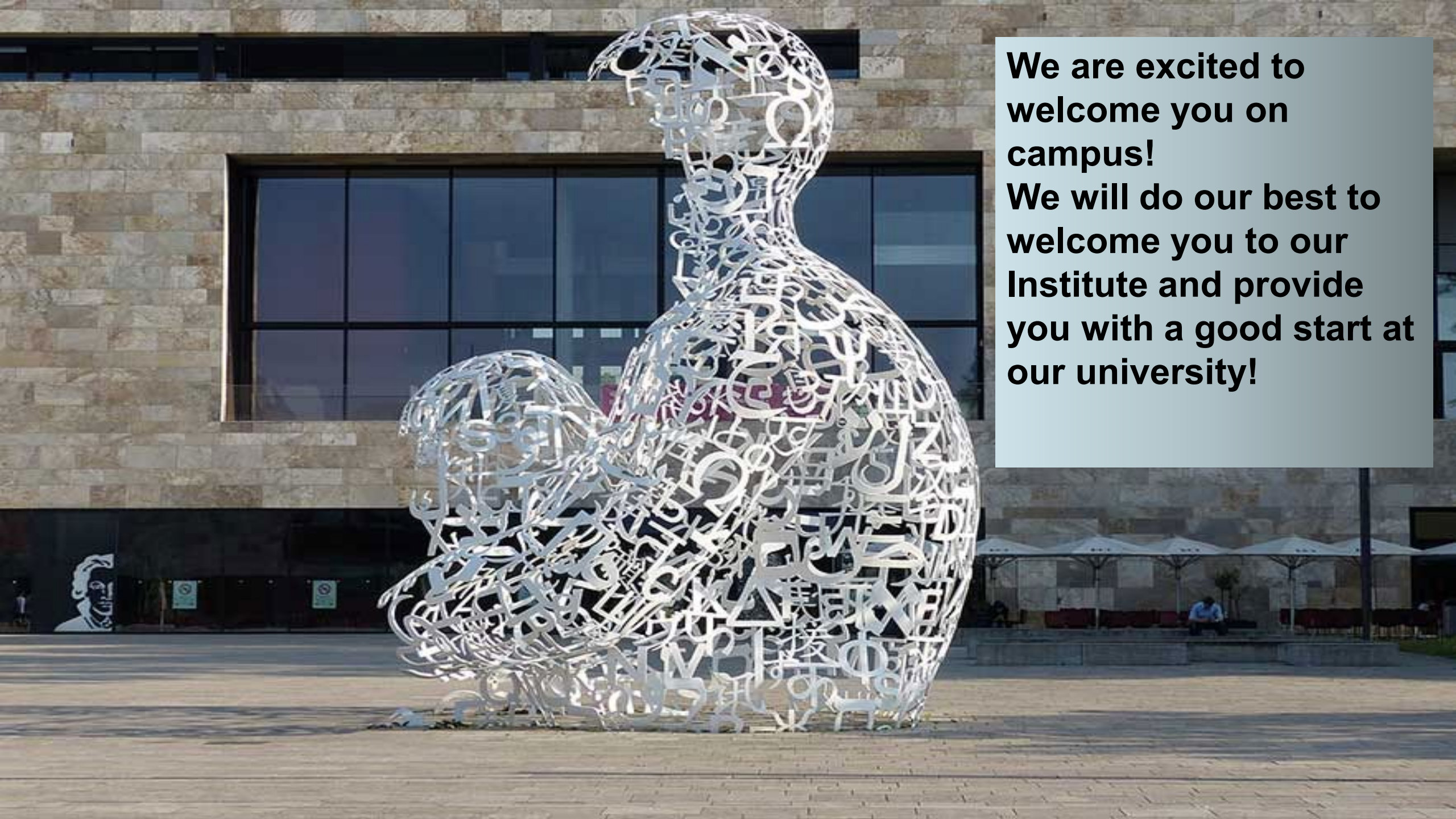


Orientation Event for the Masters Programme STS

Science and Technology Studies: Economies, Governance and Life

Winter Term 2023/24

Institute of Cultural Anthropology and European Ethnology



**We are excited to welcome you on campus!
We will do our best to welcome you to our Institute and provide you with a good start at our university!**

Our Information for You Today

Who we are?

the Institute of Cultural Anthropology and European Ethnology and our cooperation partners in Sociology and Human Geography

How to study?

the curriculum, modules, study regulations, studying abroad

Where to find?

the Institute, campus and libraries, and online services

Time for your Questions!



Who we are ?

Teaching staff at the Institute of Cultural Anthropology and European Ethnology

- **Prof. Dr. Gisela Welz (Managing Director)**
- **Prof. Dr. Martina Klausner**
- **Dr. Ingmar Lippert**
- **Timotheus Kartmann, M.A. (Lecturer & general study advice, Erasmus Exchange Programme)**

Who we are ?

Support team at the Institute of Cultural Anthropology and European Ethnology

- **Alexandra Kühn, M.A. (Office)**
- **Mirjam Lüdecke, B.A. (course coordination and credit point documentation)**
- **Sara Akbari, B.A. (tutor)**
- **Yasmine Saroukh, B.A., and Maximilian Schicktanz (student assistant team)**



Teaching staff at cooperating institutes: Sociology and Human Geography

- **Prof. Dr. Thomas Lemke, Sociology**
- **Prof. Dr. Thomas Scheffer, Sociology**
- **Dr. Ruzana Liburkina, Sociology**
- **Vicky Kluzik, M.A., Sociology**
- **Markus Rudolfi, M.A., Sociology**
- **Prof. Dr. Lizzie Richardson, Human Geography**
- **Dr. Till Straube, Human Geography**
- **Serdar Değirmencioğlu, Human Geography**

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Additional teaching staff in the winter term 2023/24 (external lecturers)

- **Dženeta Hodžić ,M.A.**
- **Jascha Bareis ,M.A.**

How to study?

Semester	Compulsory Modules		Optional Modules 2 out of 3
	Basic Module	Research Curriculum	Exemplary field
1	M1 Theoretical Intersections 1.1 Introduction to STS 1.2 Epistemic Practices	M5 Introduction to Research Methods 5.1. Ethnographic Encounters 5.2 Method Toolbox	M2 Technologies of Governance M3 Markets and Cultures M4 Economies of Life
2	M1 Theoretical Intersections 1.3 Global Economies	M6 Research Design 6.1 Research Design 6.2 Proposal Writing	
3		M7 Fieldwork 7.1 Research Colloquium 7.2 Recent Debates in STS	
4		M8 Analysis and Writing 8.1 Writing Lab 8.2 Performing Research	
		M9 Master Thesis	

How to study?

Modules: General Information

The MA program consists of modules

- 5 compulsory modules
- 2 out of 3 optional modules
- final module is the MA thesis

This structure allows you to finish the MA within two years. However, you will not be exmatriculated in case of some delay.

Detailed module description available [here](#).

How to study?

Compulsory Modules

Module M1 „Theoretical Intersections“

- First M1 extends over the course of two semesters
- Part one consists of two courses and an optional tutorial (winter term)
- Second part is one course (summer term)
- Exam: Term paper
- We recommended to complete this module in the first two terms!

Module M5, M6, M7, M8 “Research Curriculum”

- consists of a series of four one-semester modules, supporting and reflecting the process of writing a MA thesis
- Two courses per module and term



How to study?

Optional Modules

We offer three modules, **only two have to be completed.**

M2: Technologies of Governance

M3: Markets and Cultures

M4: Economies of Life

To successfully complete an Optional Module, you must complete three courses listed for that Optional Module, which you can attend throughout your studies. You can also attend classes offered by Sociology and Human Geography. You find them indicated on our semester schedule.



How to study?

Information on Module Exams (MAP)

Compulsory modules (M1, M5-M8)

module exams vary in form (written, oral presentation ,etc.)

Optional modules (M2-M4)

Module exam, usually a term paper written in one of the three seminars

Please approach the teaching staff of the seminar to negotiate the topic and scope of the paper

You have to register electronically at QIS-LSF for each exam. Registration period will be announced in time.

How to study?

Important information about exam registration and deregistration.

- ▶ The exam registration will start on NOV 22 2023 and end JAN 17 2024.
- ▶ You can also deregister again until JAN 17 2024; if you are registered after that date, you must take the exam (and if you are not registered, you cannot take the exam)
- ▶ If you do not attend the exam, you will be given two more chances for a repeat exam; if you do not take or pass the repeat exams twice, you will not be able to complete your studies
- ▶ Exception: In case of being ill, you must provide a sick note from your doctor (on the form provided by the examination office!); then the exam does not count as failed and you have another chance to take the exam
- ▶ **There is an obligation to attend the courses to receive the credit points (CPs) for the course. You have to be present at least 80 % of each course.**



How to study?

Who can supervise my master thesis?

Any member of teaching staff involved in the STS MA program can act as a supervisor of your MA thesis (**Erstgutachter**). You also need a second examiner (**Zweitgutachter**). One of the two has to be a Professor.

For information on particular research interests and expertise of the teaching staff please consult the Institute`s website and [LASST](#) (Lab for Studies in Science and Technology)

How to study?

How do I sign up for seminars?

- ▶ For the compulsory courses, you will be invited via email/into the BSCW works space by our teaching staff (M1, M5, M6, M7, M8 and M9)
- ▶ For courses in M2, M3, and M4: please check the courses on the university portal QIS/LSF and
 - > either register directly in QIS/LSF if possible (normally offered for the courses by our cooperating institutes sociology and human geography)
 - > or register via email to the teacher (mostly for teaching staff at our institute)

[Here](#) can find the registration deadlines on our homepage.

Please use your student email address only!

How to study?

Study and Examination Regulations: Master Account

- ▶ You have to open a Master Account „**Antrag auf Zulassung zur Masterprüfung**“ (Application For Master Exam Admission: <https://www.pgks.de/download/#jumps>)
- ▶ Without opening an account, no credits and grades can be assigned to your student account. For newly enrolled students in winter term 2023/2024 applications can be accepted from end of October onwards.
- ▶ Recording of Credit Points, examination dates and results, etc. <https://www.pgks.de/> (German only)

Contact at PGKS: Marianne Köhler

Contact at IfKAEE: Mirjam Lüdecke

How to study?

Study and Examination Regulations: academic confirmation for M2-M4

YOU need to hand in a filled-out academic confirmation form to the lecturer at the end of the course (February 2024) who will sign the form and submit it at the Institute IfKAEE (Institut für Kulturanthropologie und Europäische Ethnologie) to ensure the further processing in examination office (Prüfungsamt für Geistes-, Kultur- und Sportwissenschaften)

Download form [here](#).


How to study?

The screenshot shows a web browser window with the URL https://www.goethe-university-frankfurt.de/108856210/STS_Program. The page header includes the Goethe University logo, the Faculty 09 name (Linguistics, Cultures, and Arts), and the KAAE logo. A search bar is present in the top right. The main navigation menu includes 'START', 'INSTITUTE NEWS', 'THE INSTITUTE', 'PEOPLE', 'PROGRAMS', and 'FOR MA STUDENTS'. The breadcrumb trail reads: 'GU Home > Faculties > Faculty 09 > Institute of Cultural Anthropology and European Ethnology > For MA Students > STS Program'. The page title is 'For MA Students'. On the left, there is a search bar and a list of links under 'All Entries', with 'Downloads and Links' expanded to show 'Goethe University Information' and 'STS Program' (highlighted). The main content area is titled 'STS Program' and lists several resources for students.

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Downloads and Links

STS Program

- > Presentation for first semester students of the master's program Science and Technology Studies
- > Booklet for first semester students of the master's program Science and Technology Studies
- > Opening a study account and registering of the master's thesis
- > Academic confirmation form
- > Requirements for the master's thesis
- > Flyer MA program Science and Technology Studies
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- > General study and examination regulations for master's programs (Ordnungen für Masterstudiengänge, German only)
- > Module handbook



Semester Schedule

Winter Term 2023/24

Start of lecture: October 16, 2023

End of lecture: February 9 2024

Lecture-free days: 23/12/2023 – 05/01/2024

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
10-12		<p>Ingmar Lippert Seminar Infrastructuring ecosystem services STS-MA-M2 (Optional Module “Technologies of Governance”) Beginning; 17.10.2023, Room SH 2.109 3</p>		<p>Lizzie Richarchson Seminar Digital geographies of gender and sexuality STS-MA-M3 (Optional Module “Markets and Cultures”) Beginning: 19.10.2023, Room SP 2.01. 3 Thomas Lemke Seminar Bioeconomies - Elements of a Political Economy of Life STS-MA-M4 (Optional Module “Economies of Life”) Beginning: 19.10.2023, Room PEG 1G 165. 3</p>
12-14	<p>Sara Akbari Tutorial Methods reloaded (Compulsory Module M 1 “Theoretical Intersections”) (Compulsory Module M 5 „Introduction to Research Methods“) Beginning: 16.10.2023, SH 2.102 1</p>	<p>Thomas Scheffer Seminar Sociology of Climate Change. Concepts-Cases-Potentials. STS-MA-M2 (Optional Module “Technologies of Governance”) Beginning; 17.10.2023, Room SP 1.01. 2</p>	<p>Markus Rudolffi Seminar The Anthropogenic: Situating the Human in the Natural Sciences STS-MA-M4 (Optional Module “Economies of Life”) Beginning: 18.10.2023, Room SH 4.109 . 3 Ingmar Lippert Seminar E-Course Recent Debates STS-MA-M7-2 (Compulsory Module 7 “Research Curriculum 3rd semester”) Beginning: 18.10.2023, Room SH 4.103. 3</p>	<p>Ingmar Lippert Seminar Climate and other environmental markets STS-MA-M3 (Optional Module “Markets and Cultures”) Beginning: 19.10.2023, Room HZ 14 . 3</p>
14-16		<p>Till Straube/Martina Klausner Seminar Telling data stories STS-MA-M2 (Optional Module “Technologies of Governance”), STS-MA-M3 (Optional Module “Markets and Cultures”), STS-MA-M4 (Optional Module “Economies of Life”) Beginning: 17.10.2023, Room PEG 2G 074 . 3</p>	<p>Dženeta Hodžić Water Multiple – Ethnographizing, knowing and managing liquidities STS-MA-M2 (Optional Module “Technologies of Governance”), STS-MA-M4 (Optional Module “Economies of Life”) Beginning: 18.10.2023, Room SH 3.107. 3 Markus Rudolffi Engaging with Material Semiotics STS-MA-M2 (Optional Module “Technologies of Governance”), STS-MA-M4 (Optional Module “Economies of Life”) Beginning: 18.10.2023, Room SH 2.108. 3</p>	
16-18	<p>Ingmar Lippert Seminar Introduction to STS STS-MA-M1-1 (Compulsory Module M 1 “Theoretical Intersections”) Beginning: 16.10.2023, Room SH 2.102. 1</p>	<p>Ingmar Lippert Seminar Method Toolbox STS-MA-M5-2 (Compulsory Module M 5 „Introduction to Research Methods“) Beginning: 17.10.2023, Room SH 2.102. 1</p>	<p>Martina Klausner Seminar Ethnographic Encounters STS-MA-M5-1 (Compulsory Module M 5 “Introduction to Research Methods”) Beginning: 18.10.2023, Room SH 2.102 1</p>	<p>Gisela Welz Seminar Epistemic Practices STS-MA-M1-2 (Compulsory Module M 1 “Theoretical Intersections”) Beginning: 19.10.2023, Room SH 2.102 1</p>

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
16-18			<p>Ruzana Liburkina Seminar Toxic Worlds: Formations and Fixes STS-MA-M2 (Optional Module “Technologies of Governance”), STS-MA-M4 (Optional Module “Economies of Life”) Beginning: 18.10.2023, Room SH 2.109. 3</p> <p>Vicky Kluzik Seminar Growth, Scarcity, Abundance - Sociology of Economic and Ecological Knowledge STS-MA-M4 (Optional Module “Economies of Life”) Beginning: 18.10.2023, Room SH 0.101. 3</p>	
18-20			<p>Ingmar Lippert Colloquium Research Colloquium STS-MA-M7-1 (Compulsory Module M 7 “Research Curriculum 3rd semester”) Beginning: 18.10.2023, Room SH 1.102. 1</p>	

Compact Courses:

Jascha Bareis, Seminar, Algocracy: The political rule of Algorithms, STS-MA-M2 (Optional Module “Technologies of Governance”) 3, sessions: 20.10.2021, 10am-1pm, Room CAS 1.802; 15.12.2023, 10am-1pm, Room CAS 1.802; 12.01.2024, 10am-1pm, Room CAS 1.801; 19.01.2024, 10am-1pm, Room CAS 1.802; 26.01.2024, 10am-1pm, Room CAS 1.802; 02.02.2024, 9am-1pm, Room CAS 1.802; 09.02.2024, 9am-2pm, Room CAS 1.802

Serdar Değirmencioğlu, Seminar, Geographies of childhood STS-MA-M3 (Optional Module “Markets and Cultures”) 3, sessions: 20.10.-08.12.2023, 10am-2pm, Room SH 5.103; 25.11.2023, 10am-2pm, Room PEG 2G 074

*****Students are requested to check all informations at the beginning of the winter term on QIS/LSF.**

1 = you will be invited to the courses via email!

2 = register via QIS/LSF

3 = register via email to the teacher (you find the email address on QIS/LSF)

How to study?

University Portals

Goethe-Campus

Study organization portal

change contact details, overview of payments, print study certificate

<https://goethe-campus.uni-frankfurt.de/>

QIS/LSF

Courses catalog (all departments), registration for exams, enrollment certification, etc.

<https://qis.server.uni-frankfurt.de/>

Welcome on QIS/LSF-Portal - the university portal



Please use your HRZ-login and -password.

Login:

Password:

How to study

Digital Shared Workspace: BSCW

Invitation to join via Email
by the lecturer

Materials, (additional)
information, organizational matters

<https://bscw.server.uni-frankfurt.de/>

Information by Goethe University:

https://www.rz.uni-frankfurt.de/44208339/30_BSCW



How to study?

Other learning platforms

Olat (Online Learning and Training)

Materials, (additional) information, organizational matters

<https://olat-ce.server.uni-frankfurt.de/>

Moodle

materials (e.g. video recordings) and information

<https://moodle.studiumdigitale.uni-frankfurt.de/moodle/>

To use them you need an HRZ account.

Both are mainly used by Sociology and Human Geography.



How to study?

Online Video Communication

Vidyo (for group meetings, consultations, exams)

If you are invited to a Vidyo-meeting, you do not need to download the software. However, if you have an HRZ account, you can download the Vidyo-client and host a meeting.

<https://www.rz.uni-frankfurt.de/87260312/Vidyo>





How to study?

Student Representatives

Election of a selected student representative in your STS Master Class 2023/24

Duty of the representative is to communicate concerns and conflicts between students and faculty

Student representative is to be elected by the end of the first semester during the seminar „Introduction to STS“

STUDY ABROAD

WE RECOMMEND THE THIRD SEMESTER FOR GOING ABROAD

Courses completed at the partner university will be converted via the ECTS-System (in coordination with the lecturer)

It is possible to study abroad with the Erasmus Exchange Program



Study Abroad: Partner Institutes



University of Jyväskylä (Jyväskylä, Finland)

University of the Aegean (Mytilene, Greece)

Sapienza University of Rome (Rome, Italy)



University of Graz (Graz, Austria)

University of Vienna (Vienna, Austria)



University of Lisbon (Lisbon, Portugal)



Adam Mickiewicz University (Poznan, Poland)



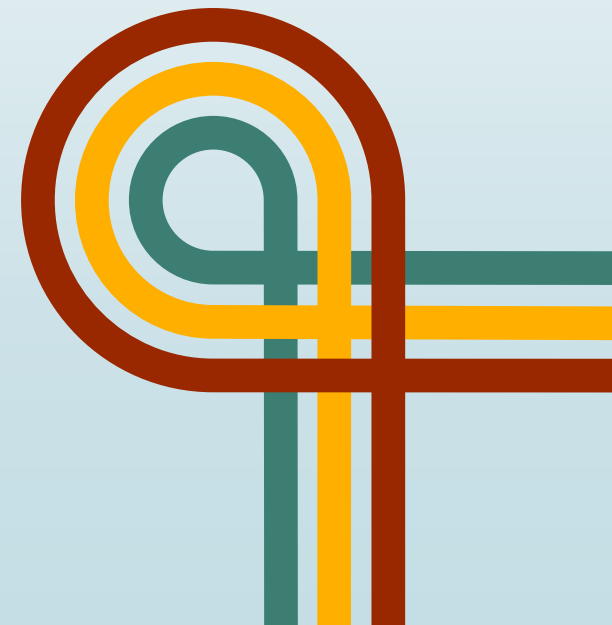
University of Fribourg (Fribourg, Switzerland)

Kadir Has University (Istanbul, Turkey)

Middle East Technical University (Ankara, Turkey)



University of Cyprus (Nicosia, Cyprus)



Where to find ?

The Institute of Cultural Anthropology and European Ethnology
Campus Westend, I.G.-Farben-Haus
1st floor (rooms 1.451-1.515)
<http://kaee.uni-frankfurt.de>

Secretary Office

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Student Assistants

Sara Akbari, Yasmine Saroukh and Maximilian Schicktanz

Room IG 1.451

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Where to find ?

You can also find us online

Homepage

https://www.uni-frankfurt.de/62943725/Willkommen_am_Institut_f%C3%BCr_Kulturanthropologie_und_Europ%C3%A4ische_Ethnologie



<https://www.facebook.com/FrankfurtSTS/>



https://twitter.com/KAEE_GoetheUni



<https://www.instagram.com/kaeegoetheuni/>

Plaese join the WhatsApp group:

(run by students, not the Institute!)



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Where to find

Cooperating Institutes

Human Geography

Located at PEG (Psychologie, Erziehungswissenschaften und Gesellschaftswissenschaften)

<http://www.humangeographie.de>

Sociology

Located at PEG (Psychologie, Erziehungs-wissenschaften und Gesellschaftswissenschaften)

<http://www.fb03.uni-frankfurt.de/42453294/soziologie>

Where to find

Campus Westend Institutes

Cultural Anthropology
and European Ethnology
IG: 1st floor (Room 1.451-1.515)

Sociology
PEG: 3rd floor

Human Geography
PEG: 2nd floor

Lectures take place mostly in
the Seminarhaus (19) and the
Hörsaalzentrum (13)



Where to find

University computer center (HRZ)

Help with student account, electronic student card (Goethecard), internet access and online portals

<https://www.rz.uni-frankfurt.de/hrz>

Library online Service

Literature search (books, magazines, papers, ...) in all library departments

<https://www.ub.uni-frankfurt.de/>

OPAC (research catalogue)

<http://www.ub.uni-frankfurt.de/kataloge/opac.html>

Where to find

Libraries at Campus Westend

Humanities Library (BzG)
 Cultural Anthropology and
 European Ethnology
 IG, Q6: 2nd floor (2.611/2.612)

Humanities Library (BzG)
 Philosophy
 IG, Q6: 1st floor (1.621)
 2nd floor (2.621)

Library for Social Sciences and
 Psychology (BSP)
 Sociology and Human Geography
 PEG: 1st floor

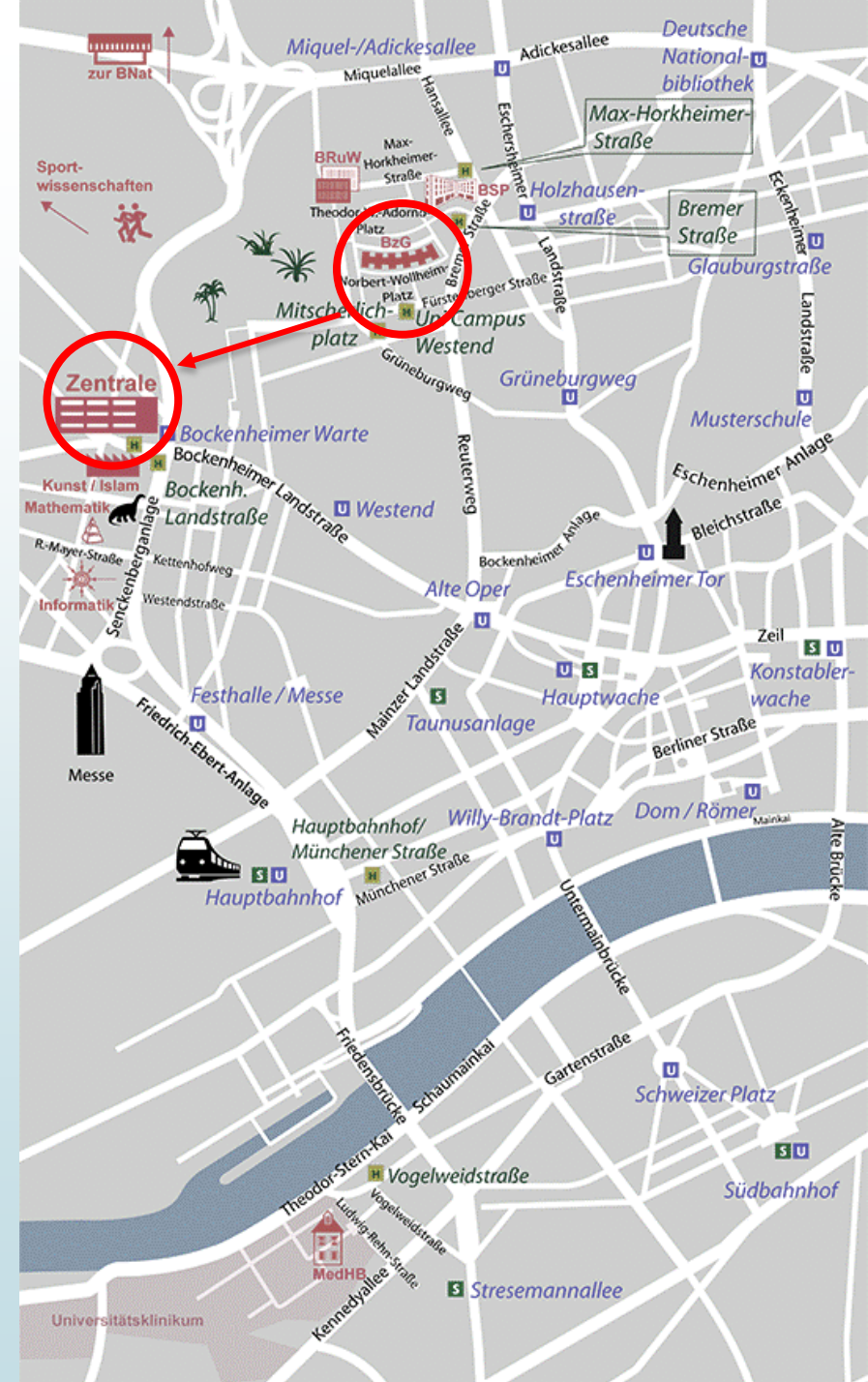


Where to find

Central Library (ZB)

Located at Campus Bockenheim (bus line 36 and 75 in about 10 min)

In the libraries you can order books to take home or to read in the reading rooms.



Where to find?

Further links at Goethe University

International Office

[https://www.goethe-university-frankfurt.de/44341978/Welcome to the International Office website](https://www.goethe-university-frankfurt.de/44341978/Welcome%20to%20the%20International%20Office%20website)

Antidiscrimination Center

antidiskriminierungsstelle@uni-frankfurt.de

<https://www.uni-frankfurt.de/80757763/Antidiskriminierungsrichtlinie.pdf>

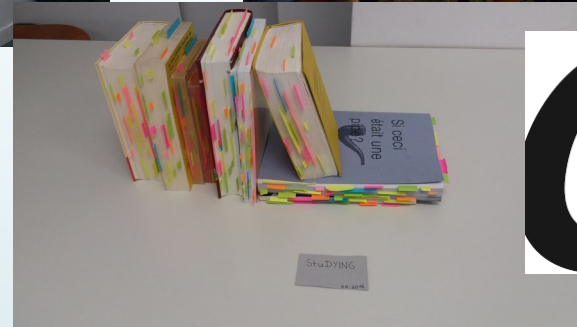
Onlineportal „Diversity kompakt“

<http://diversity-kompakt.uni-frankfurt.de/>

Women's Representative and Equal Opportunities Office <http://www.goethe-university-frankfurt.de/50611397/Equality>

Inclusion officer

<http://tinygu.de/Inklusionsbeauftragte>



GeFKA

Frankfurter Gesellschaft zur Förderung der Kulturanthropologie e.V.

- Registered non-profit association
- Funding opportunities for anthropology related collegiate projects
- Equipment rental
- Organizing events at the institute

Radio show: monthly airtime (every first Monday of the month at 7pm) at local radio station RadioX:

<http://www.radiox.de/livestream>

Exhibition club: organizing exhibitions and vernissages at the institute

If you are interested to get more information or want to join the GeFKA: cansu.sah@web.de



**THANK YOU FOR LISTENING,
TIME FOR YOUR QUESTIONS 😊**