Masculinities Aging Between Cultures: Methods and Concepts in Dialogue

Virtual Workshop at the University of Rostock

22-23th April 2021

Programme

Thursday, 22 April 2021

10.00 – 10.15 Welcome Address:
Christian Schmitt-Kilb (University of Rostock) and Heike Hartung (University of Graz)

10.15 – 11.45 Introductory Panel Discussion:

Masculinities ageing between Cultures: The Concepts Care, Kinship and Relationality in Dialogue
Roberta Maierhofer (University of Graz), Rüdiger Kunow (University of Potsdam), Heike Hartung and Christian Schmitt-Kilb

12.00 – 13.30 Break

13.30 – 14.10 Section 1: Care Settings – chaired by Rüdiger Kunow
Pepetual Mforbe Chiangong (Humboldt University Berlin):
Ageing Masculinity in the Performance of Notaufnahme - Hospitali
Andrea Zittlau (University of Rostock):
Aging Behind Bars: The Senior Center in the SCI Chester and Stories of Masculinities

14.10 – 14.50 Section 2: Care/Fürsorge: Männliche Identitätskonzepte im Wandel/Changing Male Identities – chaired by Heike Hartung
Dirk Medebach (University of Giessen):  
**Der Andere, Maskulinität und Figurationswandel in fiktionalen ländlichen Welten**

Katharina Fürholzer (University of Pennsylvania):  
**Männlichkeit, retrospektiv. Migration, Männlichkeit und Alter in Aris Fioretos‘ *Die halbe Sonne. Ein Buch über den Vater***

14.50 – 15.20 Break

15.20 – 16.00 **Section 3: Care in Traditional and Exceptional Contexts** – chaired by Christian Schmitt-Kilb

Lisa-Nike Bühring (University of Gloucestershire):  
**Why Men think that Caring is not in their DNA: Reflections of Older German Men**

Annette Leibing (University of Montreal):  
**Heroes! Thinking about exceptionalism and genderedness in dementia care in Brazil**

Friday, 23 April 2021

10.00 – 10.40 **Section 4: Kinship, Childhood and Family Interactions** – chaired by Roberta Maierhofer

Renate Hansen-Kokoruš (University of Graz):  
**Searches for male identity in films by Ines Tanovic**

Sarah Falcus (University of Huddersfield), Katsura Sako (Keio University):  
**UK Children’s Picturebooks: Care, Kinship and Masculinity**

10.40 – 11.40 **Section 5: Kinship, Relationality and Gender** – chaired by Heike Hartung

Dagmar Gramshammer-Hohl (University of Graz):  
**The Age and Gender of Homesickness: Mother Russia’s Prodigal Son**
Kristina Weber (University of Rostock):

**Queer Kinship: Masculinity, Age and the Closet in the Windrush Generation:**
Bernardine Evaristo’s *Mr Loverman* (2013)

Nicole Haring (University of Graz):

**Performative Selfhood and the Intersection of Age, Race, and Gender in Rainer Werner Fassbinder’s film *Ali: Fear Eats Souls***

11.40 – 13.30 Break


Agustina Varela-Manograsso, Hernando C. Gómez Prada and Marcos Bote (University of Murcia):

**Body as an intersectional border: Exploring the negotiation of gender in older trans adults**

Florian Pirker, Barbara Ratzenböck and Roberta Maierhofer (University of Graz):

**Relationality in Qualitative Co-Creations: Conducting Online Focus Groups with Austrian Men Aged 65+**

14.10 – 15.10 **Section 7: Relationality and Configurations of the Ageing Man’s Journey** – chaired by Roberta Maierhofer

Raquel Medina (University of Aston):

**Cinema and Glory: Almodóvar’s Ageing Journey through Space, Time, and Pain**
Danielle Gurevitch (Bar-Ilan University, Israel)

**The Road taken: Aging man’s final journey representations in contemporary Israeli literature**

15.10 – 15.40 **Final Discussion/Remarks**

In order to register for this workshop, please send an email by 16 April 2021 to: heike.hartung@uni-rostock.de. You will then receive an invitation link for the video conference.