

A basic assumption of our Collaborative Research Center is that *Macht und Herrschaft*, power and domination, manifest themselves in the organization of the controlled space. This assumption opens up a multitude of avenues to explore this topic in an interdisciplinary and transculturally comparative way. For a long time, center and periphery were understood as a rigid, interrelated system with an active, structuring center and a dependent, passive periphery. The spatial turn, computer-aided network analyses and the stronger emphasis on agency have substantially changed our understanding of center and periphery without fully exploiting the analytical potential and dynamic interdependence of space and domination. The aim of the conference is to develop the thematic field from the perspective of a wide variety of disciplines and to make the transdisciplinary discussion fruitful for research within the respective disciplines by applying a wide range of approaches. The negotiation processes between center and periphery, the waxing and waning of the communication space, the mobility of persons and things, the center as world order, which propagates its idea of the world through ideology and architecture, are topics to be discussed.

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## Core, Periphery, Frontier – Spatial Patterns of Power

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# Program

## Thursday, March 28, 2019

13.30 | Opening Ceremony **Volker Kronenberg**,  
Dean of the Faculty of Arts (University of Bonn)

14.00–14.45 | **Karl Friday** (Saitama University)  
How the North Was Won: Japan's Eighth-Century  
Pacification Wars in Perspective

14.45–15.30 | **Satoru Kuroshima** (University of Tokyo)  
Awareness of Borders in Medieval Japan  
Chair: **Detlev Taranczewski** (University of Bonn)

15.30–16.00 | Coffee Break

16.00–16.45 | **Jan Kusber** (University of Mainz)  
“Unter die hohe Hand nehmen”. Herrschaftsantritte  
russischer Herrscher und Herrscherinnen an der  
Peripherie im 17. und 18. Jahrhundert

16.45–17.30 | **Diana Ordubadi** (University of Bonn)  
Moskau als drittes Rom und Konstantinopel: Das Verhältnis  
zweier christlich-orthodoxer Zentren im 16. Jahrhundert  
Chair: **Dittmar Dahlmann** (University of Bonn)

18.30 | Evening Lecture by **Stefan Breuer**  
(University of Hamburg)  
Zentrum und Peripherie in soziologischer Perspektive  
Introduction: **Matthias Becher**, Chair of the SFB 1167  
(University of Bonn)

19.30 | Reception  
(Fritz' Café, An der Schloßkirche 4, 53113 Bonn)

## Friday, March 29, 2019

09.00–09.45 | **Anna Flückiger** (University of Basel)  
Zentrum und Peripherie in der (ur- und) frühgeschichtlichen  
Archäologie: ein Überblick

09.45–10.30 | **Timo Bremer** (University of Bonn)  
Colognes Impact on the Rural Hinterland in Early and  
High Medieval Times: Economic Specialization, Social  
Networks and Elite Control  
Chair: **Jan Bemmman** (University of Bonn)

10.30–11.00 | Coffee Break

11.00–11.45 | **Andrew Reynolds** (UCL London)  
Borders and Places: Creating Socio-Political Identity  
in Early Medieval England

11.45–12.30 | **Christoph Ulf** (University of Innsbruck)  
Der Einfluss von Macht auf Kontaktzonen und Rezeptivität  
Chair: **Susanne Reichert** (University of Bonn)

12.30–14.00 | Lunch

14.00–14.45 | **Martin Saxer** (LMU Munich)  
Place-knots and Pathways: Two Notions to Approach  
Margins at the Crossroads of Global Connections

14.45–15.30 | **Peter Schwieger** (University of Bonn)  
Zur Herausbildung territorialer und gesellschaftlicher  
Zentren und Peripherien in der tibetischen Geschichte  
Chair: **Teresa Raffelsberger** (University of Bonn)

15.30–16.00 | Coffee Break

16.00–16.45 | **Martin Büchsel** (University of Frankfurt)  
Das “Gothaer Liebespaar”. Die Ausformung unterschied-  
licher Künstlermilieus am Mittelrhein

16.45–17.30 | **Christian Freigang** (FU Berlin)  
Künstlerische Universalität als Legitimation von Macht:  
Strategien der spätmittelalterlichen Hofkunst im franzö-  
sischen Kontext  
Chair: **Harald Wolter**-von dem Knesebeck (University of Bonn)

19.00 | Dinner for invited speakers and chairs  
(Im Stiefel, Bonngasse 30, 53111 Bonn)

## Saturday, March 30, 2019

09.00–09.45 | **David Sabel** (University of Bonn)  
The Power of Mobility, the Mobility of Power.  
“City”-standards on peripheral rock-art in Pre- and  
Early Dynastic Egypt

09.45–10.30 | **Mohamed Abdelhay** (Heritage Manage-  
ment Assuan) and **Ludwig Morenz** (University of Bonn)  
Centre in the Periphery? Approaching the recently  
discovered protodynastic Wadi el Malik  
Chair: **Ludwig Morenz** (University of Bonn)

10.30–11.00 | Coffee Break

11.00–11.45 | **Ishayahu Landa**  
(Hebrew University/University of Bonn)  
The Strategic Communication between the Yuan  
Imperial Capitals and the Regional Powers at the  
Empire's Northern Frontiers  
Chair: **Ralph Kauz** (University of Bonn)

11.45 | Wrap up  
**Detlev Taranczewski** and **Daniel F. Schley**  
(University of Bonn)