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Islam, Youth and Gender in South and Southeast Asia

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CONFERENCE PROGRAMME

Friday, 20th April

Venue: Festsaal Luisenstraße, Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin

16.30 p.m.

Welcome address

Prof. Dr. Jan-Hendrik Olbertz, President of Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin

Prof. Dr. Vincent Houben, Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin

17.00 p.m.

Keynote address

Prof. Dr. Meena Sharify-Funk (Wilfrid Laurier University, Waterloo, Ontario)

LIVING CONTRADICTIONS AND CONVERSATIONS: LESSONS ON GENDER AND MUSLIM IDENTITY FROM SOUTH ASIAN ENCOUNTERS

Commentary: Prof. Dr. Claudia Derichs (Philipps-Universität Marburg)

Moderation: Nadja-Christina Schneider

18.15 p.m.

Film screening and talk with director

Ambarien Alqadar (New Delhi/Temple University, Philadelphia)

THE GHETTO GIRL (Delhi 2011)

Reception

Saturday, 21st April
(Venue: Seminarzentrum, Freie Universität Berlin)

9.00-10.00 a.m.

Panel 1: Translocal Feminisms, New Agendas
Moderation: Nadja-Christina Schneider

Dr. Nida Kirmani (Lahore School of Management Sciences)
Contentious Encounters: A Historical Comparison of the Indian and Pakistani Women's Movements' Relationship with Islam

Rafia Zaman, MPhil (Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi)
(Re)Framing The Issues: Muslim Women's Activism in Contemporary India

Coffee/Tea break

10.15-11.45 a.m.

Panel 2: Gender orders and changing gender roles
Moderation: Susanne Schröter

Prof. Dr. Sylvia Vatuk (Univ. of Illinois at Chicago)
Indian Muslim Women's Access to Property: Shari'at, Custom and Local Practice

Prof. Dr. Michael Peletz (Emory University, Atlanta)
Syariah, Inc.

Prof. Dr. Rachel Rinaldo (University of Virginia)
Muslim Women Activists and Interpretive Agency in Indonesia

Lunch break

13.00-15.00 p.m.

Panel 3: YOUNG RESEARCHERS' ROUNDTABLE

Doing Research on Gender, (Young) Muslim Women (and Men) and Muslim Women's Movement(s) in South and Southeast Asia

Participants in three discussion rounds:

Eva Langerbeck (Freie Universität Berlin)
Kristina Großmann (Goethe-Universität Frankfurt)
Ronja Eberle (Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin)
Jasmijn Rana (BGSMCS)
Ruth Streicher (BGSMCS)
Amporn Marddent (Goethe-Universität Frankfurt)
Shahnaz Khalil Khan (Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin)
Dana Fennert (Philipps-Universität Marburg)

Coffee/Tea break

15.30-16.30 p.m.

Panel 4: Islam as Lifestyle - Focus on media and consumerism

Dr. Thomas K. Gugler (Universität Wien)

Islamizing everyday routine: Imitatio Muhammadi as Ibadat

Commentary: Prof. Dr. Manja Stephan
Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin

16.45-17.45 p.m.

Panel 5: EXPERT TALK

Doing Research on Public Intellectuals and the Issue of Leadership

Discussants:

Prof. Dr. Claudia Derichs (Philipps-Universität Marburg)
Prof. Dr. Susanne Schröter (Goethe-Universität Frankfurt)
Prof. Dr. Dr. h.c. Gudrun Krämer (Freie Universität Berlin)

18.30 p.m.

Conference Dinner

for panelists, moderators and invited faculty and guests