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Decolonising Collections? On the politics and practices of post-colonial heritage institutions

Round Table Discussion

8th May 2019, 18h-20h

The lively debates on cultural heritage restitution and repatriation receive low priority in Switzerland. This Round Table invites museum curators and heritage policy makers from Namibia, Germany and Switzerland to foster a debate on decolonising collections and rethinking post-colonial approaches to collections, curation, participation and co-operation. The Round Table is open to a wider public.

Guests:

Samuel Bachmann
(Bernisches Historisches Museum)

Sandra Ferracuti
(Linden-Museum Stuttgart)

Nehoa Kautondokwa
(Museums Association of Namibia)

Thomas Laely
(Völkerkundemuseum der Universität Zürich)

Jeremy Silvester
(Museums Association of Namibia)

Chair: Dag Henrichsen, Basler Afrika Bibliographien

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