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Processes of collaboration encourage the negotiation between different concepts of identities. At the same time, might collaboration itself be constitutive for feeling a belonging, an experience of identity?

This lecture series investigates how the plurality of perspectives, shaped by a diversity of cultural, national and social experiences, integral to collaboration, e. g. in artist collectives, leads to novel, constantly shifting identities that are no longer tied to national backgrounds. What can we learn from transnational artist groups such as the Blue Rider Movement in times of emerging populism demanding a clearly fixed national identity? More broadly, what is the link between the arts and processes of identity construction?

Recent projects, such as the Humboldt Forum in Berlin, have highlighted the dilemma that identity still appears to be tied to a form of national belonging and creative production. Without an awareness of identity politics, however, the perspectives of non-Western minorities will still be marginalised. What should a museum that enables the presentation of multiple perspectives be like? Is there a way for identity to be global and local at the same time?

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PROGRAMM

April 23, 2018 Dr Sarah Hegenbart, Munich Perspectives in Plural: Collaborating Cultures, Negotiating Identities TU, Vorhoelzer Forum ArtHist.net

May 7, 2018 Dr Kristian Handberg, Copenhagen Multiple Modernisms – curating the postwar era for the present TU, Vorhoelzer Forum

May 14, 2018 Prof Kerstin Pinther, Munich tba Lenbachhaus, Georg-Knorr-Saal

May 28, 2018 Dr Jeff Bowersox, London Troubling the Nation: Black Germans and the Teaching of History TU, Vorhoelzer Forum

June 4, 2018 Prof Thomas Thiemeyer, Tübingen Cosmopolitanizing Colonial Memories in Berlin: The Humboldt Forum and the current Shift in Germany's Culture of Remembrance TU, Vorhoelzer Forum

June 11, 2018 Prof Viola König, Berlin Under the shadow of the Christian cross: visions, delusions, and national Realpolitik. Whose concepts will be seen, whose voices can be heard behind the coat of baroque facades inside a fakes Prussion palace? TU, Vorhoelzer Forum

June 18, 2018 Dr Antje Krause-Wahl, Frankfurt Paint, Portraiture, Politics. Figurations and Negotiations of Identity TU, Vorhoelzer Forum

June 25, 2018 Camille Varenne, artist based in Clermont-Ferrand (France) and Ouagadougou (Burkina Faso) Together are the brave: Western in West African Cinematographies Lenbachhaus, Georg-Knorr-Saal

July 2, 2018 Pascale Obolo, artist based in Paris Decolonize architecture now: Occupy Schloss von Puttakamer Lenbachhaus, Georg-Knorr-Saal

July 9, 2018 Lilia Youssefi, cultural and political scientist, Berlin No multiperspectivity without diversity – why representation matters! TU, Vorhoelzer Forum Reference:

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