

## Event Program

In the summer semester of 2025, the Leipzig Research Centre Global Dynamics (ReCentGlobe) invites scholars and the interested public to engage in a diverse programme of lectures, conferences, workshops, and public events. Under the thematic umbrella of transimperial history and global entanglements, the semester highlights how imperial legacies, geopolitical tensions, and new forms of global connectivity shape contemporary societies.

The GlobeColloquium serves as the Centre's core platform for academic exchange. It features both early-stage research and completed projects from the humanities and social sciences, offering transregional, global, and planetary perspectives. Several sessions are part of the Transimperial History Lecture Series, which brings together international scholars working on the mutual interconnections of empires. Two .

The semester also includes the 5th ReCentGlobe Annual Conference, exploring the challenges and dynamics of social cohesion across national and regional scales; two international summer schools, focusing on global studies and digital humanities; a one-day symposium on the future of area studies; as well as book presentations as part of the "Druckfrisch" Series organized with the European Network in Universal and Global History (ENIUGH).

In addition, ReCentGlobe contributes to Leipzig's Long Night of Sciences with an evening of public outreach, exhibitions, debates, and a documentary film premiere in collaboration with ARTE.

All events are either in English or German and open to external participants. All sessions are hybrid and can be joined online.

## Research Centre Global Dynamics

The Leipzig Research Centre Global Dynamics (ReCentGlobe) is a central institution of Leipzig University. Through broad interdisciplinary cooperation, ReCentGlobe is dedicated to the study of globalization projects in the past and present. More than 250 staff members from various faculties and subjects work together at the Centre. They collaborate in training and further educating young academics at the Graduate School Global and Area Studies (GSGAS).

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9.4.2025 | GlobeColloquium

### **Radical Royalism in the Atlantic World**

Willem Klooster (Worcester)

16.4.2025 | GlobeColloquium

### **Transimperial History – A new approach to the Global**

Daniel Hedinger, Nadin Heé, Matthias Middell,  
Stefan Rohdewald (all Leipzig)  
*in collaboration with the Centre for Transimperial History, the  
Institute of East Asian Studies & the Historical Seminar*

30.4.2025 | GlobeColloquium

### **The Right to Memory: History, Media, Law, and Ethics**

Anna Reading (London), Noam Tirosh (Beer Sheva),  
Zarin Aschrafi, Niklas Venema (both Leipzig)  
*in collaboration with the Institute of Communication  
and Media Studies*

7.5.2025 | GlobeLecture

### **Trump and the Global Rise of Fascism**

Daniel Hedinger (Leipzig)

7.–8.5.2025 | 5th ReCentGlobe Annual Conference

### **Social Cohesion (Un)bound: Between National, Regional, and Transregional Interdependencies**

14.5.2025 | GlobeColloquium

### **Integration and Collaborative Imperialism in Modern Europe: At the Margins of Empire, 1800–1950**

Mikko Toivanen (Berlin)  
*in collaboration with the Centre for Transimperial History, the  
Institute of East Asian Studies & the Historical Seminar*

21.5.2025 | GlobeColloquium

### **Securing Empire: Imperial Cooperation and Competition in the Nineteenth Century**

Ozan Ozavci (Utrecht), Andrea Wiegeshoff (Marburg)  
*in collaboration with the Centre for Transimperial History, the  
Institute of East Asian Studies & the Historical Seminar*

28.5.2025 | GlobeColloquium

### **Fault Lines in the Orthodox World: Geopolitics, Theology, and Diplomacy in Light of the War in Ukraine**

Sebastian Rimestad, Stefan Rohdewald, Katarina Ristic  
(all Leipzig)  
*in collaboration with the Historical Seminar and the Department  
for the Study of Religion*

4.6.2025 | GlobeColloquium, “Druckfrisch” Series

### **Märsche der Moderne. Varianten eines globalen Phänomens\***

Jürgen Dinkel, Kai Nowak, Miriam Pfordte (all Leipzig),  
Philipp Gassert (Mannheim)  
*in collaboration with the Historic Seminar & the European  
Network in Universal and Global History (ENIUGH)*

11.6.2025 | GlobeColloquium

### **A Missing Link: The League of Nations, Interwar International Law, and the Current Triple Planetary Crises**

Omer Aloni (Tel Aviv)

18.6.2025 | GlobeColloquium

### **(Post)colonial Cattle Frontiers: Capitalism, Science and Empire in Southern and Central Africa, 1890s–1970s**

Samuël Coghe (Berlin)  
*in collaboration with the Centre for Transimperial History and the  
Institute of East Asian Studies*

20.6.2025 | GlobeForum at the Long Night of Sciences

### **Zerbricht unsere Weltordnung? Disruptive Dynamiken und neue Geopolitik\***

Ausstellung, Fishbowl, ARTE-Filmpremiere  
*in collaboration with the Global and European Studies Institute  
and ARTE*

23.–25.6.2025 | 23rd GSGAS Summer School

### **How to Study the Global?**

*in collaboration with the ACCESS-Program of Leipzig University  
and the Just Transition Center of the University Halle-Wittenberg*

24.6.2025 | Symposium

### **Quo vadis Regionalstudien? Entwicklungen in Deutschland und die Leipziger Perspektive\***

2.7.2025 | GlobeColloquium, “Druckfrisch” Series

### **Die Ukraine in Europa: Traum und Trauma einer Nation\***

Franziska Davies (Munich)  
*in collaboration with the Leibniz-Institut for the History and Culture  
of Eastern Europe (GWZO) and the European Network in  
Universal and Global History (ENIUGH)*

7.–11.7.2025 | French-German Summer School

### **Open(ing) Science? Digital Humanities in Area Studies**

*organized by the ReCentGlobe Digital Lab in collaboration with  
the French research consortium DISTAM*

9.7.2025 | GlobeColloquium

### **Belgrad und Zemun als historischer Mobilitätsraum zwischen zwei Imperien, 1739–1878\***

Nenad Stefanov, Florian Riedler (Leipzig)  
*in collaboration with the Centre for Transimperial History, the  
Institute of East Asian Studies & the Historical Seminar*

The **GlobeColloquium** takes place on Wednesdays, from **5:15 – 6:45 pm**  
at Room 5.55, Strohsackpassage, Nikolaistraße 6-10, Leipzig  
Accessible also via Zoom: [events.recentglobe.org/gczoom](https://events.recentglobe.org/gczoom)

\* Event in German