







LANGUAGE, LITERATURE, AND

CULTURE, 1900 TO THE PRESENT

MAY 22-23, 2014

A Workshop and Reading at the Freie Universität Berlin | "Rostlaube" Habelschwerdter Alle 45 | 14195 Berlin Room L113

Thursday, May 22, 2014

9:30-10:00

Welcome & Introduction

10:00-12:30

DOREEN DENSKY (Tufts University)
Between Involvement and Detachment:
Aesthetics, Politics, and the Art of Negotiation in Modern German-Jewish Writings

Writing Along the Edge. Assimilation, Liminality, and Authenticity in the Writing of Artur Sandauer (1913-1989)

SUSANNE ZEPP (Freie Universität Berlin/ Simon Dubnow Institute, Leipzig) Límites y fronteras. Max Aub's Poems on Borders

14:30-16:00

MARC CAPLAN (Johns Hopkins University)
A Disenchanted Elijah: Language, Voice, and the Dissimulation of Self in S. Ansky's Destruction of Galicia

ARND WEDEMEYER (ICI Berlin)
Max Brod's War Games, 1918/1948

17:00

Lesung von Barbara Honigmann
Mit anschließendem Empfang

Friday, May 23, 2014

9:30-11:00

RACHEL SEELIG (Hebrew University)
Gertrud Kolmar's Orientalist Expedition

KATA GELLEN (*Duke University*)
Narration Against Tone: The Violent Harmony of Soma Morgenstern's *Sparks in the Abyss*

11:30-13:00

WILLIAM C. DONAHUE (*Duke University*)
"Das überirdische Licht": Barbara Honigmann and the Transcendence of the Religious-Secular Divide

MALTE KLEINWORT (FernUniversität Hagen) Jewish Non-Identity in Imre Kertész' Fatelessness

15:00-16:30

ELKE DUBBELS (Universität Bonn)
Holy, but Living: Franz Rosenzweig on the
Hebrew Language

ANN-KATHRIN POLLMANN (Simon Dubnow Institute, Leipzig)
Conservation Room of History. Günther Anders in American Exile

17:00-18:30

NATASHA GORDINSKY (University of Haifa)
Writing in a Jewish (post-)Soviet Language:
Anya Ulinich's Petropolis

JAN SCHWARZ (Lund University)
Performing Yiddish Culture in Poland in the
Aftermath of the Holocaust

18:30-19:00

Concluding Discussion

