

# Symbolic Materiality and Atmospheres of Space in Southeastern Europe

PhD Workshop, Department of History

University of Hamburg, September 19–20, 2019

## Day 1, Thursday, 19/09/2019

19:00 Keynote Lecture: Dr. Benno Hinkes: *Eastern Atmospheres?*  
Room ESA O 221, Edmund-Siemers-Allee 1, Flügelbau Ost

20:30 Conference dinner

## Day 2, Friday, 20/09/2019

Room ESA O 222, Edmund-Siemers-Allee 1, Flügelbau Ost

9:00-9:15 Introduction by Lea Horvat and Magdalena Saiger

9:15-10:45 Session 1

Maria Adamopoulou (Florence): *Migrants' Homecomings from West Germany to Greece in the Period 1960-1989: Emotions, Impressions, Auras*

Aleksandar Ranković (London/Berlin):

*Borderland Atmospheres: Identification and Belonging in the Northern Adriatic*

10:45-11:15 Coffee break

11:15-12:45: Session 2

Ivana Mihaela Žimbek (Budapest/Vienna): *Department Stores as Exhibition Spaces: The Self-Service System and Expert Planning of Retail Spaces in Socialist Yugoslavia in the 1960s*

Petar Odak (Budapest/Vienna/Utrecht):

*Atmosphere, Aura, Authenticity: Affective Micropolitics of Space in Postsocialist Experience Economy*

12:45-13:30 Lunch break

13:30-15:00 Session 3

Cristina Moraru (Iași):

*The "Undecidable Trace" of Symbolic Spaces Revealed through Artistic Practices*

Sonja Dragović (Lisbon/Podgorica): *"The Weight that Brings us Together":*

*Spomen Dom in Kolašin as the Space of Community Construction, Reflection and Change*

15:00-15:30 Final discussion

15:30: visit to the exhibition *Neue Heimat (1950-1982): A social democratic utopia and its buildings*,  
Museum für Hamburgische Geschichte