Colonial Continuities in International Health
Dear Colleagues and Interested Parties,

This year's summer school aims at contributing to the ongoing debate on colonial continuities, and it targets predominantly Charité staff, students, and alumni from across the globe. The event offers opportunities for networking and exchange. Inclusive, participatory discussion is the main mode of learning. Results will be published on the ITMIH Website, reflecting the key messages convened during the sessions by speakers and participants.

Date: 31 August – 2 September 2022
Time: 09:00 – 18:00 (UCT+2)
Location: Hörsaal 6, Mittelallee 10, Charité CVK
Registration: Required! tropeninstitut@charite.de

Please register by Monday, 22 August 2022, by sending an email to tropeninstitut@charite.de, indicating if you wish to participate in person or via Zoom. The summer school is an in-person event and we look very much forward to welcoming you on campus! However, for those who cannot make it to Berlin, we will still offer the option to attend via Zoom (but prefer to see you on site). Participation is free of charge.

Wednesday, 31 August

9.00: Welcome and Opening of Summer School

9.30: Personal Perceptions of International Health Practitioners: Colonial Continuities on the Job
Huzeifa Bodal, Team Leader, GIZ Tanzania; Dr. med. Hans-Friedemann Kinkel, Coordinator MSc in International Health, Institute of Tropical Medicine and International Health, Charité - Universitätsmedizin Berlin; Dominique Tchemy Outouen, Technical Advisor, GIZ Cameroon

11.30: Colonialism, When, Where? Key Concepts and Histories
Prof. Elleke Boehmer FRSL FRHistS FEA, Professor of World Literature in English; Fellow, Wolfson College; Director, Oxford Centre for Life Writing, University of Oxford

14.30: From Colonial Medicine to Global Health: Revisiting the History of Globalized Medicine
PD Dr. med. Pascal Grosse, M.A., Department of Neurology, Office of the Dean of Students, Charité – Universitätsmedizin Berlin

16.30: Colonial Continuities in Global Health Governance and Financing Mechanisms
Prof. Eduardo Missoni, MD, Global Health and Development, SDA Bocconi Management School
PROGRAM AND RECOMMENDED READINGS BY SPEAKERS

Thursday, 01 September

9.30: Respecting Difference: Courageous Conversations on Race, Gender, and All Forms of Discrimination in International Health Organizations

Prof. Heidi Safia Mirza, Emeritus Professor UCL Institute of Education; Visiting Professor Race, Faith and Culture, Goldsmiths College, University of London


11.30: Addressing Colonialism in Global Health Programs and Projects

Prof. David McCoy, Research Lead: Evidence to Policy, United Nations University – International Institute for Global Health (UNU-IIGH)


14.30: Migration, Racism and Social Injustice in Mental Health

Prof. Ulrike Kluge, Head of the Center of Cross-Cultural Psychiatry and Psychotherapy and Research Division Intercultural Migration and Health Services Research, Social Psychiatry, Charité – Universitätsmedizin Berlin & Department of Migration, Physical and Mental Health and Health Promotion at the Berlin Institute for Empirical Integration and Migration Research, Humboldt University Berlin


16.30: Screening of Movie ‘Stop Filming Us’ by Joris Postema

Introduction delivered by Dr. Emiel Martens, Assistant Professor, Department of Media Studies, University of Amsterdam; Senior Researcher, Department of Arts and Culture Studies, Erasmus University Rotterdam; Co-Founding Director, Expertise Centre Humanitarian Communication

Friday, 02 September


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11.30: What Matters Most: How the Arts Can Decolonize Health

Christopher Bailey, Arts and Health Lead, World Health Organization


14.30: The Way Forward: How Can We as International Health Stakeholders Address Colonial Continuities on the Job and Beyond?

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17.30: Closing of Summer School

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