
Fourth Transatlantic Students Symposium
Give Me Your Tired, Your Poor?
Immigration and Citizenship in the United States and the European Union

March 4-12, 2006

BMW Center for German and European Studies, Georgetown University
Institut für Anglistik und Amerikanistik, Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin

Symposium Week Schedule

Saturday, March 4

Afternoon: Arrival of German Students (*meet Super Shuttle at Dulles Airport to go to hotels*)

8:00pm Meet and Greet" at The Reef, 2446 18th Street, NW

Sunday, March 5

2:30 Welcome and Orientation, ICC 662

3:00-5:00 Lecture and Discussion
Government Department Conference Room, ICC 662
"Immigration and the American Experience: Past and Present"
Professor Gary Weaver, School of International Service, American University

Monday, March 6

10:00-12:00: Lecture and Discussion
Executive Conference Room, ICC 7th Floor
"Citizenship Issues in the USA: The Evolution of ius soli before and after 9/11"
Professor Clyde Wilcox, Department of Government, Georgetown University

2:00-4:00 Fieldtrip
American Institute for Contemporary German Studies (AICGS)
"The Media and Multiculturalism in Germany and the United States"
Karin Johnston, Research Associate

Tuesday, March 7

- 9:00-11:00 Fieldtrip and Discussion
"Immigration and Asylum in the United States"
Department of Homeland Security, US Citizenship and Immigration Services
Arlington Asylum Office
Bryan Christian, Program Manager Asylum Division
Susan Anton, Office of Citizenship
- 1:00-3:00 Fieldtrip and Discussion
Democratic National Committee
Chris Owens, Director of the American Majority Partnership
Albert Morales, Director of Hispanic Outreach
- 4:00 Fieldtrip
International Spy Museum
Discussion with Thomas Boghardt

Wednesday, March 8

- 10:30 Tour of US Capitol
- 3:00-5:00 Ayuda (Hispanic Immigrant Advocacy and Support)

Thursday, March 9

- 9:30 Briefing and Discussion
US House Representative Zoe Lofgren (D, CA)
Ur Jaddou, Legislative Assistant for Immigration Affairs
102 Cannon Building
- 1:00-3:00 Lecture
Executive Conference Room, ICC 7th Floor
"German Immigration and its Influence on the USA" Myth and Reality"
Prof. Frank Trommler, Dept. of Germanic Languages and Literature, U Pennsylvania

Friday, March 10

- 9:00-11:00 Lecture and Discussion
Executive Conference Room, ICC 7th Floor
"Germany as a Country of Immigration: Myth and Reality"
Ulf Gartzke, Hans-Seidel-Foundation, Washington, DC
- Lunch provided for symposium participants
- 1:00-5:00 **Student Symposium** (see separate program)
Executive Conference Room, ICC 7th Floor

Saturday, March 11

- 9:00-12:00 **Student Symposium** (see separate program)
CCAS Boardroom, ICC 241
- Lunch provided for symposium participants
- 1:00-5:00 **Student Symposium** (see separate program)
Roundtable Discussion
CCAS Boardroom, ICC 241

Sunday, March 12

Departure of German students (*Super Shuttle from Washington Plaza Hotel to Dulles*)