

EMBRACING DIVERSITY IN EUROPEAN FILMSCHOOLS

Cologne

GEECT CONFERENCE 2019



Wednesday 6/3

Arrival Day

14:00 - 17:45 h

Diversity District Tour in Cologne-Mülheim (optional)

Guides: Eva-Maria Baumeister (director), Nina Rühmeier (dramaturg) and Isabel Maria Finkenberger (urbanist)

19:00 - 21:00 h

Welcome Event at the Rheinterrassen

Welcome by Simone Stewens (Chief Executive Director ifs), Andreas Wolter (Mayor City of Cologne) and Lene ter Haar (Cultural Policy Officer at the Consulate General of the Kingdom of the Netherlands)

Thursday 7/3

10:00 h

Welcome by Simone Stewens (Chief Executive Director ifs)

Greeting by Petra Müller (Chief Executive Officer of the Film- and Medienstiftung NRW)

10:15 h

Keynote: Dr. Mark Terkessidis (Psychologist and journalist with focus on pop culture and migration)

The curriculum ahead. Migration, mobility and a plan for multiplicity

10:45 h - Q&A

11:15 h - **Break**

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Workshops Summary:

* Summary of Amsterdam's workshops

12:15 h - **Best practices / Worst practices**

13:30 h - **Lunchbreak**

**14:30 h - Workshops:
Language and Body
Language**

Canon Expanded

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Representation

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Experiencing the dynamics of power and politics through systemic thinking and visualisation.

Creating more awareness about diversity on screen and within the working context in our institution.

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Dr. Maxa Zoller

16:45 h - Tour ifs or Shortfilm Screening *(optional)*

19:30 h - Dinner

Friday 8/3

9:30 h

Keynote: Prof. Sylke Rene Meyer (Professor and Associate Director of the MFA Programs of Creative Writing and Literary Arts at California State University, writer, director, media artist and performer)

Missing Foundations: Diversity, Intersectionality, and Institutions in the Master's House

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13:00 h - Lunchbreak

14:30 h - Workshop Outputs and Discussions / Next steps: Commitments and Check ups

16:00 h - Departures
