

## “Transnational\_History\_Lab” Program

**Dates:** Monday, 5. February to Saturday, 10. February 2024

**Venue:** “Josephs - Das Offene Innovationslabor” (Augustinerstraße 19, 90403, Nuremberg)

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### Description of formats:

- **Workshops:** For each junior scholar’s paper, a total of 45 minutes is allotted. The participants are given 5-10 minutes to present their papers, followed by a discussion of around 35 minutes. For each presentation, a junior scholar will be appointed to give first comments alongside the senior scholar. After the assigned junior and senior researcher have presented their feedback, the floor will be opened for the rest of the group. There is a 10-minute break following each presentation.
- **Walk-and-talk:** 1-2 senior scholars are paired with junior scholars to talk a walk and discuss a specific topic. Care will be taken to combine scholars across the main themes of the winter school to ensure new contacts.
- **Practical experiences from research groups:** Different research groups with knowledge on transnational history are represented at the winter school. These groups will be given the opportunity to present their on-going projects and share their experiences.
- **Group work on policy presentation and research contributions:** Each group (to be determined at the winter school) will be given the task to collectively present how their research will contribute to “Researching research” agenda as well as to prepare short policy briefings. The groups will be asked to answer key questions like: how does their specific theme relate to current societal debates? What are the implications of their research? What are the contributions of their presentations both to research and other potential benefactors?

During the presentation round on Friday 9. February, each group will be given 10 minutes to concisely present their findings to the other participants of the Winter School. A round of rapid-fire questions will then follow from both the junior and senior scholars. This will test the presentation, time management, and collaboration skills of the junior scholars, as well as their ability to think outside of academia.

Time	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Monday, 5. February: International Organizations</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Invited experts:</b> Dr. Véronique Plata-Stenger, Université de Genève; Dr. Linda Richards, Oregon State University</p>
9.30-10.00	<b>Registration</b>
10.00–10.30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Introduction by the organizers</li> <li>- Presentation of the program and aims of the winter school</li> </ul>
10.30–11.30	Practical experiences from a research project by Prof. Dr. Maria Rentetzi, Dr. Véronique Plata-Stenger, Dr. Linda Richards, and Dr. Aske Hennelund Nielsen
11.30–12.30	Introduction to policy briefs with Dr. Casimiro Vizzini
12.30–14.00	Lunch break
14.00–18.00	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <i>Myriam Hélène Blanche Piguet</i>: "Working Bees in International Organizations" <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o Senior commentator: Linda Richards</li> <li>o Junior commentator: Gabriella Rago</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p>10-minute break</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <i>Yi-Fan HU</i>: "Making China's Monuments" <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o Senior commentator: Véronique Plata-Stenger</li> <li>o Junior commentator: Roque Manuel Jimenez Sumalave</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p>10-minute break</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <i>Panagiotis Karagkounis</i>: "Spaces of Humanitarianism" <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o Senior commentator: Véronique Plata-Stenger</li> <li>o Junior commentator: Milton Fernando Gonzalez Rodriguez</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p>10-minute break</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <i>Giorgos Skamantzouras</i>: "Selling Greece" <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o Senior commentator: Véronique Plata-Stenger</li> <li>o Senior commentator: Zinovia Lialiouti</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
19.30–23.00	<p style="text-align: center;">First dinner at "NAMASTE" (Hirschelgasse 1, 90403 Nürnberg <a href="https://namastenuremberg.de/">https://namastenuremberg.de/</a>)</p>

<b>Time</b>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Tuesday, 6. February: International Organizations</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Invited experts:</b>          Dr. Véronique Plata-Stenger, Université de Genève;          Dr. Linda Richards, Oregon State University</p>
<b>10.00–11.45</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <i>Gabriella Rago</i>: "Fusion valley"             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o Senior commentator: Linda Richards</li> <li>o Junior commentator: Anne Schult</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p>10-minute break</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <i>Loukas Freris</i>: "Transnational Perspectives on the History of the International Atomic Energy Agency"             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o Senior commentator: Linda Richards</li> <li>o Junior commentator: Austen Van Burns</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<b>11.45–12.30</b>	Walk-and-talk between the senior and junior scholars
<b>12.30–14.00</b>	Lunch break
	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Tuesday, 6. February: Global Histories of Anti-Nuclear Activism</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Invited experts:</b>          Dr. Luc-André Brunet, Open University</p>
<b>14.00–15.45</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <i>Derek Kramer</i>: "Atomic Circulations and Cold War Contestations"             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o Senior commentator: Luc-André Brunet</li> <li>o Junior commentator: Joël Praz</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p>10-minute break</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <i>Sanja Petkovska</i>: "The Legacy of Anti-nuclear engagement of E. P. Thompson in the Context of Global History"             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o Senior commentator: Luc-André Brunet</li> <li>o Junior commentator: Gloria Maritza Gómez Revuelta</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<b>15.45–17.30</b>	Break
<b>17.30–21.30</b>	<p style="text-align: center;">Special showing and discussion of the film "Oppenheimer" (2023), at the cinema "Cinecitta" (Gewerbemuseumsplatz 3, 90403 Nürnberg  <a href="https://www.cinecitta.de/">https://www.cinecitta.de/</a>)</p>

Time	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Wednesday, 7. February:</b> <b>Scientific and technological standards and standard setting</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Invited experts:</b> Dr. Aske Hennelund Nielsen, Friedrich-Alexander-Universität; Professor Dr. Maria Rentetzi, Friedrich-Alexander University</p>
10.00–11.15	<p><b>First keynote presentation:</b> Dr. Véronique Plata-Stenger, Université de Genève: “How much Radiation Can a Worker Take? International Organizations and Standardization in Occupational Radiation Protection after the Second World War”</p>
11.15–12.30	<p><b>Presentation</b> by Dr. Gabriella Ivacs, Head of Section ARMS at the International Atomic Energy Agency: “The Archives and Nuclear Heritage: material practices anticipating and resourcing distant futures in the present.”</p>
12.30–14.00	Lunch break
14.00–16.30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <i>Milton Fernando Gonzalez Rodriguez</i>: “Healthy Standards” <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o Senior commentator: Aske Hennelund Nielsen</li> <li>o Junior commentator: Myriam H�el�ene Blanche Piguet</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p>10-minute break</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <i>Roque Manuel Jimenez Sumalave</i>: “Standardization of fracking in Colombia” <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o Senior commentator: Aske Hennelund Nielsen</li> <li>o Junior commentator: Loukas Freris</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p>10-minute break</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <i>Jo�el Praz</i>: “Harmonizing the power of patents under the Paris Union” <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o Senior commentator: Maria Rentetzi</li> <li>o Junior commentator: Sanja Petkovska</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
16.30–16.45	Break
16.45–18.00	Group work on policy presentation and research contributions Supervised by: Dr. Zinovia Lialiouti.
19.30–23.00	Second dinner at “RAMENCADO” (F�arberstr. 42, 90402 N�urnberg <a href="https://www.ramencado.de/">https://www.ramencado.de/</a> )

<b>Time</b>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Thursday, 8. February:          Scientists in Exile</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Invited expert:</b>          Prof. Dr. Agustí Nieto-Galan, Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona</p>
<b>10.00–11.15</b>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Second keynote presentation:</b> Prof. Dr. Agustí Nieto-Galan, Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona:          ‘REFUGEE SCHOLARS: Rethinking the “République des lettres” in the Twentieth Century’</p>
<b>11.15–12.30</b>	<p>Practical experiences from a research project by Dr. Luc-André Brunet</p>
<b>12.30–14.00</b>	<p style="text-align: center;">Lunch break</p>
<b>14.00–16.35</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <i>Anne Schult</i>: “In the Shadow Realm of Numbers”             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o Senior commentator: Agustí Nieto-Galan</li> <li>o Junior commentator: Giorgos Skamantzouras</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p>10-minute break</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <i>Austen Van Burns</i>: “Translating Facts into Images”             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o Senior commentator: Agustí Nieto-Galan</li> <li>o Junior commentator: Panagiotis Karagkounis</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p>10-minute break</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- <i>Gloria Maritza Gómez Revuelta</i>: “Space for the Third World”             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>o Senior commentator: Agustí Nieto-Galan</li> <li>o Junior commentator: Yi-Fan HU</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<b>16.35–17.00</b>	<p style="text-align: center;">Break</p>
<b>17.00–18.00</b>	<p style="text-align: center;">Group work on policy presentation and research contributions          Supervised by: Dr. Davide Orsini</p>

<b>Time</b>	<b>Friday, 9. February: Presentation of the policy briefs</b>
<b>10.00–11.00</b>	<b>Third keynote presentation:</b> Dr. Linda Richards, Oregon State University: “Making Visible Unseen Harm”
<b>11.00–12.30</b>	Final group work on policy presentation and research contributions
<b>12.30–14.00</b>	Lunch
<b>14.00–16.20</b>	<b>Group presentations on policy and research contributions</b>
<b>16.30–18.00</b>	Museum Visit: Germanisches Nationalmuseum, Nürnberg
<b>19.30–23.00</b>	Final dinner at “Restaurant Delphi” (Innere Laufer Gasse 22, 90403 Nürnberg <a href="http://www.delphinuernberg.de">www.delphinuernberg.de</a> )

Time	Saturday, 10. February: Public Seminar
10.00–12.30	<p><b>Seminar with the Panel of Experts:</b>            How to write transnational history of science and technology today?</p> <p><b>Panel of Experts:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dr. Linda Richards, Oregon State University</li> <li>• Prof. Dr. Maria Rentetzi, Friedrich-Alexander University Erlangen-Nürnberg</li> <li>• Dr. Casimiro Vizzini, Convention on Health Analysis and Management – CHAM: UNESCO Expert</li> <li>• Prof. Dr. Agustí Nieto-Galan, Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona</li> <li>• Dr. Luc-André Brunet, Open University</li> <li>• Dr. Aske Hennelund Nielsen, Friedrich-Alexander-Universität Erlangen-Nürnberg</li> <li>• Dr. Véronique Plata-Stenger, Université de Genève</li> <li>• Dr. Davide Orsini, Rachel Carson Center, Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität München</li> </ul>
12.30–13.30	Lunch
13.30–14.30	<b>Common discussion:</b> What have we gained from this summer school and where do we go from here?
14.30–15.00	Thank you and farewells!