



# Future Africa and Beyond

**BAYREUTH ACADEMY LECTURES**  
**Summer 2015**

7.5., 18.15  
GW1, H26

**Aleida Assmann** (University of Konstanz):  
*Shapes of Time and Transformations of the  
Modern Time Regime*

*reception afterwards*

27.5., 18.15  
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**Jeffrey Alexander** (Yale University):  
*Middle Class as Iconic Consciousness – A Conceptual and Visual Approach to  
'Middle Classes' in Emerging Economies*

*followed by:*

*How to be Middle Class in Nairobi?*

Panel discussion about a photo series of Nairobi's middle classes

2.6., **14.15**  
**NW1, H13**

**Souleymane Bachir Diagne** (Columbia University):  
*On Prospective: Development and a Political Culture of Time*

10.6., 18.15  
GW1, H26

**Jörn Rüsen** (Institute for Advanced Study in the Humanities, Essen):  
*The Future of Humanity – Intercultural Communication in a Historical  
Perspective*

11.6., 18.15  
GW1,

**Ariun Annadurai** (New York University):

**cancelled due to personal reasons**

*The Future of Futures: Financialization in the Global Imaginary*

18.6., 18.15  
GW1, H26

**Keebet von Benda-Beckmann**

(Max Planck Institute for Social Anthropology, Halle):

*The Time of Property. Connecting Past, Present and Future in Legal Concepts of  
Land: Cases from Indonesia*

25.6., 18.15  
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**Anne Adams** (Cornell University):

*Out(side) of Africa: 21<sup>st</sup> Century Diaspora and/or Cosmopolitanism?*

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