



First International Conference

Mobilities and Transformations: Perspectives from the Americas
Movilidades y transformaciones: perspectivas desde las Américas
June 26th to 28th, 2019

Wednesday, June 26th

Venue: KH Senatssaal, Universitätsstraße 15

14:00 **Registration**

15:00 **Conference Opening (English)**

Prof. Dr. Andrea Pagni, Director at BAYLAT (Bayerisches Hochschulzentrum für Lateinamerika)

Prof. Dr. Silke Jansen, Chair of Romance Languages (Spanish) and Spokeswoman at the Center for Area Studies, Section Ibero-America, FAU Erlangen-Nürnberg

Opening remarks by RIIA - Interdisciplinary Research Network on the Americas

Launching e-journal *americana*

16:00 **Prof. Dr. Heike Paul**, Chair of North American Studies, FAU Erlangen-Nürnberg

Keynote Address: Mobility Studies Meets Affect Studies (English)

17:00 **Annasophia Heintze**, Guest Speaker, UNHCR (United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees)

“Forced Displacement in the Americas – insights into UNHCR’s response to Colombia, Venezuela and North of Central America situations” (English)

18:00 **Welcome Reception**

19:00 **Books and Poetry** (different languages)

Facilitators: Vanesa Cotroneo, M.A., FAU Erlangen-Nürnberg;

Ing. Rafael Mazzola: Raíces culturales en el exterior

Poets: Douglas Téllez (Nicaragua), Jamile do Carmo (Brazil), Sushmitha Mariyada (India), Andrea Collados (Argentina), Andrew Wildermuth (United States)

Presentación de libro: Dr. Juan Dukuen. *Habitus y dominación en la antropología de Pierre Bourdieu. Una crítica desde la fenomenología de Maurice Merleau-Ponty*

Thursday, 27th

Venue: KH Senatssaal, Universitätsstraße 15

09:45 **First Panel: “Return of Conservative Governments in the Americas: regional governance of migrations under threat?”** (English)

Chair: Juan Carlos Aguirre, M.A., Doctoral Researcher FAU Erlangen-Nürnberg

Paloma Torres, M.A., Universidad Católica Silva Henríquez, Chile

“Ideology or pragmatism: Migration policies in Chile and Argentina”

Dania Hamdan, Sapienza Università di Roma, Italy

“Seeking security? Migratory flows between Middle East – Latin America and Latin America – Europe”

Axelle Germanaz, M.A., Doctoral Researcher FAU Erlangen-Nürnberg

“Imagining the Border, Constructing the Nation: The Migrant in the Trump Era”

12:00 **Lunch (Self-Organized) and change of venue**

Venue: FAU Learning-Lab, Henkestr. 91

14:00 **Taller “El Otro en medios masivos: representaciones y discursos sobre migrantes. Venezolanos en Colombia y centroamericanos en México”** (Spanish)

Facilitators: Gustavo Gutiérrez, Sijé Vargas, FAU Erlangen-Nürnberg

Gregorio Vargas, Freelance digital journalist Mexico/U.S border

16:00 **Coffee Break**

16:30 **Film screening and discussion: “Chocolate of Peace”**, A film by Gwen Burnyeat and Pablo Mejía Trujillo about the Peace Community of San José de Apartadó in Colombia (O.V. Spanish with English subtitles)

Q&A session with Gwen Burnyeat, producer and co-director of *Chocolate of Peace*, Doctoral Researcher University College London (video-conference, Spanish and English)

Facilitators: Edna Guerrero M.A. Doctoral Researcher FAU Erlangen-Nürnberg, Paulina Martínez M.A., FAU Erlangen-Nürnberg

Friday, 28th

Venue: KH Senatssaal, Universitätsstraße 15

09:45 **Second Panel “La era del Post-acuerdo en Colombia: de la guerra a la construcción de paz territorial”** (English and Spanish)

Chair: William Bastidas (Chief Editor for Latinotopia, Radio Z e. V., Community Radio Nürnberg and member of Kolko e. V.)

Natalia Velásquez, M.A., Doctoral Researcher at KU Eichstätt-Ingolstadt

“El vínculo entre la paz y el desarrollo en escenarios de post-acuerdo y conflictos en Colombia”

Dr. Luis Berneth Peña, Center for Reconciliation Studies, Friedrich-Schiller-Universität Jena

“Peace: rebuilding the collective functions of the territory”

Rory Alejandra Rojas, Art Director at Communic’arte Association, Paris, France

“Mediación Artística y Arteterapia como alternativas para la transformación”

12:00 **Lunch (Self-Organized) and change of venue**

Venue: Bismarckstr. 1, C301

13:00 **Third Panel “Más allá de la nación: Transculturación y extraterritorialidad en la literatura latinoamericana”** (Spanish)

Chair: Prof. Dr. Andrea Pagni, FAU Erlangen-Nürnberg

Dr. Pablo Larreátegui, Freie Universität Berlin

“Rolando Sánchez Mejías: escribir desde afuera con un ojo en el adentro “

Dr. Fabio Jurado, Universidad Nacional de Colombia

“La literatura Latinoamericana: una escritura de la transculturación”

14:30 **Coffee-break**

15:00 **Fourth Panel “Motivations, contexts and consequences: The migrants of the Americas”** (English and Spanish)

Chair: Jana Aresin, M.A., Doctoral Researcher FAU Erlangen-Nürnberg

Julia Kieslinger, M.A., Doctoral Researcher FAU Erlangen-Nürnberg

“Spatial (im)mobilities of people, changing living conditions and everyday practices in rural Ecuador”

Dr. Juan Dukuen, Ibero-Amerikanisches Institut Berlin -CONICET-CIS/IDES, Universidad de Buenos Aires

“Trayectorias educativas y procesos de socialización en estudiantes universitarios argentinos en Berlín”

Dr. Carlos Mora, Max Planck Institute for Social Anthropology

“Mexican Migration in Germany: the case of Mexican Women in Mixed Marriages in Berlin”

16:30 **Testimonies and experiential workshop “Migrants as agents of change: art as a transformational tool”** (English and Spanish)

Chair: Daniela Gutiérrez, M.A., Doctoral Researcher FAU Erlangen-Nürnberg

Video testimonies from migrant artists in the United States

Rory Alejandra Rojas, Art Director at Communic’arte

Taller experiencial de mediación artística “Paisaje interior, territorios comunes”

18:00 **Final Remarks** by RIIA- Red de Investigación Interdisciplinaria de las Américas