

International Conference ITN CoHaB:
“Diasporic Constructions of Home and Belonging”
(September 22-24, 2013)

Sunday, 22nd September

15:30- Registration [English Department, ground floor]

18:00

19:00 *Shuttle bus leaving from Wilkinghege*

19:30 Conference warming

A2 am See, Annette-Allee 3, 48149 Münster

22:30 *Shuttle bus returning to Wilkinghege*

Monday, 23rd September

08:00 Registration

08:15 *Shuttle bus leaving from Wilkinghege*

09:00 **Conference opening** [Audimax]

Homi K. Bhabha, Harvard University:

‘Living Side By Side: On Culture and Security’

Introduction: Klaus Stierstorfer, WWU Münster

10:30 Coffee break and registration

12:00 Lunch

13:00 **Panel session 1:**

'Narrating Space(s)' [Room 130], 'Diaspora and International Political Discourse' [Room 226], 'Constructing the Domestic' [Room 227], 'Constructing Afrosporic Identities' [Room ES24]

14:30 Coffee break

15:00 **Panel session 2:**

'Gendering Diasporas' [Room 130], 'Fictions of Home' [Room 226], '(Re)Negotiating Exile' [Room 227], 'Pre- and Early Modern Constructions of Home' [Room ES24]

16:30 Coffee break

17:00 **Panel session 3:**

'Jewish Perspectives on Home and Belonging' [Room 226], 'Houses as Imagined Home Spaces' [Room 227], 'Diaspora and Material Culture' [Room ES 24]

- 19:30 *Shuttle bus leaving from the English Department*
- 20:00 Conference dinner
Hotel Schloss Wilkinghege, Steinfurter Straße 374, 48159 Münster

Tuesday, 24th September

- 08:30 *Shuttle bus leaving from Wilkinghege*
- 09:00 **Amitava Kumar, Vassar College:**
'A Rat's Guide to Provincial Life' [Audimax]
Introduction: Janet Wilson, The University of Northampton
- 10:00 Coffee break
- 10:30 **Panel session 4:**
'Diaspora and National Identity' [Room 130], 'At Home in the Far East? Constructions of Home in Asian Diasporas' [Room 226], 'Imaginary Homelands?' [Room 227], 'Turkish Diasporic Identities' [Room ES24]
- 12:00 Lunch
- 13:00 **Pnina Werbner, Keele University:**
'The Boundaries of Diaspora: a Critical Response to Brubaker' [Audimax]
Introduction: Erik Olsson, Stockholm University
- 14:00 **Panel session 5:**
'At Home in Faith: Religious Diasporas' [Room 130], 'Conceptualizing the Metropolitan Diasporic Space' [Room 226], 'Intra-National Diasporas: the Home within' [Room 227], 'Spaces of Displacement' [Room ES24]
- 15:30 Coffee break and poster session [ground floor]
- 16:30 **Ihab Hassan, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee:**
'Extraterritorial: Exile, Diaspora, and the Ground Under Your Feet.' [Audimax]
Introduction: Klaus Stierstorfer, WWU Münster
- 17:30 **CoHaB Advisory Board panel discussion:**
'Diaspora Studies in the 21st Century' [Audimax]
Avtar Brah, Birkbeck
Khachig Tölölyan, Wesleyan University
Chair: Elleke Boehmer, University of Oxford
- 19:00 *Shuttle bus returning to Wilkinghege*
- 19:30 Informal dinner (optional)
Il Cucchiaio d'Argento, Überwasserstraße 3, 48143 Münster
- 22:00 *Shuttle bus returning to Wilkinghege*