

## **Oberseminar (Preliminary Schedule)**

17–19 October 2025

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### **Friday, 17 October**

- 12:20**                      **Departure from Munich Hbf Pl. 27 (RB 6: 12:32; currently construction work; change in Tutzing and Seeshaupt; arrival in Kochel 14:05)**
- 14:30–15:00**            **Arrival at Vollmar Akademie; Coffee & Tea**
- 15:00–15:30**            **Introduction**
- 15:30–17:00**            **Session I: Species on the Move**
- Katie Kung  
“Lifeworld of Invasion: What and When Is an ‘Invasive Species’?”
- Sven Seelinger  
“Pasture, Border, and Battlefield: A Global Object-Ecology of Barbed Wire (1874–1989)”
- 17:00–17:15**            **Break**
- 17:15–18:00**            **Session II: Human-Wildlife Conflict**
- Mengxi Kou  
“The Spatial Interactions of Humans and Wildlife”
- 18:00–19:00**            **Dinner**
- 19:15–20:00**            **Session III: Infrastructures**
- Camila Nobrega  
“Beyond the Dam: A Scholar Transmedia Investigation Tracing the Phantoms of Infrastructure Projects (short session)”

### **Saturday, 18 October**

- 08:00**                      **Breakfast**
- 09:00–10:30**            **Session IV: Environment and Health I**
- Shadrach Kerwillain  
“Fragment of the Forest: Hot Zones, Disease Ecologies, and the Changing Landscape Couple of Environment of Health in West Africa”
- John S. Fayiah  
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<b>10:30–11:00</b>	<b>Coffee &amp; Tea Break</b>
<b>11:00–11:45</b>	<b>Session V: NeoCli-Fi</b>  Teja Šosterič “NeoCli-Fi: Neoliberal Climate Fiction”
<b>12:00–13:00</b>	<b>Lunch</b>
<b>13:00</b>	<b>Walk to Franz Marc Museum &amp; Guided Tour</b>
<b>13:30</b>	<b>Guided Tour: The Blue Rider Movement and The Zoo in Modern Art and Photography</b>
<b>15:30–16:00</b>	<b>Coffee Break</b>
<b>16:00–17:30</b>	<b>Session VI: Environment and Health II</b>  Moussa Douno “Discourses Around the Scientific Notion of ‘Disease Hotspots’ in Guinea, Sierra Leone, and Liberia”  Lydie Stokes Fialová “Making Planetary Health Relevant Locally: Designing an Integrative Diagnostic Framework for Participatory, Community- and Place-Based Research and Systemic Intervention Design”
<b>18:00–19:00</b>	<b>Dinner</b>
<b>Sunday, 19 October</b>	
<b>08:00</b>	<b>Breakfast (Clear Rooms)</b>
<b>09:00–10:30</b>	<b>Session VII: Landscape Relations</b>  Laura Fumagalli “A Study of Landscape Aesthetics in the Anthropocene”  Felix Remter “Multispecies Landscapes”
<b>10:30–10:45</b>	<b>Coffee &amp; Tea</b>
<b>10:45–11:30</b>	<b>Session VIII: Food &amp; Environment</b>  Lena Engel “Veganism in Germany (1995–2025)”
<b>11:30–12:00</b>	<b>Concluding Discussion</b>
<b>12:00–12:45</b>	<b>Lunch</b>
<b>13:00</b>	<b>Walk to Kochel Train Station</b>
<b>13:29</b>	<b>Departure from Kochel (Bus to Seeshaupt; Train to Munich; arrival 15:00)</b>