PROGRAMME

RESEARCH FORUM

Wednesday, WS 2015/16
4–6 pm
Building LE, Room 736
Forsthausweg 2, 47057 Duisburg
University of Duisburg-Essen

20.04.2016 Policies Designed to Fail: Health-Caregiver Migration to Japan and Germany
Gabriele Vogt, Professor of Japanese Politics and Society, Asien-Afrika-Institute, University of Hamburg

27.04.2016 Rebels in Power: Chaos and Order in China’s Cultural Revolution
Felix Wemheuer, Professor of Chinese Studies, Faculty of Arts and Humanities, Institute of East Asian Studies – Chinese Studies, University of Cologne

11.05.2016 Construction of the Image of Africa for the Chinese public
Xiaoling Zhang, PhD Program Director, School of Contemporary Chinese Studies, University of Nottingham, Nottingham, UK

18.05.2016 The developmental state and inequality: the case of tax policy in modern Japan
Andrea Revelant, Assistant Professor, Department of Asian and North African Studies, Ca Foscari University, Venice, Italy
08.06.2016  **Japan’s Immigration Politics, 1966-2016: Four Waves of Immigration Debate and the Making of a New Immigration Country**  
David Chiavacci, Mercator Professor in Social Science of Japan, University of Zurich, Switzerland.  

The above lecture will start at 2 pm in room LE 736

13.06.2016  **Recent developments in Chinese policies on forest ownership and management**  
Junzuo Zhang, Team Leader, China-UK Collaboration on International Forest Investment & Trade Programme (InFIT), China

The above lecture is on a MONDAY and will start at 1 pm in room LE 736

06.07.2016  **Territorial Urbanization and the Party-state in China: Economy, Politics and Exigencies of the Mao Era**  
Carolyn Cartiere, Professor of Human Geography and China Studies, University of Technology Sydney, Australia

13.07.2016  **Promoting a “robot barrier free society”? Political, societal and ethical aspects of the “Robot Revolution Initiative” of the Abe Cabinet**  
Cosima Wagner, Freie Universität Berlin

19.07.2016  **The spatial mobility of local officials in the Chinese bureaucracy: Some preliminary findings and their implications.**  
Xueguang Zhou, Kwoh Ting Li Professor in Economic Development; Professor and Chair Department of Sociology; Senior Fellow, Freeman Spogli Institute for International Studies.

The above lecture will start at 5 pm in room SG 183