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## Minor Cosmopolitanisms

DFG Research Training Group

## Opening

Friday, 28 October, 2016 at 5:00 pm

University of Potsdam Campus Am Neuen Palais Obere Mensa (building 12)



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The Research Training Group Minor Cosmopolitanisms wishes to establish new ways of studying and understanding the cosmopolitan project against and beyond its Eurocentric legacies. It will focus on concrete critical, artistic as well as everyday practices that straddle the schism between cultural relativism and humanist universalism, and combine visions of transcultural justice, peace and conviviality with an ethical commitment to difference and alterity.

The RTG takes up its work in October 2016 with its first generation of doctoral and postdoctoral researchers. To celebrate the start of the programme, and present the RTG's aims and approaches, we cordially invite you to our opening event.

#### Programme

### 5:00 pm Welcome Addresses Prof. Oliver Günther, Ph.D. President of the University of Potsdam Prof. Dr. Thomas Brechenmacher Dean of the Faculty of Arts at the University of Potsdam The Research Training Group 5:30 pm **Minor Cosmopolitanisms** Prof. Dr. Lars Eckstein, Prof. Dr. Dirk Wiemann Spokespersons of the RTG Representatives of the doctoral researchers 6:00 pm Lectures: Variations on an Atlantic Theme The Sephardi-Moorish Atlantic: Between Orientalism and Occidentalism. Prof. Ella Shohat New York University The Red (Indigenous) Atlantic:

From the "White Indian" to the Radical Indian. Prof. Robert Stam New York University

The lectures will be followed by a reception.