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Humanity, Humanities, and the Planet

Syllabus

Preparatory Sessions/Reading Group

Friday, November 9, 2007, 12.15 p.m., Sonderbau II (SB II), room 03-134
Introduction, Dr. habil. Nadja Gernalzick, American Studies, Mainz University

Friday, December 14, 2007, 2.00 – 4.45 p.m., Philosophicum, room P 105
A Critique of Culture: Art and Politics
Jun.Prof. Dr. Alexandra Karentzos, Art History/CEPOG, Trier University


Friday, December 21, 2007, 2.00 – 4.45 p.m., Philosophicum, room P 105

Humanity, Humanities, and the Planet, Dr. habil. Nadja Gernalzick


Guest Professor Gayatri Chakravorty Spivak Ph.D.

**Tuesday, January 8, 2008, 6.15 - 8.30 p.m., Senatssaal NatFak**

Alterglobalization and Conceptual Art

relationship between art and politics, Abderrahmane Sissako's film *Bamako*, Ruben Santiago's "Turning a Public Toilet into a Spa," questions of autonomy of art, role of museums, mediation between production and audience of art in globalized world

**Wednesday, January 9, 2008, 6.15 - 8.30 p.m., Dekanatssaal ReWi oder Senatssaal NatFak**

Academic Activism in the Humanities

role of the humanities in globalizing the curriculum as well as in building a just world

**Thursday, January 10, 2008, 6.15 – 8.30 p.m., Atrium Maximum, Alte Mensa**

Public Lecture RETHINKING COMPARATIVISM

**Monday, January 14, 2008, 6.15 - 8.30 pm, Senatssaal NatFak**

Gender and Subalternity


**Wednesday, January 16, 2008, 6.15 - 8.30 pm, Senatssaal NatFak**

