OBITUARY: JEANNE MALLETT (1944-2017)

The Friends of the German Historical Institute mourn the passing, last November 14, of Jeanne Mallett, who was their treasurer from 2011 to 2017. After studying Political Science at Ohio State (BA, MA), she moved to Washington, where she received her JD from Georgetown University in 1979. Jeanne remained loyal to her home state — both as a sports fan and as an attorney for the Ohio Environmental Protection Agency — at the same time that she contributed greatly to the Washington community. Her family heritage inspired her to volunteer for German institutions, and the Friends of the German Historical Institute were the primary beneficiaries, as she oversaw their finances and encouraged their fundraising efforts. She demonstrated her dedication to the very end, when despite her serious illness she ensured a smooth transition to the new Treasurer, Carl-Henry Geschwind. Jeanne’s memory is a blessing to the Friends and the entire staff of the GHI.

GHI WASHINGTON CELEBRATED THIRTIETH ANNIVERSARY

On October 12, 2017 the GHI celebrated its 30-year anniversary by hosting a panel discussion, moderated by the GHI’s Richard Wetzell, featuring four historians reflecting on the founding of the German Historical Institute, which opened its doors in 1987. Hartmut Lehmann, the GHI’s first director, offered his recollections on the opportunities and challenges involved in establishing the new Institute; Doris Bergen (University of Toronto), shared her experiences and insights as someone who has frequently cooperated with the GHI; Jacob Eder (Friedrich Schiller University Jena), author of Holocaust Angst (2016), shed light on the place of the GHI in the transatlantic memory politics of the 1980s; Scott Krause (ZZF Potsdam & UNC Chapel Hill), who is working on a history of the Institute’s founding, outlined the findings of his recent examination of the newly declassified files from the German Ministry of Research and Technology as well as Helmut Kohl’s chancellery. The institute also produced a short video celebrating the GHI’s 30 years of working with historians on both sides of the Atlantic which was screened at the October 12 event and can be viewed on the GHI website.
GHI AWARDED TWO-YEAR GRANT BY THE ZEIT-STIFTUNG EBELIN UND GERD BUCERIUS FOR GERMAN HISTORY IN DOCUMENTS AND IMAGES

The German Historical Institute (GHI) was recently awarded a generous two-year grant from the Hamburg-based ZEIT-Stiftung Ebelin und Gerd Bucerius. The grant will help transform the German History in Documents and Images (GHDI) website into a first-class resource for teaching and learning about German history in a global and digital age. The ZEIT-Stiftung funds will support the expansion and revision of volumes 6 through 10 of GHDI, which together cover the last century of German history (1918 to the present). The grant will allow for the addition of compelling new textual and visual sources to these volumes as well as the integration of multimedia sources, such as film and audio clips. These and other editorial enhancements will respond to recent developments in historiography and methodology (e.g. the visual and spatial turns in history) while meeting the needs of today’s digitally oriented youth. The ZEIT-Stiftung was an original sponsor of the German History in Documents and Images website in 2003, and the GHI is grateful to the foundation for its renewed commitment to the project.

INNOVATION THROUGH MIGRATION: NEW SENIOR FELLOWSHIPS AND PRACTITIONERS IN RESIDENCE PROGRAM AT GHI WEST, UC BERKELEY

The German Historical Institute Washington DC is proud to announce two new fellowship programs at its Pacific Regional Office in Berkeley, GHI West. The Senior Fellowship program offers up to three senior scholars per year the chance to come to Berkeley to help shape the emerging Center for the History of Migration and Knowledge which is being established at GHI West. The Practitioners in Residence program offers professionals who work in government as well as in nongovernmental organizations, the fields of social work, or in relevant media on issues of migration politics a short-time stay to catch up with relevant literature and reflect, from a distance, on their everyday tasks. Both programs are generously supported by the Brüder Stiftung.
2017 FRITZ STERN DISSERTATION PRIZE

The 2017 Fritz Stern Dissertation Prize was awarded to Bradley J. Nichols (Virginia Tech). The award ceremony took place at the 26th Annual Symposium of the Friends of the German Historical Institute on November 10, 2017. The selection committee was composed of: Monica Black (chair, University of Tennessee-Knoxville), Yair Mintzker (Princeton University), and Annemarie Sammartino (Oberlin College).

The committee’s prize citation for Bradley J. Nichols’ dissertation, The Hunt for Lost Blood: Nazi Germanization Policy in Occupied Europe (Ph.D. dissertation, University of Tennessee, 2017), read: “Bradley Nichols’s rich, learned, and sophisticated dissertation tells the story of the re-Germanization of individuals in German-occupied Europe during the Second World War. According to Nichols, at the heart of the murderous Nazi policies in Europe lay a strange paradox: at the very same time that SS racial “experts” were engaged in genocidal policies, they were also anxious about cleansing the wrong racial elements from the non-German populations under their control. They all agreed that the German Volksgemeinschaft should be purged from foreign elements, but some of them also thought they could identify, then reintegrate into Germany, “lost German blood” (German ethnic elements), thus enriching the biological makeup of the German Volk while weakening the life force of non-German ethnic groups. Nichols reconstructs this aspect of Nazi policies in astounding detail, from a discussion of how the SS discussed such policies, to the way it searched for “lost German blood” on the ground, to the stories of countless individuals — in the East, in Western Europe, and in the Third Reich itself — who, willingly or not, pushed for, or were affected by, such policies. This is by no means untrodden historical terrain, and yet through dogged and careful research, Nichols has managed to find new and important archival sources that contribute to a compelling Alltagsgeschichte of the German occupation. “The Hunt for Lost Blood” is a draft of what promises to be an important contribution to the study of German-occupied Europe during the Second World War."
NEW STAFF PUBLICATIONS

Monographs


Edited Volumes and Special Issues


Lässig, Simone and Swen Steinberg, eds. “Knowledge and Migration.” Special Issue, Geschichte und Gesellschaft 43.3 (2017).


**Articles and Chapters**


Eicher, John. “‘Every Family on Their Own’? Iowa’s Mennonite Farm Communities and the 1980s Farm Crisis.” *Journal of Mennonite Studies* 35 (2017): 75-96.


STAFF CHANGES

**Jana Adkins** joined the GHI as the Assistant to the Director in November 2017. She previously worked as an Executive Assistant at the Goethe-Institut New York and as a German Language Teacher for both the German Language School in Long Island, NY and German Language Courses — German International School Washington D.C.

**Stefan Boehm**, who joined the GHI in June 2015 as Administrative Director, left the institute in December 2017 to take up a position with the German Military in Stuttgart.

**Daniel Burckhardt** joined the GHI in April 2018 as a Technical Developer to support the relaunch of the *German History in Documents and Images* website. He studied mathematics in Zürich and the history of science and technology in Berlin. He has been a Research Associate at the Institute for the History of the German Jews since 2015.

**Katharina Hering** joined the GHI as Digital Project Librarian/Metadata editor in April 2018 to support the GHI flagship digital project *German History in Documents and Images* (GHDI). She holds an MLIS in Library and Information Science from the University of Pittsburgh, PA, and a PhD in history from George Mason University. Before joining the GHI she worked as an archivist for the National Equal Justice Library at Georgetown Law Library.

**Anne Kadolph** joined the GHI as Administrative Director in April 2018. She previously worked at Technische Universität Dresden for more than 10 years, where she last served as Deputy and Acting Head of the Department for Higher Education Cooperation at the university’s European Project Center. She holds degrees in Public Administration and Political Science.

**Claudia Roesch** joined the GHI as a Research Fellow in January 2018. She is working on a transnational history of family planning. Previously she was a postdoctoral researcher at the University of Münster’s collaborative research center “Cultures of Decision-Making.” She studied contemporary history, English and American Studies at Humboldt-University in Berlin and received her PhD in contemporary history at the University of Münster in 2014.

**Stefan Sachser** joined the GHI as Administrative Associate in May 2018. He previously worked as an administrative assistant at the German Federal Agency for Technical Relief.

**Jörg Schröder**, Deputy Administrative Director since 2001, left the institute in January 2018 in order to start a position as Administrative Director with the German Archaeological Institute (DAI), Commission for Archaeology of Non-European Cultures (KAAK) in Bonn.
Sören Urbansky joined the GHI as a Research Fellow in January 2018. He is a historian of Russia and China in the modern era, specializing in imperial and racial entanglements, emigration and the history of borders. Before he joined the GHI he taught Chinese and Russian history at the Universities of Munich and Freiburg and was a postdoctoral fellow at the University of Cambridge. He is currently embarking on a new project that examines anti-Chinese sentiments in a global perspective.

GHI FELLOWSHIPS AND INTERNSHIPS

Doctoral and Postdoctoral Fellowships

The GHI awards short-term fellowships to European and North American doctoral students as well as postdoctoral scholars to pursue research projects that draw upon primary sources located in the United States. We are particularly interested in research projects that fit into the following fields: German and European history, the history of German-American relations, the role of Germany and the USA in international relations, and American history (European doctoral and postdoctoral scholars only).

The proposed research projects should make use of historical methods and engage with the relevant historiography. We especially invite applications from doctoral students and postdoctoral scholars who currently have no funding from their home institutions. The fellowships are usually granted for periods of one to five months.

The GHI also offers a number of other long-term doctoral and postdoctoral fellowships with more specific profiles to strengthen key research interests at the institute, including: the history of knowledge, the history of race and ethnicity, the history of religion and religiosity, the history of family and kinship, the history of migration, and North American history. In addition to these opportunities, several new fellowship programs have been introduced: the Binational Tandem Research Program for “The History of Knowledge” and “Global and Trans-regional History,” and the Gerda Henkel Postdoctoral Fellowship for Digital History.

For further information about these programs and current application deadlines, please check our website at www.ghi-dc.org/fellowships.
GHI Internships

The GHI Internship Program gives German and American students of history, political science, and library studies an opportunity to gain experience at a scholarly research institute. Interns assist individual research projects, work for the library, take part in the preparation and hosting of conferences, and help with our publications. They receive a small stipend. The program is very flexible in the sense that the GHI tries to accommodate the interns’ interests, abilities, and goals. A two-month minimum stay is required; a three-month stay is preferred. There is a rolling review of applications. For further information, please check our website at www.ghi-dc.org/internships.

GHI FELLOWSHIP RECIPIENTS

Long-term Visiting Fellows, 2018-19

Christiane Bauer, Universität Kassel / LMU München
Selbstentwürfe von Nachfahren deutscher Immigranten in den USA — Eine erinnerungsgeschichtliche Auseinandersetzung mit Migration und Identität

Merle Ingenfeld, Universität zu Köln
The Cure: A Transnational History of (Homo-)Sexual Conversion Therapy (1933-1973)

James McSpadden, Harvard University
Nazi Looted Books, Allied War Booty, and American Libraries

Simon Unger, University of Oxford
The Loyal Opposition: European Theologians between Fascism and Christianity, 1919-45

Andrea Wiegeshoff, Philipps-Universität Marburg

Gerda Henkel Fellow in Digital History

Jens Pohlmann, Stanford University
How to Digitally Preserve, Exhibit, and Analyze Einstürzende Neubauten’s Supporter Project?
Short-term Doctoral Fellowships

**Cristian Capotescu**, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor  
*Giving in the Time of Socialism: Economic Life, Humanitarianism, and Mobility in Europe, 1960s-1990s*

**Manuel Geist**, Albert-Ludwigs-Universität Freiburg  
*An den Schnittstellen der Macht. Französische und britische Russlandexperten und die Beziehungen zu Russland, 1890-1924*

**Christina Matzen**, University of Toronto  
*Imprisoned Women: Gender, Politics, and Criminology in Nazi, Communist, and Democratic Germanies*

**Martin Prell**, Friedrich-Schiller-Universität Jena  
"*[A]lles schreibt an mich, und will von mir americanische Geheimnisse wissen"* — Digitale Religionsgeschichte am Beispiel computergestützter Erforschung des transatlantischen Korrespondenznetzwerks preußischer Pietist/innen

**Lena Marie Rudeck**, Max Planck Institute for Human Development / Freie Universität Berlin  
*Between Pleasure and Immorality: Western Allies’ Soldiers’ Clubs in Germany as Sites of Encounters between Occupiers and the Occupied, 1945-1955*

**Philipp Schulte**, Universität Heidelberg / EHESS Paris  
*“Es ist doch mein Bild!” Bildkonflikte, Recht am eigenen Bild und right to privacy in Deutschland und den USA, 1880-1930.*

**Daniela Weiner**, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill  
*Teaching a Dark Chapter: Holocaust and Resistance Representations in East German, West German, and Italian History Textbooks, 1943-2000*

Short-term Postdoctoral Fellowships

**Thomas Dorfner**, RWTH Aachen University  
*Kommerz für den Heiland. Der Handel der Herrnhuter Brüdergemeine in der Atlantischen Welt (1758–1818)*

**Vincent Lagendijk**, Maastricht University  
*From the American South to the Global South: The Tennessee Valley Authority in the 20th Century*
GHI RESEARCH SEMINAR AND COLLOQUIUM, FALL 2017

September 20  Bryant Simon (Temple University)
The Contradictory Appeal of the Public in 20th-Century America: An Urban Story Told in Three Acts

October 5  Lara Track (Universität Heidelberg)

October 19  Justus Nipperdey (Universität des Saarlandes)
Early Modernity — Periodization and the Emergence of the Modern World in U.S. Historiography

November 15  Wencke Meteling (Philipps-Universität Marburg)
Fear of Failing: Debates on International Competitiveness in the UK and Germany

November 16  Lisa Gerlach (Technische Universität Braunschweig/Georg-Eckert-Institut, Braunschweig)
Cultural History of Letters of Recommendation in German Jewish Networks before and after 1933

Carolyn Taratko (Vanderbilt University)
Feeding Germany: Nutrition and the German Countryside, 1871–1923

Anna Danilina (Max Planck Institut für Bildungsforschung, Berlin / International Max Planck Research School (IMPRS) for Moral Economies in Modern Societies)
Shaping Aryan Race: Affect and Embodiment in the Voelkisch Movement (1900–1935)

November 29  Anke Ortlepp (Universität Kassel)
Transnational Architecture: The New Brutalism in Great Britain, the United States, and Brazil, 1950s–1980s
GHI SPRING LECTURE SERIES 2018

Illicit Knowledge: Copyright, Piracy, and Intellectual Property in Historical Perspective

Organized by Sarah Beringer and Atiba Pertilla

Knowledge is central to most human practices. Its discovery, production, adaptation, and expansion often give those who “possess” knowledge economic, political, or social advantages over those who do not. This dynamic drives the quest to protect knowledge with patents and other forms of ownership rights, and creates incentives for others to appropriate or abuse knowledge generated or controlled by others.

Through the lens of the history of knowledge, the GHI’s Spring 2018 Lecture Series “Illicit Knowledge: Copyright, Piracy, and Intellectual Property in Historical Perspective” will provide historical context to current debates over the adaptation, reuse, and remixing of intellectual property in an era when digital technology makes replication easier than it has ever been before.

The questions this lecture series aims to address are as multifaceted as knowledge itself. Who are the actors? What are their motives? What trends can be detected over time, by sector, and in terms of different cultural influences? And how do technological developments — such as digitization — change our perception of copyright and the fair use of knowledge?

April 19
Mondrian’s Dress: Copying (and) the Couture Copy
Nancy Troy (Stanford University)

May 3
Japanese Industrial Espionage, American Decline, and the Political Economy of Knowledge in the 1980s
Mario Daniels (Georgetown University)

May 24
Hip-Hop Aesthetics: Theft, Borrowing, or Artistic Practice?
Justin Williams (University of Bristol)

June 14
Copyright and Intellectual Property: Why Is Academia Reluctant to Embrace Open-Access Scholarship?
Peter Baldwin (University of California, Los Angeles)
GHI CALENDAR OF EVENTS 2018/19

For a regularly updated calendar of events, please check out our website at www.ghi-dc.org

January 05  Inside/Outside: Defining, Ascribing, and Communicating “Germanness” in Different Contexts, Spaces, and Times
Panel at the 2018 Annual Meeting of the American Historical Association
Organized by the contributors to the German History Intersections project

January 05-06  Rewriting 19th Century Central European History
Panel Series at the 2018 Annual Meeting of the American Historical Association
Conveners: GHI Washington and the Central European History Society

January 25  Immigration of European Highly Skilled Workers to Germany: Intra-EU Brain Circulation or Brain Drain/Gain?
Lecture at GHI West
Speaker: Céline Teney, University of Bremen

February 01  Sorbian/Wendish Cultural Revival in the Age of Globalization
Lecture at GHI West
Speaker: Hélène Yèche (University of Poitiers)

February 14-16  In Global Transit: Jewish Migrants from Hitler’s Europe in Asia, Africa, and Beyond
Conference in Kolkata, India
Conveners: Andreas Gestrich (GHI London), Simone Lässig (GHI Washington), Anne Schenderlein (GHI Washington), and Indra Sengupta (GHI London)

February 20  Climate Change, Climate Change Refugees, and Public Art
Lecture at GHI West
Speaker: Christina Gerhardt (University of Hawai’i at Mānoa)

February 21  Small States and Secondary Actors in the Cold War: Entanglements Between Europe and Latin America
Lecture at GHI West
Speaker: Albert Manke (GHI West Tandem Fellow; Senior Researcher at the Center for Inter-American Studies at Bielefeld University)
February 22-24  
**Cultures of Capitalism in Weimar and Nazi Germany**  
Conference at the GHI  
Conveners: Pamela Swett (McMaster University), Moritz Föllmer (University of Amsterdam), and David Lazar (GHI Washington)

March 01  
**Place, People, and Power in City Building in Postwar America**  
Lecture at the GHI  
Speaker: Lizabeth Cohen (Harvard University)

March 01-02  
**Bounded Democracy: Global Workshop on American Urbanisms**  
Workshop at the GHI  
Conveners: Anke Ortlepp (University of Kassel/GHI Washington) and Bryant Simon (Temple University/GHI Washington)

March 06  
**The End of Gold? Monetary Metals Studied at the Planetary and Human Scale During the Classical Gold Standard Era**  
Lecture at GHI West  
Speaker: Andrea Westermann, GHI West Research Fellow and Head of Office

March 13  
**Transboundary Natures: The Consequences of the Iron Curtain for Landscape**  
Lecture at GHI West  
Speaker: Astrid M. Eckert (Emory University)

March 17-18  
**West Coast Germanists’ Workshop**  
Conveners: Frank Biess (UC San Diego), Edward Ross Dickinson (UC Davis) Paul Lerner (USC) Ulli Strasser (UC San Diego), Andrea Westermann (GHI West)

March 22  
**Overburdened Peace: Competing Visions of World Order in 1918/19**  
Lecture at the GHI  
Speaker: Jörn Leonhard (University of Freiburg)

March 22  
**Trust as Violence: The Politics of Film and the Militarization of Male Sexuality in National Socialism**  
Lecture at GHI West  
Anja Laukötter (Center for the History of Emotions at the Max Planck Institute for Human Development in Berlin)
March 22-24  Settlement and Unsettlement: The Ends of World War I and Their Legacies
2018 Annual Conference of the Max Weber Foundation at the GHI
Conveners: Max Weber Foundation, GHI Washington, American Historical Association (AHA) with the National History Center (NCH), German Historical Association (Verband der Historiker und Historikerinnen Deutschlands, VHD)

April 11  Europe 1918-2018 French, German, and Polish Perspectives on the Future of the European Union
Panel Discussion at the GHI
Speakers: Gérard Araud (Ambassador of France to the United States), Peter Wittig (Ambassador of Germany to the United States), Piotr Wilczek (Ambassador of Poland to the United States and the Commonwealth of the Bahamas), and moderated by Christoph von Marschall, Helmut Schmidt Fellow, The German Marshall Fund of the United States

April 11  War in the Nazi Imagination
Lecture at Georgetown University
Richard Evans (University of Cambridge)

April 12  Marx at 200: A Symposium
Symposium at the GHI
Conveners: Warren Breckman (University of Pennsylvania), James Brophy (University of Delaware), Simone Lässig (GHI Washington), and David Lazar (GHI Washington)

April 12  Karl Marx and the History of Capitalism
Lecture at the GHI
Speaker: Jürgen Kocka (WZB/Berlin Social Science Center)

April 13  The Invisibles
Washington Jewish Film Festival Screening at Edlavitch DCJCC
Co-presented by German Historical Institute

April 16-17  Alternative Realities: Utopian Thought in Times of Political Rupture
Conference at The Wende Museum at The Armory, Culver City, California and the University of Southern California (USC)
Co-sponsored by GHI West and organized by The Max Kade Institute for Austrian-German-Swiss Studies (USC) and The Wende Museum
April 17  Post-Nazi Germany and the Myth of American Influence
Lecture at GHI West
Speaker: Noah B. Strote (North Carolina State University)

April 19  Mondrian’s Dress: Copying (and) the Couture Copy
Lecture at the GHI
Speaker: Nancy Troy (Stanford University)

April 20  Making Immigrant Knowledge from Collective Memories: Watching the Process Unfold in Spain
Lecture at GHI West, University of California Berkeley,
Speaker: Evelyn Hu-DeHart, Brown University

April 20-21  Migrant Knowledges: Concepts, Voices, Spaces
Workshop at GHI West, UC Berkeley
Convener: GHI West

April 24  Consuming Temples on Both Sides of the Atlantic: German-speaking Jews from the Department Store to the Mall
Lecture at GHI West
Speaker: Paul Lerner (USC)

May 02-03  Dynamiken des Wissens: Historische Perspektiven auf das Verhältnis von Wissen und Migration vom 20. Jahrhundert bis zur Gegenwart
Conference at the Bundeszentrale für politische Bildung, Berlin
Convener: Stephanie Zloch (Georg-Eckert-Institut Braunschweig), Dagmar Ellerbrock (TU Dresden), Simone Lässig (GHI Washington), Swen Steinberg (TU Dresden)

May 03  Japanese Industrial Espionage, American Decline, and the Political Economy of Knowledge in the 1980s
Lecture at the GHI
Speaker: Mario Daniels (Georgetown University)

May 07  Back to the Fatherland
Washington Jewish Film Festival Screening at Bethesda Row Cinema
Co-presented by German Historical Institute, AJC Global Jewish Advocacy Washington, 3GDC — Washington DC, Grandchildren of Holocaust Survivors, Generation After
May 09  Back to Berlin  
Washington Jewish Film Festival Screening at Edlavitch DCJCC  
Co-presented by The Kosciuszko Foundation German Historical Institute Polish American Arts Association

May 10  Global Transformations of Time in the Nineteenth Century  
9th Gerald Feldman Memorial Lecture at the GHI  
Speaker: Sebastian Conrad (Freie Universität Berlin)

May 11  Fourteenth Workshop on Early Modern German History  
Conference at the GHI London  
Conveners: Bridget Heal (University of St. Andrews), Katherine Hill (Birkbeck, University of London), David Lederer (NUI Maynooth), Alison Rowlands (University of Essex), and Hannes Ziegler (GHI London)

May 17-18  Transoceanic American Studies  
Conference at the GHI Washington  
Conveners: Juliane Braun (University of Bonn/GHI Washington); Benjamin Fagan (Auburn University/GHI Washington)

May 24  Hip-Hop Aesthetics: Theft, Borrowing, or Artistic Practice?  
Lecture at the GHI Washington  
Speaker: Justin Williams (University of Bristol)

May 30-June 03  24th Transatlantic Doctoral Seminar: German History in the Nineteenth and Twentieth Centuries  
Seminar at GHI West  
Conveners: Anna von der Goltz (Georgetown University) and Richard F. Wetzell (GHI Washington)

June 06-10  Learning by the Book: Manuals and Handbooks in the History of Knowledge  
Conference at Princeton University  
Conveners: Angela Creager (Princeton University), Mathias Grote (Humboldt University Berlin), Elaine Leong (MPI for the History of Science, Berlin), Kerstin von der Krone (GHI Washington)

June 14  Copyright and Intellectual Property: Why Is Academia Reluctant to Embrace Open-Access Scholarship?  
Lecture at the GHI Washington  
Speaker: Peter Baldwin (University of California, Los Angeles)
June 14-15  Observing the Everyday: Journalistic Practices and Knowledge Production in the Modern Era
Second Workshop at the Max Planck Institute for the History of Science, Berlin
Conveners: Kerstin von der Krone (GHI Washington) and Hansjakob Ziemer (Max Planck Institute for the History of Science, Berlin)

June 22-23  Defining Black European History
Conference at the GHI Washington
Conveners: Jeff Bowersox (University College London), Tiffany N. Florvil (University of New Mexico), Atiba Pertilla (GHI Washington), and Kira Thurman (University of Michigan)

June 22-23  Exile and Emigration in an Age of War and Revolutions (ca. 1750-1830)
Workshop at Re:work International Research Center, Berlin
Conveners: Linda Colley (Princeton University) and Jan C. Jansen (GHI Washington)

September 27-30  The Nexus of Migration, Youth, and Knowledge
Panel Series at the Forty-Second Annual German Studies Association Conference, Pittsburgh, PA
Conveners: Andrea Westermann (GHI West), Onur Erdur (Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin)

October 08-10  Agents of Cultural Change: Jewish and other Responses to Modernity, ca. 1750–1900
Conference at the GHI Washington
Conveners: Simone Lässig (GHI Washington), Zohar Shavit (Tel Aviv University), Kerstin von der Krone (GHI Washington)

October 17-20  Bucerius Young Scholars Forum at GHI West: “Histories of Migration: Transatlantic and Global Perspectives”
Bucerius Young Scholars Forum at GHI West
Convener: Andrea Westermann (GHI West)

October 25-27  Reconstructing Historical Networks Digitally: New Approaches, Opportunities and Epistemological Implications of Social Network Analysis
International Workshop and Conference at the GHI Washington
Conveners: Matthew Hiebert (GHI Washington), Simone Lässig (GHI Washington), and Katherine McDonough (Stanford University)
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**March 22-23** The Politics of Sovereignty and Globalism in Modern Germany
Conference at the GHI Washington
Conveners: Rüdiger Graf (ZZF Potsdam), Quinn Slobodian (Wellesley College), Heidi Tworek (University of British Columbia), Anne Schenderlein (GHI Washington)

**May 29-June 01** 25th Transatlantic Doctoral Seminar: German History in the Nineteenth and Twentieth Centuries
Seminar at the GHI Washington
Conveners: Anna von der Goltz (Georgetown University) and Richard F. Wetzel (GHI Washington)
GHI Library

The GHI library concentrates on German history and transatlantic relations, with emphasis on the nineteenth and twentieth centuries. In addition to providing essential literature for scholarly research, the library fulfills an important cultural mission: no other library in the United States offers a similarly condensed inventory of modern German history.

The library offers access to about 50,000 books, DVDs, CD-ROMs, microfiches, and 220 print journals. In addition, we offer access to about 500 e-books and 100 online journals.

The collection includes books on American history written by German authors as well as historical literature of the institute’s past research foci: global history, religious studies, exile and migration studies, environmental history, and economic history. The collection includes only print materials, mostly secondary literature; there are no archival holdings.

The GHI library offers free access to scholars as well as the general public; appointments or reader cards are not necessary. The library does not lend materials but visitors may consult material from the entire collection in our beautiful reading room, which also offers access to a variety of databases for journal articles, historical newspapers, genealogical research, and bibliographical research.

For the library catalog or a list of our databases, please visit www.ghi-dc.org/library. Or send an email to library@ghi-dc.org for any further questions.

The library hours are Monday to Thursday from 9 am to 5 pm, Fridays from 9 am to 4 pm, and by appointment.