

SUMMER
SCHOOL
2016

WORKING THROUGH TRAUMA

Societal and transgenerational
dimensions in South Africa
the Netherlands, and Germany

5 September GETTING TOGETHER
15:00-18:00 *Introduction to intergenerational
trauma*

6 September GERMAN PERSPECTIVES:
KERSTIN STELLERMAN-STREHLOW
09:30-18:00 *What is trauma, what can we do?
Case studies from therapeutic work
with children and adolescents
around the world*

7 September SOUTH AFRICAN PERSPECTIVES:
PUMLA GOBODO MADIKIZELA
09:30-18:00 *Beyond forgiveness: What does
transformation mean after
historical trauma?*

8 September DUTCH PERSPECTIVES:
RUARD GANZEVOORT &
SRDJAN SREMAC
09:30-18:00 *Religious and cultural dimensions of
trauma. Focus: Dutch military
presence in Srebrenica*

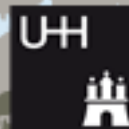
9 September INSIGHTS AND FAREWELL
09:30-12:00

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INTENTION

Bringing together again researchers and students from both Universities, Hamburg and Amsterdam, for a joint Summer-School on current topics of peace and justice, the focus will be on the origins and the transmission of traumas, as well as ways of coping with them and possible healing.

Questions to be addressed are, among others:

- How is individual traumatic experience spread or concealed and passed on to the next generation?
- What transformations does trauma undergo during this process?
- How do societal groups collectively deal with traumas; to heal them, but also to exploit them politically?

FURTHER INFORMATION

All sessions will be held in English. There is a limited number of space available; we recommend those who are interested to apply as soon as possible via e-mail, at latest 30 June 2016.

Sessions will be held at the Filmzaal of the Protestantse Theologische Universiteit. Please see our website for directions.

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