

Why are we interested in Latin America? Why is it important to deal with Latin America and knowledge production from Latin America? How is the region perceived from the outside? What role does it play in international and global issues? These topics will be the focus of the ADLAF Conference 2024. We will also look at how regional research on Latin America is organized in Germany, which fields of research are particularly important, how the relationship between disciplinary and transdisciplinary research has developed and what role the funding organizations play.

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América Latina en la ciencia y la política A América Latina na ciência e na política Latin America in Science and Politics

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 Ibero-Amerikanisches
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Thursday, June 6, 2024

13.30 – 14.45h

Welcome, introduction

Presentation of the study “Latin American and Caribbean research in German-speaking countries”

14.45 – 15.00h

Break

15.00 – 16.30h

Roundtable 1: Research funding and research alliances

- » **Vivien Baganz**, Bundesministerium für Bildung und Forschung, Head of Division 213 - Cooperation with North and South America
- » **Daniel Zimmermann**, Deutscher Akademischer Austauschdienst, Director German-Argentine University Center
- » **Dietrich Halm**, Deutsche Forschungsgemeinschaft, Director International Cooperation with Latin America
- » **Carlos Nupia**, Berlin
- » **Michael Janoschka**, Karlsruhe Institute for Technology

Moderation: **Barbara Göbel**, Director Ibero-Amerikanisches Institut, Berlin

16.30 – 16.45h

Break

16.45 – 18.15h

Roundtable 2: Áreas y disciplinas como elementos estructuradores del paisaje académico

- » **Clara Ruvituso**, Ibero-Amerikanisches Institut, Berlin
- » **Inke Gunia**, Universität Hamburg, Institut für Romanistik
- » **Jan Simon Hutta**, Universität Bayreuth, Chair of Cultural Geography
- » **Karina Kriegesmann**, Freie Universität Berlin, Lateinamerika-Institut

Moderación: **Anika Oettler**, Philipps-Universität Marburg, Institut für Soziologie

18.45 – 20.30h

Reunión general de la ADLAF (en alemán; sólo para miembros e invitados)

Friday, June 7, 2024

09.00 – 10.30h

Panel: Acción colectiva, gobernanza, y democracia

- » **Johanna Höhl**, Universität Heidelberg: “Gobernando recursos en territorios indígenas – la megarepresa Ralco en la Región del Biobío, Chile”
- » **Giovanna Gasparello**, Instituto Nacional de Antropología e Historia, México: “Procesos autonómicos y comunitarios en México: construcción de poder local para la defensa del territorio y la vida”
- » **Philipp Naucke**, Philipps-Universität Marburg: “Comunidades de Paz en la Zona de Contacto. La Formación Cotidiana del Estado Local por Campesinos Colombianos”
- » **Luis Berneth Peña**, Zentralinstitut für Lateinamerikastudien (ZILAS), Katholische Universität Eichstätt-Ingolstadt: “La paz como la restitución de las funciones colectivas del territorio”

Moderación: **Luis Bastidas**, Universität Bayreuth, Fachgruppe Soziologie

10.30 – 11.00h

Break

11.00 – 12.30h

Roundtable 3: América Latina global: temas, conceptos y diálogos / América Latina Global: Temas, conceitos e diálogos

- » **Merike Blofield**, Universität Hamburg
- » **Angelika Rettberg**, Universidad de los Andes, Bogotá
- » **Mariana Llanos**, GIGA Institut für Lateinamerikastudien, Hamburg
- » **Luicy Pedroza**, El Colegio de México, Ciudad de México
- » **Rainer Wehrhahn**, Christian-Albrechts-Universität zu Kiel

Moderación: **Peter Birle**, Ibero-Amerikanisches Institut, Berlin

12.30 – 13.30h

Discusión final

Formato abierto: Fish Bowl / Relatores de los paneles individuales / Participación de todos los asistentes. Formato abierto: Fish Bowl / Relatores dos painéis individuais / Participação de todos os participantes. Open format: Fish Bowl / Rapporteurs of the individual panels / Participation of all attendees

Moderación: **Debora Gerstenberger**, Universität zu Köln / **Yasmin Temelli**, Universität Siegen