About the workshop

The workshop aims at discussing how torture, as a bodily political practice, affects and is affected by society. What relations exist, in Mary Douglas' categories, between the violated physical body in its potential visibility on the one hand and the social body on the other hand? The linkages between the corresponding levels of analysis, the level of the torture situation with its embodied participants and the level of society, are addressed with special attention to two modes of intermediation between these levels: the (in-)visibility of tortured bodies and violent boundary drawing by torture.

The conference brings together colleagues from sociology, social anthropology, psychology, history, law, and political sciences.

Convenors

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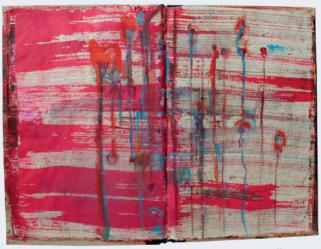
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AGENDA

Thursday, 23 June 2022		Friday, 24 June 2022		17:15 - 18:45	Round Table Discussion: Torture, Academia, and
12:00 13:00 - 13:30 13:30 - 14:30	Lunch / snack Katharina Inhetveen / Daniel Bultmann (Siegen / Berlin): Welcome and Introduction Andrew M. Jefferson	09:15 - 10:00 10:00 - 10:45	Melanie Collard (London): State Torture, Dehumanized Bodies, and Processes of Exclusion (online) Budi Hernawan (Jakarta): Torture in the Postcolony of Papua (online) Coffee break	19:00	Political Activity: Challenges and Chances of Combining Perspectives of Involvement Dinner
	(Copenhagen):	g and 10:45		Saturday, 25 June 2022	
14:30 - 15:15	Opening Keynote: Deciphering and Detoxifying Torturing Societies and Torturable Populations Max Breger (Siegen): Strategies of (In-)Visibility: Torture,	11:15 - 12:00	Tobias Kelly / Wangui Kimari (Edinburgh / Nairobi): Torturable Bodies and Tactics of (In)visibility (hybrid)	09:00 - 09:45	Katharina Inhetveen (Siegen): Torture and Populist Masculinity: Political Profits of Ostentatious Illegitimate Violence
	Suffering, and Psychological Knowledge in the 'War on Terror'	12:15 13:30 - 14:15	Lunch 🍩 Salman Hussain (Amherst):	09:45 - 10:30	Klaus Weinhauer (Bielefeld): Beyond Milgram: Historical
15:15 15:45 - 16:30	Coffee break Daniel Bultmann (Berlin / Siegen):		The Biopolitics of Torture: Detention and Exception from Colonial Violence to the 'War	10:30	Perspectives on Torture as State Violence Coffee break
	The Politics of Authenticity and Emotion in Tuol Sleng Visitor Books	14:15 - 15:00	on Terror' in South Asia Annette Förster (Duisburg-Essen):	11:00 - 12:00	Gesa Lindemann (Oldenburg): Concluding Keynote:
16:30 - 17:15	Christina Schütz (Siegen): Making Sense of Past Torture in a Troubled Present: References from Chile	15:00 15:30 - 16:15	Torture as Terror in the Algerian War Coffee break Ergün Cakal (Copenhagen): Torture and Progress, Past and	12:00 - 12:45	Torture and Legitimacy Discussion / Outlook: On Torture, Body, and Society: Interdisciplinary Perspectives
17:30 - 19.00	José Giribás Marambio (Berlin / Santiago de Chile) Presentation of Photo Exhibition "Torture Is Not Talked About"	16:15 - 17:00	Promised. A Socio-Legal Critique of Torture's Evolving Interpretation Painer Hubbs (Nurambers)	12.00	and Future Challenges Planning of workshop publication Lunch
19:15	- with Discussion Dinner	10:15 - 17:00	Rainer Huhle (Nuremberg): The Torture of Forced Disappearance	13:00 End of Worksho	