16228948,00.html.
• 6 December 2012, How Do Hybrid Political Systems Function? What are the roles of traditional and other non-state institutions and how they can practically contribute to maintaining political order? Rethinking State-building in Somalia: reflections on negotiated statehood and hybrid political orders. Nairobi, Kenya.
• 7 May 2013, Wissenschaft und Krieg. Interview with Radio Corax (Halle), online: http://www.freie-radios.net/55862
• 28–30 November 2013, Governance Despite the State. States. Citizens and Conflicts: governance despite the state. Friedrich-Ebert-Stiftung (FES) und Stiftung Wissenschaft und Politik (SWP), Berlin, Germany.

Jacqueline Knörr
• February 2012, Legal Practices Concerning FGM Asylum Cases. Interview, Mitteldeutsche Zeitung, published 2 February 2012, Halle/Saale, Germany.
• Moderator and founding member of Facebook Pages a) “Integration and Conflict along the Upper Guinea Coast”, b) “Integration and Conflict in Southeast Asia”.
• Exhibit in the Max Planck Science Gallery in Berlin based on the publication ‘National Unity in Weak States’ by Knörr (MPG Yearbook 2011) and the film ‘We Are Tired of Running Away’, produced by Markus Rudolf in 2011, Max Planck Science Gallery in Berlin, Germany.

Patrice Ladwig

Shauna LaTosky
Azim Malikov

Fazil Moradi

Markus Rudolf

Günther Schlee

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Ina Schröder

Larissa Vettes
Research activities at the Institute are supported by a variety of training opportunities. These are organised in-house and through cooperation with the Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg (MLU), other nearby universities, the Max Planck Society, and other research institutions and initiatives at the international level. Such collaboration, e.g., the Institutes’ Colloquium and the Werkstatt Ethnologie (Anthropological Workshop), jointly organised by the MPI and the Institute for Social and Cultural Anthropology of MLU, continued in 2012–2013. Together with the Institute for Music and the Institute for Social and Cultural Anthropology, the MPI organised the ‘Ciné-Ethnography Film Series’.

Further presentations take a variety of forms, including formal talks, roundtable discussions, and film screenings. Regular fieldwork preparation and research seminars, organised by senior researchers and directors, are also offered in all Departments and Research Groups.

The Institute provides training to promote field research, data analysis, archival research and academic writing. Language training in German and support for the acquisition of necessary field languages is provided for researchers of all levels. Training in ethnographic film and in academic writing in English is offered to re-
searchers by externally recruited experts. As part of fieldwork preparation, training in the use of specific soft- and hardware is offered either by MPI staff or externally recruited experts.

In order to improve professional skills in the field of publishing, the Institute organises sessions and roundtables on how to prepare and publish a manuscript and how to deal with journals when submitting and responding to the evaluation of texts. Based on their experiences, senior researchers gave useful insights and advice on academic publishing.

Further professional training includes expert presentations on third party funding, especially on EU-research funding opportunities provided by the European Research Council and through the EU-framework programmes (FP7/Horizon 2020). These events offer the possibility to consult directly with representatives from the European Research Council and the Brussels office of the Max Planck Society. Research Coordination of the MPI supports researchers in applying for third-party funding.

Addressing Young Academics and Vocational/Professional Training

In addition to academic training, the MPI continued to offer training of administrative personnel as Verwaltungsfachangestellte (in the German dual system of professional education). In total, the Institute had two apprentices in the reporting period. One of them finished his training at the MPI in 2012.
IT Report

The IT group at the Institute is responsible for on-going development in the following areas:

• overall IT-infrastructure (server, network)
• hardware and software supply to researchers and service staff
• website and software development
• user support (IT-ticket system)
• mobile equipment for field research
• data securement

During the last two years reorganisation processes supported the adaptation of the group to the current demands of a growing scientific staff. The renewal and enhancement of basic technical infrastructure and services for staff and guests included provision of Wi-Fi access throughout the Institute, introduction of client-lifecycle management for the centralized updating of software packages to all users, and improvement of the data-managing system for the Intra- and Internet. In consultation with the researchers, field research equipment was updated through purchase of the latest technology. In early 2014 the main seminar room will be equipped for video conferences.

Securement and archiving of field data has been another focus of ongoing activities. Needs and procedures are thoroughly identifies and discussed with researchers in order to introduce guidelines and provide practical assistance. Storage media collected for the last twelve years were converted and transferred to a data backup server in a uniform way.

Library Report

Anja Neuner

The library of the Max Planck Institute for Social Anthropology is specialised in the field of social anthropology with a total stock of 36,700 monographs, 187 journal subscriptions, and 4,200 journal volumes. Ethnological films and maps add to the collection. The collection develops in tandem with the research fields and projects of the Institute and reflects the broad cooperation in research. The holdings also comprise literature from related disciplines, such as sociology, law, history, economy, political science, psychology, and philosophy.

Services, including acquisition, cataloguing, classification, and interlibrary loan, are primarily provided for researchers and international guests of the Institute. External
users such as research fellows and students of the universities Halle-Wittenberg, Leipzig, and elsewhere are welcome to use the library as a reference library.

The library enjoys international recognition as unique in the field of social anthropology and supports research with excellent information services.

Due to the establishment of the new Department ‘Law & Anthropology’ the holdings will grow by about 3,200 volumes annually. Furthermore, there is a new collection focus to be developed, which expands on the existing literature in the area of legal anthropology to a broader legal field. Themes such as normative legal orders, comparative legal theory and practice, legal cultures, religious law, race, and criminal justice are relevant for book acquisition.

At the conclusion of the Project Group Legal Pluralism, the library received a valuable donation of about 600 books from Franz and Keebet von Benda-Beckmann.

Besides the systematic physical collection, the library offers comprehensive interdisciplinary electronic information resources. All licenses are obtained in the framework of the basic provision of the Max Planck Digital Library (MPDL), the central service unit within the Max Planck Society. In the past two years, the digital library increased by a number of new eBook licenses and legal databases important to the Institute’s research. The Library Committee of the MPI supported the evaluation of the electronic resources to assess the local need and evaluated the library’s journal subscriptions with regard to current needs and research foci.

In the field of information dissemination, the library staff introduced three new cohorts of researchers and numerous guests to library services. A particular challenge was the training of users for the online legal research databases due to the rather complex search forms. As part of the collaboration with MLU, each winter term, the MPI organises an introduction to the Institute’s library resources and research programme for entering undergraduates. Students are also informed about all events open to young academics, as well as possibilities for internships.

In collaboration with the research coordinator of the Institute and a colleague from the MPDL the staff organised a workshop on Open Access to support the Open Access policy of the Max Planck Society.

Significant progress has been achieved in the retrospective data entry of Institute publications into the repository of the Max Planck Society with the future intention to enrich the publication data with full texts and to re-use them on the websites of the Institute to enhance visibility.
Equal Opportunities and Support of Scientists

Providing equal opportunities for researchers who differ by gender, age, and national background has always been of particular concern at the MPI for Social Anthropology. Within the legal framework for contracts and stipends in the German academic system, the Institute tries to find suitable solutions for researchers with different positions.

**MPI for Social Anthropology Personnel: Gender and Position**

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academic backgrounds and family situations. The Institute takes various measures to facilitate the combination of family and career, for example, in providing support for obtaining child care and offering flexible working hours. The Max Planck Society works with the Besser Betreut GmbH which offers a variety of child-care services. The Institute’s service people help to ensure the convenient placement of pre-school age children in Kindergartens, day care centres, or with day nannies. The Max Planck Society bears the expenses of placement services, and makes a contribution to service providers in order to reserve a certain number of places. We currently have cooperation agreements with two facilities near the Institute where the children of staff and stipend holders can receive full-time care until they reach school-age. Because anthropologists undertake fieldwork for extended periods, the Institute also finds it essential to support researchers by covering costs for children who accompany their mother or father in field research.

New researchers and guests are provided with a welcome-folder containing helpful information about the Institute and the city of Halle. Additional support and assistance in practical matters – especially for non-German colleagues – is given by the Department secretaries, Research Coordination, and the MPI Administration. Although English is the major language of communication at the Institute, colleagues are encouraged to learn German. Basic German training is offered by the Institute, but participation in classes at language schools or organised by the PhD Network of the International Graduate Academy of the Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg is also supported financially.
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