

**Putting Human Rights to the Test
Claims, Interventions, and Contestations since 1990**

Thursday, May 16, 2019

10.00 a.m. –5.30 p.m.

Welcome: Norbert Frei

Keynote: Jan Eckel

Panel I: Expansion

Scott Straus (Madison): A Short History of Genocide and Mass Atrocity Prevention

Knud Andresen (Hamburg): Multinational Corporations after Apartheid in South Africa

Celia Donert (Liverpool): Women's Rights as Human Rights after 1990

Paul van Trigt (Leiden): The Fall of Utopia and the Integration of Disability in International Law

Panel II: Intervention

Stephen Wertheim (New York): Transformative Interventions: The Militarization of Humanitarianism in the United States

Markus Eikel (Den Haag): International Criminal Law and the Prosecution of Human Rights Violations

Barbara Keys (Melbourne): Targeting China through the Olympic Games, 1993-2001

6.30 p.m.

Dan Diner (Jerusalem): Public Lecture

Dinner

Friday, May 17, 2019

9.30 a.m. – 4.30 p.m.

Panel III: Contestations and Alternatives

Katrin Kinzelbach (Berlin): Asian Values versus Western Values – a False Dichotomy

Gudrun Krämer (Berlin): On Difference and Hierarchy: Islamic Debates about Equity and Equality

Averell Schmidt (Boston): Torture during the War on Terror: A Story of Contestation

Robert Horvath (Melbourne): Nationalising Human Rights in Russia

Panel IV: Human Rights and Scholarship

Annette Weinke (Jena): History und Transitional Justice – A Troubled Relationship

Matthias Koenig (Göttingen): Between Distance and Engagement – Human Rights in the Social Sciences

Heike Krieger (Berlin): From Euphoria to Skepticism: Human Rights Discourses in International Law

Observer statements

Michael Stolleis (Frankfurt a.M.)

Klaus Dicke (Jena)

Carola Sachse (Wien)