Department of Anglophone Studies

Postcolonial Studies Section

"ABORIGINAL AUSTRALIA AND ME"



Lecture / Reading with:

Philip McLaren (Australia)

Friday, 7 October 2011, 18.30h ESG / Die Brücke

Sydney-born writer, artist and filmmaker Philip McLaren is a proud descendant of the Kamilaroi, the indigenous population of New South Wales, Australia. He has published five internationally acclaimed novels to date, including *Fresh Water, Stolen Land* (which won the David Unaipon Award in 1993), *Scream Black Murder* (1995), *Lightning Mine* (1999), *There'll be New Dreams* (2001) and *Murder in Utopia* (2007).

On Friday, 7 October McLaren will give a lecture on the Aboriginal people of Australia and read from, as well as talk about, his works. There will also be time for questions.

The author is currently visiting Duisburg-Essen University on invitation of the Postcolonial Studies Section of the Department of Anglophone Studies. From 5-7 October he will be teaching a creative writing-workshop.