De-centering Academia: InterAsian Perspectives

**Workshop on Friday, September 13 2024
at the German Institute for Japanese Studies (DIJ) in Tokyo**

The workshop is being held on-site, and the capacity has already been reached.

Morning session	*Organized by the Shaping Asia Network Initiative "Knowledge Production and Circulation"*
10:00-10:05	Welcome address by Franz Waldenberger (DIJ)
10:05-10:30	Introduction to the 'Shaping Asia'-program and methodology: Claudia Derichs (Humboldt University Berlin) and Joanna Pfaff-Czarnecka (Bielefeld University)
10:30-11:00	Keynote 1: "Negotiating Decolonisation Efforts and Academic Freedom: Resisting Co-optation into the Mainstream" by Vineeta Sinha (National University of Singapore)
11:00-11:30	Keynote 2: "De-centering epistemic coloniality at the research-policy interface: migration studies and the migration state" by Francis Collins (University of Auckland)
11:30-12:00	Short Q&A and short break
12:00-12:10	Comments by Tsuyoshi Ishii (University of Tokyo)
12:10-12:20	Comments by Noorman Abdullah (National University of Singapore)
12:20-12:30	Comments by Dhruv Raina (Jawaharlal Nehru University)
12:30-13:00	General discussion
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13:00-14:30	Lunch break

Afternoon session, part 1	*Organized by the Knowledge Lab, DIJ*
14:30-14:35	Introduction of the Knowledge Lab by Franz Waldenberger (DIJ)
14:35-14:50	"Problematizing Carl Schmitt's Position in Decolonial Projects" by Harald Kümmerle (DIJ)
14:50-15:05	"De-centering Japanese knowledge in (post)colonial Korea" by Dolf-Alexander Neuhaus (DIJ)
15:05-15:20	"De-Centering Thai Studies" by David Malitz (DIJ)
15:20-15:35	"Disassembling Southeast Asia: On Geological Body, Bumantara and Decolonizing Southeast Asia" by Fathun Karib (National University of Singapore)
15:35-16:00	Combined discussion

Afternoon session, part 2	
16:00-17:00	Plenary discussion, including a reflection on synergies and/or complementary fields of interest between the DIJ and Shaping Asia

Evening	
17:00-19:00	Networking reception