

Titel:

English Title: Coloniality, Food and Consumption

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Kurzbeschreibung:

The seminar will discuss the intimate connection between (post)colonial world-making, food and modes of consumption. In a series of student research case studies on obviously colonial and enslavist foodstuffs (e.g. sugar, coffee, chocolate, rum) as well as on somewhat less glaring items (e.g.vanilla, hot spices, tuna fish) and their representations, we will look at both the legacies and the „now-ness“of exploitation, capitalisation and racial terror connected to this food. These case studies will be discursive (e.g. coffee advertisement), and/or material (tracing the objects in question), and grounded in a critical engagement with various post and decolonial analyses of food/ways. See, for starters, <http://www.abreezeharper.com/#!harpers-new-book-project-2016/c163r>

Seminar languages will be English and German, a willingness to bilingual patience is a prerequisite, as is a readiness to read theoretical texts. A reading list will be provided on stud-ip.

Literatur:

<http://www.abreezeharper.com/#!harpers-new-book-project-2016/c163r>, forthcoming.

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