

# Literary Landscapes of Time *Multiple Temporalities and Spaces in* (Latin) American & Caribbean Literatures Leipzig University

**Wednesday, April 21, 2021**

**Moderation: Jobst Welge**

**16:00** Jobst Welge (*Leipzig University*):  
Linked Spaces, Superimposed Times

**Keynote Lecture**

**16:15** María del Pilar Blanco (*University of Oxford*): Plotting a Decadent Spanish American Landscape

**1<sup>st</sup> SECTION:  
LANDSCAPES OF TIME**

**17:00** Jörg Dünne (*Humboldt University of Berlin*): Geopoetics of the Critical Zone in Juan José Saer's Novels

**17:25** Patricia Novillo-Corvalán (*Kent University*): Colonial Contact Zones: Virginia Woolf, Horacio Quiroga, and the Writing of the Tropics

**17:50** Discussion

**Thursday, April 22, 2021**

**Moderation: Gabriele Pisarz-Ramirez**

**10:00** Gesine Müller (*University of Cologne*): Spatial dynamics and colonial positioning in Spanish and French Caribbean Literatures of the 19<sup>th</sup> century

**10:25** Juliane Tauchnitz (*Leipzig University*): Prisons, ruins, bodies, and the extension of space and time in Patrick Chamoiseau's *Un dimanche au cachot*

**10:50** Coffee Break

**11:15** Carlos Fonseca (*University of Cambridge*): Neither Garden nor Landscape: Catastrophe, History and Nature in Latin America

**11:40** Miriam Lay Brander (*Catholic University of Eichstätt-Ingolstadt*): Temporalities of the Desert: Local and Universal Time in Guimarães Rosa's *Grande Sertão*

**12:05** Discussion

**13:00** Lunch Break

**2<sup>nd</sup> SECTION:  
AFTERLIFES OF THE PAST**

**Moderation: Juliane Tauchnitz**

**15:00** Gabriele Pisarz-Ramirez (*Leipzig University*): Spectral memories of the Imperial Archipelago: Eric Walrond's *Tropic Death*

**15:25** Anna Jörmgårdén (*Stockholm University*): On Ruins in Caribbean Literature

**15:50** Katja Kanzler (*Leipzig Universität*): Of Chronotopes and Contact Zones in North American Food Fiction: Shani Mootoo's *Out on Main Street*

**16:15** Discussion

**19:00** Conversation with Carlos Fonseca:  
*Museo animal*  
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**Friday, April 23, 2021**

**3<sup>rd</sup> SECTION:  
LIFES IN TIMES/LANDSCAPES**

**Moderation: Katja Kanzler**

**09:30** Sarah Burnautzki (*University of Mannheim*): Dissolution of Time and Space in *The Posthumous Memoirs of Brás Cubas*

**09:55** Sergej Gordon (*Catholic University of Eichstätt-Ingolstadt*): Amazonian apperceptions – the prefiguration of the pristine in the chronicles of Fray Gaspar de Carvajal and Cristóbal de Acuña

**10:20** Coffee Break

**10:40** Christina Kullberg (*Uppsala University*): Hurricane Resonance: Landscape, Time, and Sound in Contemporary Poetry from the Lesser Antilles

**11:05** Discussion

**12:05** Closing Discussion: Results and Perspectives

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