HGGS Forum

7th - 8th May 2015

Topic: »Change«

The 2014-15 Heidelberg Graduate School for the Humanities and Social Sciences’ academic year is coinciding with many of the previous century’s most notable dates – 1914, 1945, 1990. These are anniversaries of events that set into motion changes still being felt on a global scale at many levels - social, geographic, political, scientific, technical, cultural and religious. This flood of changes in so many areas has brought about concurrent changes in science where increasingly inter- and transdisciplinary methods are linking research in globalized networks.

As members of an interdisciplinary graduate school, we are concerned with many facets of this rapidly changing and increasingly integrated world and our research projects are using interdisciplinary methods to represent and reflect on those changes.

Thus, our 2014-15 Forum is aptly titled “Change.” We, along with other German and international researchers, will meet to examine different perspectives of change in diverse fields and even reflect on the concept of change itself. Multiple formats will be used - lectures, short presentations and posters – and guests are welcome.

Further details will be announced on the HGGS homepage.

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