

IGK 1705/1: "The World in the City:  
Metropolitanism and Globalization from the 19<sup>th</sup> Century to the Present"

Winter Semester 2012/13

**Colloquium:**  
"Research Projects and Research Applications"

Center for Metropolitan Studies  
Thursdays, 10:00 -12:00  
HBS 109

Conveners:  
Prof. Dr. Harald Bodenschatz  
JProf. Dr. Dorothee Brantz

The purpose of this research colloquium is to allow fellows to present their work in progress and to introduce the research projects of invited guests. Moreover, each semester we will pursue a specific topic that is relevant to the goals of the program as a whole. During the winter semester 2012/13, we will focus on different types of research funding and the requisite project proposals. The goal of this semester is to gain an understanding of the diverse funding sources for post-graduate research projects and to discuss the conceptualization of such research projects.

**Session Schedule**

**November 8<sup>th</sup>, 2012**

Opening Session: "The Research Aims of the Program"

Reading: Research Section of the IGK Application

**November 15<sup>th</sup>, 2012**

Francesca Weber-Newth (Aberdeen, CMS guest researcher), "Hackney Wick: The Forgotten Corner of the London 2012 Experience?"

Reading: Pre-Circulated Paper

November 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2012

Laura Calbet, "Spekulative Stadtproduktion: Operationalisierung des Forschungsvorhabens"

Reading: Pre-Circulated September Paper

Antonio Carbone, "Migration and the Construction of Urban Space: Italian Women in Buenos Aires. 1870-1914"

Reading: Pre-Circulated September Paper

**November 29<sup>th</sup>, 2012**

Suleiman Osman (George Washington University, Washington D.C.), "The New Localism: Citizens Initiatives and Neighborhood Politics in North America and Europe in the 1970s"

**December 6<sup>th</sup>, 2012 (Raum 606)**

Berit Hummel, "Taking Over the City: Die Neuordnung von Wahrnehmung der Stadt im narrativen Film der 1950er bis 1970er"

Reading: Pre-Circulated September Paper

Anna Steigemann, "Local Businesses and Social Life in Metropolitan Neighborhoods"

Reading: Pre-Circulated September Paper

**December 13<sup>th</sup>, 2012**

Johanna Rohlf, "Jazz on a Journey: Sam Wooding and His Orchestra at Berlin's Admiralspalast in May 1925"

Reading: Pre-Circulated Paper

**December 20<sup>th</sup>, 2012**

Discussion with Margit Mayer of her essay "Metropolitan Research in Transatlantic Perspective: Differences, Similarities, and Conceptual Diffusion"

Reading: Essay from *Thick Space: Approaches to Metropolitanism*. Edited by Dorothee Brantz, Sasha Disco, and Georg Wagner-Kyora (Bielefeld: Transcript, 2012), 105-124.

**January 10<sup>th</sup>, 2013**

Sabine Barthold, "Title tba"

Reading: Pre-Circulated Paper

**January 17<sup>th</sup>, 2013**

Dorothee Brantz, "City Seasons: On the Nature of Change in Urban Space"

Reading: Pre-Circulated Paper

**January 24<sup>th</sup>, 2013**

Harald Bodenschatz, “Städtebau in europäischen Diktaturen der Zwischenkriegszeit: Ein Forschungsdesiderat“

Reading: Harald Bodenschatz, „Urban Design, Architecture, and Representation of European Dictatorships in the 1930s and 1940s“

**January 31<sup>st</sup>, 2013**

Ilse Helbrecht, “Political Geographies of the Everyday: Mundane Moments of Social Interaction in the City of Berlin”

**February 7<sup>th</sup>, 2013**

Sam Merrill, “Kein Vergeben! Kein Vergessen!”: The Active Remembrance of Silvio Meier at U-Bahnhof Samariterstrasse“

Reading: Pre-Circulated Paper

**February 14<sup>th</sup>, 2013**

Christian Haid, “(In)Stabilities in Diasporic Food Practices: On Informalities and Conflict in Multicultural Public Space“

Reading: Pre-Circulated Paper