

# Africa-Asia Connections



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Film poster from „Chanthalay“

January 11, 2018

## Guest lecture: "Writing Sensory Ethnography"

in the seminar „Sensorische Ethnografie: Nachbarschaftsqualität im urbanen Raum“

by Dr. Ala R. Alhourani, University of the Western Cape, South Africa

12 - 1.30 pm

VENUE:

Hörsaal F (Hörsaalgebäude), University of Cologne

## Filmscreening and Discussion: „Ethics of Religion in and of Long Street, Cape Town“

with Dr. Ala R. Alhourani

6 - 8 pm

VENUE:

Hörsaal F (Hörsaalgebäude), University of Cologne

January 16, 2018 | 6pm

## Filmscreening and Discussion: „Chanthaly“

*Film by Mattie Do*

*Laos 2012, '98 minutes*

A sickly young woman is visited by visions of her dead mother. Desperately, she tries to find out if the symptoms are simply side effects of her daily medication, or if her mother actually reaches for her from the afterlife ...

„Chanthaly“ is considered the first Laotian horror film and caused a sensation at several film festivals. It throws light on generational conflicts in present-day Laos and the uncanny presence of various ghost beings in Lao everyday religiosity. From the ethnological perspective, the ensuing podium discussion will focus on the tensions between tradition and modernity in Laotian society as well as the special role of ghost faith.

Discussion with:

- Patrice Ladwig (Max Planck Institute for - the Study of Religious and Ethnic Diversity, Göttingen)
- Michael Kleinod (Department of Southeast Asian Studies, University of Bonn)
- Oliver Tappe (Global South Studies Center, University of Cologne)

VENUE:

**TURISTARAMA**

Kino • Konzerte • Kultur

Mauritiussteinweg 102

50676 Köln

FREE ENTRY

February 1-2, 2018

## Workshop: Africa-China/China-Africa Mobilities

SPEAKERS:

Manon Diederich (UoC), Sarah Hanisch (UoC), Kejie Huang (SYSU), Severin Kaji (UoC), Lai Pik Chan (UoC), Lin, Dan (SYSU), Tian Chen (UWC/UCT), Zhang Hong (SYSU)

VENUE:

Internationales Kolleg Morphomata

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(rear building, entrance to the left)



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