

KULTUR SYMPOSIUM WEIMAR

Programme

16 & 17 June 2021



Generations

Over the course of two days, the Goethe-Institut discusses the pressing generational issues of our time with guests from culture, science, business, media and politics. The Kultursymposium Weimar takes a look at the inheritance of the past as well as the challenges of the future and discusses the coexistence of the generations worldwide. In times of distance caused by the current pandemic, the diverse programme enables a digital encounter with lively discussions, interactive lectures and time for virtual exchange.

CONFLICT & COOPERATION

How do young and old live together around the globe today?

IDENTITY & MEMORY

What should the world of tomorrow look like – and who makes the rules?

SUSTAINABILITY & THE FUTURE

What shapes us - and what stories do we want to tell future generations?

Carola Lentz (Germany) Vivian Perkovic (Host)

Welcome

Michelle Müntefering (Germany)

Subculture Investment Bank 13:10

Shrine to Review the Universe of **Images**

Li Hanwei (China)

Unknown Pathways 13:20

Generations of Humans and other Apes

> Jane Goodall (Great Britain) Vivian Perkovic (Host)

13:35 **Unboxing my Generation**

Juan Carlos Rincón (Colombia)

Generations: A Closer Look 13:40

Do they actually exist, what do they have in common, and when is it Time for the Next Generation to take over?

> Monika Bielskyte (Lithuania), Maryam Laushi (Nigeria), Robert Waldinger (US), Ranga Yogeshwar (Luxembourg)

Johanna M. Keller (Host)

2 pm

14:35 Shadow of Change

A New Hope for Traditional **Malaysian Art**

Fusion Wayang Kulit (Malaysia)

Live from Weimar 14:45

Vivian Perkovic + Kirsten Münch (Correspondent Weimar)

14:55 Pengsoo for President

How an Irreverent Penguin became a Spokesperson for South Korea's Millenials

> Jimin Kang (Korea/US) Regine Hader (Host)

3 pm

15:15 **Intergenerational Contracts**

How Young and Old Support each Other

> Alberto Cabanes (Spain). Hosea-Che Dutschke (Denmark), Ana P. Santos (Philippines)

Jana Binder (Host)

MEMORY

COOPERATIO

& IDENTITY & MEMO

Rashin Fahandej (US/Iran)

16:20 Emil's World

Challenges of Future Generations

Ranga Yogeshwar (Luxembourg)

16:55 Unboxing my Generation

Agnė Juškėnaitė (Lithuania)

5 pm

17:00 Das Blaue Sofa

Conversations about Literature and Generations (I)

Rayk Anders (Germany), Dana Grigorcea (Switzerland), Wolfgang Schäuble (Germany), Daniel Wisser (Austria)

Immanuel Hermreck (Welcome)

17:10 Future Library

 A Conversation about Woods and Books

> Katie Paterson (Great Britain), Anne Beate Hovind (Norway) Martina Puchberger (Host)

17:25 Stars, Planets and

Intelligent Life
The Life Cycle of Galactic
Civilisations

Avi Loeb (Israel/US)
Vivian Perkovic (Host)

17:40 A Glance into the Year 2099

What kind of World will the Generation of our Grandchildren and Great-Grandchildren Live in?

> Rutger Bregman (Norway), Björn Theis (Germany), Julia Watson (Australia)

Katja Kessing (Host)

18:35 Live Q&A

With Rashin Fahandej

Rashin Fahandej (USA/Iran) Martina Puchberger (Host)

18:35 Live Q&A

With Rutger Bregman

Rutger Bregman (Niederlande) Katja Kessing (Host)

19:00 Das Blaue Sofa

Conversations about Literature and Generations (II)

Rayk Anders (Germany), Dana Grigorcea (Switzerland), Wolfgang Schäuble (Germany), Daniel Wisser (Austria)

12 pm

12:30 Virtual Weimar

An Invitation to Digital Exchange with other Participants

1 pm

13:00 **Opening**

Vivian Perkovic (Host)

Welcome

Benjamin-Immanuel Hoff (Germany)

13:10 **Unboxing my Generation**

Tim Rowett (Great Britain)

13:15 **Temperature Rising**

Climate Change and Solidarity between the Generations

> Navroz K. Dubash (India), Tobias Reuss (Germany). Chlöe Swarbrick (New Zealand) Katarzyna Wielga-Skolimowska (Host)

2 pm

14:10 **Foodbank for Pollinators**

Seeding for Future Generations

Natalie Taylor (Great Britain). Kristin Jakubek (Germany) Lin Franke (Host)

14:20 A Toothless Grin

A Video-Artwork on Alienation through Digitalisation

Kristin Jakubek (Germany)

14:30 **Talking Across Time**

Warning Future Generations about nuclear waste

Jon Lomberg (US)

Unboxing my Generation 14:40

Jia-Hui Li (Peggy Lee) (Taiwan)

14:45 **Japan & Niger**

Insights into the Oldest and the Youngest Nation on Earth

> Nouhou Abdoul Moumouni (Niger), Keisuke Otsu (Japan) Benjamin Bergner (Host)

3 pm

15:20 **Haircuts & Social Justice**

Three Generations from Los Angeles in Conversation

> Reeves Gift (US). Madin Lopez (US), Karen Tongson (US)











4 pm

16:10 Family Matters

The Canelands

Zara Julius (Südafrika) Vivian Perkovic (Host)

16:40 Unboxing My Generation

Andeel (Egypt)

5 pm

17:00 Inherited Wounds

 The Transmission of Trauma to the Next Generation

> Gabriela Fried Amilivia (Uruguay) Vivian Perkovic (Host)

17:10 Lewat Liwet Talks

EMORY & IDENTITY

A Conversation about
 Generations with Five Art
 Collectives in Indonesia

Gudskul (Indonesia)

17:20 Changing Love

How our Ideas of Sexuality and Partnership are Evolving

JJ Bola (Great Britain), Sima Taparia (India), Ruth Westheimer (US) Johanna M. Keller (Host) 6 pm

18:15 Conclusion and Outlook

Johannes Ebert (Germany) Vivian Perkovic (Host)

7 pm

19:20 Ok, Boomer! Ach, Greta!

Which Generation is Moving Society forward?

> 3sat Kulturzeit Extra Vivian Perkovic (Host)

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