

Decentered Satellite Conference

SPINNING THE STICKY THREADS OF CHILDHOOD MEMORIES: FROM COLD WAR TO ANTHROPOCENE

OCTOBER 20 - 21, 2021



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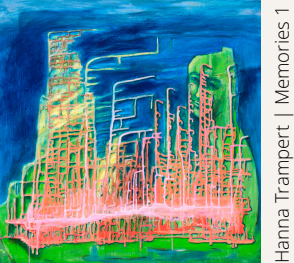
Africa Online Hub	(Re)connect, (Re)collect and (Re)imagine Childhoods for Pluriversal Politics
Atlanta Hub	Socialism, Capitalism, and Childhood: Material Lives and Mutual Imaginations
Hajdúböszörmény Hub	Early Childhood Pedagogy and Practice Beyond the Iron Curtain: Past, Present and Future
Tampere Hub	Reconfiguring Timespaces of Childhood

Berlin Hub

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CONFERENCE PROGRAMME

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 20

- ONLINE ONLY -

Online Opening of the Berlin Hub | **10:00 CET**

Session 1 | Exploring Narratives of Remembrance and Return

10:30-12:00

Anna Olsson Rost What have we forgotten? Using school magazines to reveal children's thinking about the Cold War and the future during the 1950s and 1960s

Tatjana Hofmann Erinnerungspoetiken in autobiographischer Prosa aus der Ukraine

Jakub Kazecki Coming back to Poland, coming back to childhood: narratives of return in contemporary migrant literature in Germany

Lunch Break

Session 2 | Searching for Soviet Childhood in "Decommunizing" Ukraine: On Memory and the Ethnographic Politics of Archive-Making

13:00-14:30

Maria Sokulsky-Dolnycky Prospective perspectives and metadata matters: Critical decision making and faithful preservation of memory in the creation of an ethnographic archive

Maria Sonevytsky Musical spectacles of happy Soviet childhood and the problematics of memory in decommunizing Ukraine

Galina Yarmanova Decolonizing school: Unsettling coloniality in Soviet and post-Soviet Ukrainian education through memory work

Coffee Break

Session 3 | Online Trans Hub Opening: Re/curating Memories of Childhood through Scholarly, Pedagogical and Artistic Engagements

15:00-16:00

Mnemo Zin Digital anarchive: (Re)stor(y)ing Cold War childhoods

Elena Jackson Albarran Anarchive, oral histories, and teaching comparative Cold War childhoods across geographies and generations

Raisa Foster Anarchive and artistic research

Coffee Break

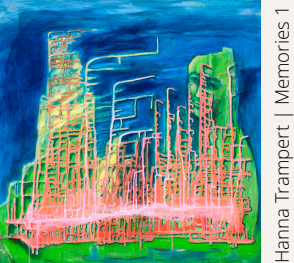
Session 4 | Graphic Novel Reading

16:30-17:00

Ulla Loge Da wird sich nie was ändern

Virtual Gathering | **17:00-17:30 CET**

On Wednesday, all sessions will be held online-only via Zoom, session links will be provided beforehand.



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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 21

- ON-SITE, HYBRID -

On-site Opening of the Berlin Hub | **09:00 CET**

Session 5 | Remembering Everyday Childhood: Biographies and Sense-Making
09:30-11:00

Urmila Goel Memories of the ordinary. Biographical interviews about childhoods in the German Democratic Republic and Romania

Tatiana Voronina Biographies of the Russian countryside: Non-Soviet childhood in narratives about the Vologda Villages of the Late Socialism

Katarzyna Gawlicz Mysterious cotton pieces: Silence, affects and creative agencies in girls' memories of menstruation
Zsuzsa Millei
Iveta Silova
Anna Bilon-Piórko

Coffee Break

Session 6 | Presentation of Memory Paintings

11:30-12:00

Hanna Trampert Co nas laczy - was uns verbindet - what united us

Lunch Break

Session 7 | Knowledge Production through Oral Narratives: Children's Imaginations of Life in the GDR
13:30-14:30

Julia Peuke Narrated childhoods - Memory conversations between
Detlef Pech primary school children and older people from GDR
Jara Urban

Julia Peuke What remains? The history of the GDR and German division in the perceptions of today's primary school children

Coffee Break

Session 8 | Artist Panel and Roundtable Discussion

15:00-17:00

Sarah Fichtner **Motion Comic & Talk:**
Anja Werner Connections across divides - Memories of ghost trains and ghost stations in former East and West Berlin

Luise Schröder **Performance lecture:**
Hope, Freedom, Friendship, Youth 2003-2005

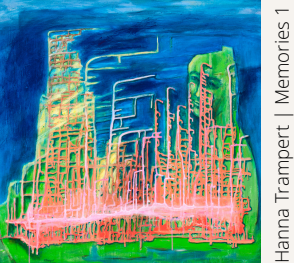
Coffee Break

Session 9 | Artistic Presentation

17:00-17:30

Margret Kube **Banner Presentation:** Die Passage
Short Story: Sommerferien im Osten

Conference Dinner | **19:30 CET**



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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 22

- ON-SITE, HYBRID -

Session 10 | Diasporic Remembrance: Geopolitical Constructs and Personal Narratives

09:00-11:00

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| Cristina Alarcón López | Unexpected global citizens. Latin American childhood exile memories of the Cold War |
| Elisabeth Kirndörfer | Childhood as narrative space: The biographical negotiations of the “upheaval generation” |
| Masha Beketova | Gender, Heimaten, Ängste und Verbindungen in den Kindheits- und Jugenderinnerungen postsowjetischer LGBTIQ+ Migrant_innen |
| Susanne Ress | BERLIN BEING HOME – Fragments and Connections |

Coffee Break

Session 11 | Remembering the State and the Institutionalisation of Childhood

11:30-13:00

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| Frank Beier | Black and colorful boxes: Childhood memories of former political persecuted women in the GDR |
| Irena Kašparová | When the body speaks back: Exploring childhood memories of Post/Socialist institutional experiences |
| Beatrice Scutaru | |
| Iveta Silova | |
| Zsuzsa Millei | |
| Joanna Omylinska-Thurson | |

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| Alexandra Evdokimova | Individual memories about the Soviet military sports game "Zarnitsa": Worth remembering? |
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Lunch Break

Session 12 | Contemporary and Past Perceptions of Life in the GDR

14:00-15:30

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| Claudia Dreke | People, state and nation: Upheaval in the GDR between 1989 and 1990 as seen in drawings of students' then, and in their memories today |
| April Reber | 'Bei uns in der DDR': Post-GDR generations laying claim to the GDR |
| Judith Enders | Facing the transformation experience - the story of Perspektive ³ e.V. |

Coffee Break

Closing Session | Future Perspectives

16:00-16:30

End of conference | **16:30 CET**