

# Queer Theory in Transit: Cross-Cultural Perspectives

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### **Queer Theory in Transit:**

### **Cross-Cultural Perspectives**

Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, 27-29 September 2023 Unter den Linden 6, R. Room 2249a (Marmorsaal)

### Wednesday, 27 September 2023

- 14:30 Arrival, Welcome
- 14:45 Tomasz Basiuk (University of Warsaw) / Eveline Kilian (Humboldt University of Berlin)
  Introducing "Queer Theory in Transit"
- 15:15 General Round of Introduction (all participants)

### 16:15 Panel "Demotic Literature"

Input and Presentations by: Barbara Dynda (University of Warsaw), Krystyna Mazur (University of Warsaw), Tijana Ristic Kern (Humboldt University of Berlin), Maria Alexopoulos (University of British Columbia)

Ludmila Janion (University of Warsaw): Commentary on the Feminist Reception of Queer Theory in Poland

### 17:00 Coffee Break

### 17:15 Reading Group

"Introduction" and "Epilogue" from Kadji Amin's *Disturbing Attachments: Genet, Modern Pederasty, and Queer History* (2017) – introduced by Anna Kurowicka

(University of Warsaw)

David L. Eng and Jasbir Puar, "Introduction" to *Left of Queer* (issue of *Social Text*, 2020) and Matt Brim and Amin Ghaziani, "Introduction" to *Queer Methods* (issue of *Women's Studies Quarterly*, 2016) – introduced by Karolina Krasuska (University of Warsaw)

19:30 Dinner (Hummus and Friends, Oranienburger Str. 27)

### Thursday, 28 September 2023

### 9:45 Arrival

### 10:00 Panel "Queer Temporalities"

Aleksandra Malinowska (University of Warsaw): Reception and Production in Polish Academia

Felix Schmidt (Humboldt University of Berlin): Reception and Production in German Academia

Maria Alexopoulos (University of British Columbia): Commentary and Contextualization from a North American Perspective

12:00 Lunch (Jolly, Am Kupfergraben 4/4a)

### 13:30 Panel "Local Antecedents"

Janin Afken (Humboldt University of Berlin): Non-heteronormative Conceptions of Gender and Sexuality in Female\* Authors around 1900

Przemysław Górecki (University of Warsaw): Antecedents of Queer Concepts in Poland Susanne Hochreiter (University of Vienna): Commentary and Queer Antecedents in Austria

- 15:15 Coffee Break
- 15:45 Individual Work Packages **Groups Meetings**: Discussion of work in progress and models of cooperation
- 17:15 Methods Panel: Challenges, resources, research questions
  Moderation: Eveline Kilian (Humboldt University of Berlin) / Tomasz Basiuk (University of Warsaw)
- 18:45 End of Day

# Friday, 29 September 2023:

### 9:45 Arrival

# 10:00 Panel "Queer and the (Digital) Media"

Konstantin Helm (Humboldt University of Berlin): Trans\* in Digital Media
Tamara Radak (University of Vienna): Activist Media Practices

# 11:15 Team & Orga-Meeting and Future Planning

Website, Repository and Moodle

Input and Discussion: Janin Afken (Humboldt University of Berlin) / Przemysław Górecki (University of Warsaw) / Luca Michael (Humboldt University of Berlin)

# 12:30 End of Workshop