

Intersections 2017:

Queer / Migration / Legality

Intersections is a network dedicated to examining various forms of intersectional discrimination. Aiming at organizing workshops and talks, Intersections wants to address the current state and future challenges LGBTQIA* people face. The network closely collaborates with Saarland University's Forum Geschlechterforschung (Forum Gender Studies) and the student group AK Queer UdS.

Commemorating Orlando

In order to commemorate the victims of the attack in Orlando, we meet on 17 and 18 June 2017 to discuss different academic and activist perspectives on Queer People of Color and Queer migration. We have invited inter-national scholars and activists who will give lectures and presentations, and we organize a round-table.

The Pulse goes on

Just like the Pride events that have developed from riots born as a reaction to violent attacks to joyful celebrations of LGBTQIA* life, we also want to party in the evening as a queer way of commemorating the victims of the Pulse nightclub, and we conclude our event with the party event "The Pulse goes on, " hosted by Einraum.

PROGRAM

Saturday, June 17, 2017

12.00 – 12.30 pm: **Opening**

12.30 – 01.30 pm: Domenic Beneventi (Université de Sherbrooke):

The Queer Body as Archive

01.30 – 01.45 pm: **Coffee Break**

01.45 – 03.00 pm: **Panel Short Presentations**

Markus Hetheier (UdS), Fareed Khoury, Winer Ramirez Diaz (EHESS Paris), Eva Nossem (UdS)

03.00 – 03.15 pm: **Coffee Break**

03.15 – 04.15 pm: Kathi Wiedlack (Universität Wien) & Masha Neufeld (TU Dresden)

(What are) the limits of solidarity? Some thoughts on representation, individual experience, identity, difference and how to share privileges

04.15 – 04.30 pm: **Coffee Break**

04.30 – 05.30 pm: Fadi Saleh (Universität Göttingen):

Queer Humanitarianism in the time of War: An Ethnography of the Emergence of Syrian LGBTIQ Refugees

10.00 pm - : Einraum

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Sunday, June 18, 2017

10.00 – 11.00 am: **Breakfast**

11.00 – 12.00 pm: Ahmed Hamila (Université de Montréal):

Toward a Common European Asylum System? The Case of Asylum Seekers Persecuted because of their Sexual Orientation and/or Gender Identity

12.00 – 12.30 pm: **Panel "Queer Refugees for Pride"**

Abdullah Albusaidi, Alia Khanum & Javid Nabijev:

The Situation of Queer Refugees in Germany

12.30 – 01.30 pm: **Round Table Discussion**

01.30 – 03.00 pm: **Film**

03.00 pm: **Closing Remarks**

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