

# DGfA/GAAS Annual Convention Preliminary Program Regensburg 2011

## THURSDAY—16 June 2011

### 08:30-ca. 10:00

Business Meeting of Editors of DGfA/GAAS Publications—  
*Amerikastudien / American Studies* and  
*American Studies: A Monograph Series* (Altstadthotel Arch)

### 10:30-ca. 16:00

DGfA/GAAS Board Meeting (Altstadthotel Arch)

### 14:00

Guided Tour of Regensburg (meeting point: Altstadthotel Arch, main entrance)

### 15:00

Electronic Publishing and Digital Scholarship Initiative  
(Dorotheenkappelle, Haus der Begegnung, Hinter der Grieb 8)

Postgraduate Forum (PGF)—Young Scholars Forum  
(Bonhoeffer-Saal, Evangelisches Bildungswerk, Am Ölberg 2)

### 17:00 Conference Opening (Historischer Reichssaal im Alten Rathaus)

Joachim Wolbergs, Bürgermeister der Stadt Regensburg  
Peter Schneck, President, DGfA/GAAS  
Thomas Strothotte, Rektor der Universität Regensburg  
Conrad R. Tribble, Consul General of the United States of America

Awards Ceremony: Peter Schneck, President, DGfA/GAAS; Rolf Hoffmann,  
Executive Director, German-American Fulbright Commission

*Music: Bayerisches Jazzinstitut*

Opening Lecture: Alfred Hornung (Johannes Gutenberg-Universität Mainz),  
“ChinAmerica”

Udo Hebel, American Studies, Universität Regensburg

### Reception

## FRIDAY—17 June 2011

### Main Campus, University of Regensburg

### 09:00-10:30

**Plenary Lecture** (H24, VG): Shelley Fisher Fishkin (Stanford University,  
California), “Mapping Transnational American Studies”

*coffee break (Foyer)*

### 11:00-12:30

**Plenary Lecture** (H24, VG): Ian Tyrrell (University of New South Wales,  
Sydney), “In the Shadow of the Nation? U.S. Transnational History, Its  
Practice and Problems”

### 12:30-14:00

AK Teaching American Studies (Uni-Pizzeria D’Antoni, Forum)

Postgraduate Forum (PGF)—Lunch (Mensa)

### 14:00-17:30 Workshop Series 1

*coffee available (Foyer)*

### 16:45-17:15

University Library Tours (Zentralbibliothek, Informationszentrum)

A) Electronic Journals Library (Evelinde Hutzler)

B) Center for Digitization (Albert Schröder)

### 17:30

Women’s Caucus (H25, VG)

### Auditorium Thon-Dittmer-Palais, Haidplatz

### 20:00

**Reading:** Geling Yan; Lawrence A. Walker

Presented by Nassim W. Balestrini

## SATURDAY—18 June 2011

Main Campus, University of Regensburg

### 08:15

Research Grant Applications at the German Research Foundation (DFG) (H25, VG); Alfred Hornung (Johannes Gutenberg-Universität Mainz)

### 09:15-10:45

**Plenary Lecture** (H24, VG): Maria Diedrich (Westfälische Wilhelms-Universität Münster), “‘As if freedom were a city waiting for them in the distance’: The American Revolution and the Black Hessian Subject”

*coffee break (Foyer)*

### 11:00

DGfA Mitgliederversammlung / GAAS Business Meeting (H24, VG)

### 14:00-17:30 Workshop Series 2

*coffee available (Foyer)*

### 16:45-17:15

University Library Tours (Zentralbibliothek, Informationszentrum)

A) Electronic Journals Library (Evelinde Hutzler)

B) Center for Digitization (Albert Schröder)

The U.S. Congressional Serial Set—Readex Edition (Tim Russell, NewsBank/Readex Inc.) (Zentralbibliothek, Multimedia-Hörsaal)

### 17:30-18:45

**Panel Discussion** “Electronic Publishing and Open Access” (Zentralbibliothek, Informationszentrum)

Chair: Alfred Hornung (Johannes Gutenberg-Universität Mainz)

Panelists:

Rafael Ball (Universitätsbibliothek Regensburg)

Andreas Barth (Universitätsverlag WINTER Heidelberg)

Ulrich Dombrowsky (Buchhandlung Dombrowsky Regensburg)

Johannes Fournier (Wissenschaftliche Literaturversorgungs- u. Informationssysteme, DFG)

Holger Kersten (Electronic Publishing and Digital Scholarship Initiative)

Harald Müller (Max-Planck-Institut für ausländisches öffentliches Recht u. Völkerrecht)

### 19:30 Danube Cruise

Boarding at Schiffsanleger Helga, Eiserne Brücke, from 19:15

## SUNDAY—19 June 2011

Historischer Salzstadl, Donauufer Steinerne Brücke

### 09:30-11:00

**Plenary Lecture:** Kristin Hoganson (University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign), “Transnationalizing the Heartland Myth: Converging Borderlands in the Nineteenth-Century Midwest”

*coffee break*

### 11:30-13:00

**Concluding Panel Discussion** “Transnational American Studies Whereto?”

Chair: Klaus Benesch (Bayerische Amerika-Akademie)

Panelists:

Helmbrecht Breinig (Friedrich-Alexander-Universität Erlangen-Nürnberg)

Shelley Fisher Fishkin (Stanford University, California)

Kristin Hoganson (University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign)

Alfred Hornung (Johannes Gutenberg-Universität Mainz)

Barry Shank (Ohio State University, Columbus)

Ian Tyrrell (University of New South Wales, Sydney)

**End of Conference**

### Exhibit:

“Architecture Makes a Good Ambassador: Die Baugeschichte der Amerika-Haus-Neubauten im Nachkriegsdeutschland” by Gabriele Paulix

Friday, 17 June 2011 & Saturday, 18 June 2011—9:00-18:00

Foyer Verfügungsgebäude, Main Campus, University of Regensburg