Dear reader,

We are delighted to send you our very first newsletter today to provide you with a condensed account of the activities at the College over the last months and an outlook on future developments.

With welcoming our first cohort of international Senior Fellows in March, the College is enriched with versatile
research topics of scholars from all over the world. In addition to their projects, they organise various academic events, most of which are open to the public. Moreover, we are once again calling for applications for our Senior Fellowship Programme - outstanding international researchers can apply until 10 June.

**NEWS**
Announcements and updates

**Call for Applications: Senior Fellowships starting in 2025**

Excellent international researchers can apply until 10 June 2024 for research fellowships commencing in March or September 2025. The Senior Fellowship Programme addresses experienced scholars in the social sciences and humanities who are active members of a foreign university or research institution and feature an internationally recognised, outstanding research profile. They have the opportunity to work on independent research projects over the course of six months, integrated in the interdisciplinary academic environment of the College.

[Learn more]
First Senior Fellows Started Research Stays at the College

The College welcomed its first ten Senior Fellows in March. Their reception marked the official start of the Senior Fellowship Programme. The renowned international researchers come to the University Alliance Ruhr from universities in Australia, Brazil, the United Kingdom, Canada, Nigeria, Poland, Turkey, and the USA.

Learn more

FEATURES
New feature articles

In the FEATURES section, we provide insights into the activities of the College, display different perspectives within the social sciences and humanities, and spotlight individual researchers with their projects.

Extraordinary Meeting: Interview with the Scientific Board

The Scientific Board members explain the College's purpose and the benefits for scholars of the UA Ruhr, and they elucidate the role of the Senior Fellowship Programme in tapping the potential of collaborative research.

Learn more

MEET THE COLLEGE
Our current Senior Fellows

In collaboration with their tandem partners from Ruhr University Bochum, TU Dortmund University, and the University of Duisburg-Essen, our international Senior Fellows are...
working on independent research projects during their six-month fellowships in Essen. The spectrum of disciplines encompasses literary, cultural and media studies, performativity studies, history, political science, educational science and sociology, and economics.

Prof. Stephen Brown  
University of Ottawa (Canada) | Political Science

Prof. Sule E. Egya  
Ibrahim Badamasi Babangida University, Lapai (Nigeria) | African Literature, Environmental Humanities

Prof. Mila Ganeva  
Miami University Ohio (USA) | German Studies, Film Studies

Prof. Marta García Morcillo  
Durham University (UK) | Ancient History

Prof. M. Erdem Özgür  
Dokuz Eylül University Izmir (Turkey) | Economics

Prof. Manuel Souto-Otero  
Cardiff University (UK) | Education, Sociology

Prof. Malgorzata Sugiera  
Jagiellonian University Cracow (Poland) | Performativity Studies

Prof. Douglas Wegner  
Fundação Dom Cabral (Brazil) | Business Administration

Prof. Christina Vagt

Prof. Peter Woelert
EVENTS
June 2024
Throughout June, academic events on a wide range of topics are taking place at the College, often with speakers from abroad. We hope to meet you at one of our events in Essen or online.

Workshop
Forgotten by Design. Foundational Limits and Dysfunctionalities in Computational Cognitive-Behavioral Environments
4–5 June 2024 | Essen
Please register by 03/06, 12 pm.

Learn more

Workshop
Mode, Bild, Exil: Zur Wiederentdeckung der Theaterfotografin Elli Marcus (1899-1977)
12–13 June 2024 | Essen
Please register by 10/06, 12 pm.

Learn more
Panel
Ambitious Goals, Sober Reality? Feminist Foreign and Development Policy Put to the Test
25 June 2024, 4–6 pm | Essen
in cooperation with the Institute for Development and Peace (INEF)
Please register by 21/06, 12 pm.

SAVE THE DATE

Workshop
German Influence on Turkish Economic Thought and Policy
20–21 June 2024 | Essen | hybrid

Reading
Reading Session with Sule Emmanuel Egya
21 June 2024 | Essen

REVIEW & PREVIEW
Looking back and ahead
Review:

- Launching the College's website in March was a milestone in our communications. We have also set up a LinkedIn page: www.linkedin.com/company/college-uaruhr.
- In April, Laura Ziewitz joined our Managing Office as Event Coordinator. She supports Senior Fellows and College members with planning and organising various academic events at the College. A warm welcome! Learn more

Preview:

- Further interesting events are diligently being planned for July and August – check our website regularly for updates.
- We are already looking forward to welcoming our second cohort of Senior Fellows who will begin their research stays at the College in September.

Feedback & Contact

We value your feedback and will gladly answer your questions.

Contact us

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