



**'COLD WAR
DIS:CONNECTIONS AND
THE TRANSFORMATION
OF INTERNATIONALISMS'
INTERNATIONAL WORKSHOP**

Place and Date:

Munich, 8-10 June 2022

Host institution:

Käte Hamburger Research Centre *global dis:connect*,
LMU Munich

Organisers:

Dr. Ann-Sophie Schoepfel, LMU

Dr. Chen Hao, Cambridge/Yale

Dr. Andrew Levidis, ANU

Daniel Ricardo Quiroga Villamarin, Graduate
Institute, Geneva

Keynotes:

Dr. Steffi Marung, Leipzig University

Prof. Dr. Adam Carthcart, University of Leeds

Prof. Dr. Lorenz Lüthi, University McGill

Wednesday, 8 June

- 14:30** **Welcome by Prof. Dr. Roland Wenzlhuber**, Director of The Käte Hamburger Research Centre 'Dis:connectivity in Processes of Globalisation'
- 15:00-16:30** **Session 1. Imperial Disconnections: United Nations and the Emergence of Globalism**
- Discussant: Dr. Gabriela Frei, Research Assistant and Lecturer, Bundeswehr University Munich
- 15:10-15:30 'Blue Helmet Bureaucrats: United Nations Peacekeeping and the Reinvention of Colonialism, 1946-1971', Dr. Margot Tudor, Postdoctoral Research Fellow, University of Exeter
- 15:30-15:50 'From High Imperialism to Cold War Divisions: The French Imperial Crisis in Indochina and the Global Humanitarian Moment, 1948-1951', Dr. Ann-Sophie Schoepfel, Research Fellow, LMU
- 15:50-16:10 'Ahead of the Times: Erecting the United Nations Headquarters at the Dawn of the Cold War, 1949-1952', Daniel Ricardo Quiroga Villamarín, PhD Candidate, Graduate Institute
- 16:10-16:30 Break
- 16:30-18:00** **Keynote Lecture I.**
- 'Productive Incongruencies: Black Activists and the Geographies of Internationalism between a Radical Atlantic and the Soviet Union'**
- Dr. Steffi Marung, Leipzig University**
- 18:00. Apéritif Dinatoire

Thursday, 9 June.

- 08:00-09:10** **Session 2. Afro-Asian Solidarity through the Lens of East Asia**
- Discussant: Dr. Andrew Levidis, Assistant Professor, ANU
- 08:10-08:30 'Building Legitimacy of an Anti-Imperial Chinese State: Republic of China in the 1947 Asian Relations Conference', Dr. Chen Hao, Postdoctoral Research Fellow, Cambridge/Yale University
- 08:30-08:50 'Nationalist tour in the Commonwealth: Singapore's pursuit of self-government, the Cold War, and the hierarchical order of states', Muhammad Suhail Bin Mohamed Yazid, PhD Candidate, University of Cambridge

09:10-10:40

Session 3. South-South Internationalisms in the Cold War

Discussant: Daniel Ricardo Quiroga Villamarin, PhD Candidate, Graduate Institute, Geneva

09:20-09:40

'The Unofficial Secretary of State: Claude Barnett and Pan-African Internationalism during the Cold War, 1947-1957', Ngozi Edeagu, PhD Candidate, University of Bayreuth

09:40-10:00

'Intimacies and Frictions: Exiled Anti-Apartheid Movements in Cold War Tanzania, 1961-1976', Yasmina Martin, PhD Candidate, Yale University

10:00-10:20

'Anti-Aid Internationale: Resistance to Foreign Aid as Internationalism, 1961-1981', Dr. Agnieszka Sobocinska, Reader in International History and Historical Geography, King's College London

10:40-11:00.

Break

11:00-12:30

Keynote Lecture II.

'Transnational Cold War Encounters: Patterns of Interaction & Shadows of Violence in Northeast Asia, 1945-1953'

Prof. Dr. Adam Carthcart, University of Leeds

12:30-14:00

Lunch

14:00-15:30

Session 4. Freedom Fighters, War on Drugs, and the Arms Race

Discussant: Dr. Ann-Sophie Schoepfel, Research Fellow, LMU

14:10-14:30

'Internationalizing the 'Freedom Fighter' as Prisoner of War in the Armed Struggle Against White Minority Rule in Southern Africa, 1960', Dr. Boyd van Dijk, McKenzie Postdoctoral Fellow, University of Melbourne

14:30-14:50

'Discontinuities of the Cold War and the global war on drugs', Dr. Ned Richardson-Little, Assistant Professor, University of Erfurt

14:50-15:10

'Defeating Détente? A New History of China and the Cold War Global Arms Race, 1977-1980', Dr. Sheng Peng, Postdoctoral Fellow, University of Vienna

15:30-16:40

Session 5. Rethinking Cold War Gender History

Discussant: Dr. Robert Kramm, Freigeist-Fellow, LMU

15:40-16:00

'Socialist Internationalists: Local, Global and Gendered Aspirations', Dr. Réka Krizmanics, Research Fellow, Imre Kertész Kolleg, Jena

16:20-16:40 'The Women Behind the Bamboo Curtain: Admiration and Anxiety towards 'Red China' in Japanese Cold War Women's Magazines', Jana Aresin, PhD Candidate, FAU

17:00-19:00 Visit of the Documentation Center for the History of National Socialism

19:30 Dinner

Friday, 10 June.

08:00-08:30 Book Reading, Book Presentation.

'Fugitives. The Extraordinary Tale of Nazi Agents in the Cold War'

Dr Danny Orbach, Writer and Senior Lecturer, Hebrew University of Jerusalem

08:30-10:00 Session 6. Conservative Internationalism(s)

Discussant: Dr. Chen Hao, Postdoctoral Fellow, Cambridge/Yale University

08:40-09:00 'Toward a Global History of Abe Fortas's Concerning Dissent and Civil Disobedience', Eraldo Souza dos Santos, PhD Candidate, Panthéon-Sorbonne University

09:00-09:20 'Making Amnesty international? Connections and Disconnections in Human Rights Activism, 1970s-1980s', Dr. Michelle Carmody, Marie Skłodowska Curie fellow, KU Leuven

09:20-09:40 'Anti-Communism as the Only Road to Modernization: Asian Parliamentarians Union, 1963-1975', Dr. Andrew Levidis, Assistant Professor, ANU

10:00-10:30 Break

10:30-12:00 Keynote Lecture III.

'Towards a New Understanding of the Global Cold War?'

Prof. Dr. Lorenz Lüthi, University McGill

12:00-13:00 Roundtable Discussion and Concluding Remarks

13:00 Lunch