

NORMATIVE CRITERIA OF DEALING WITH MIGRATION TO GERMANY

Joint Symposium of the German National Academy of Sciences Leopoldina and the Berlin-Brandenburg Academy of Sciences and Humanities

Thursday, 31 January 2019, 9:30 am – 6 pm
Berlin-Brandenburg Academy of Sciences and Humanities
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Registration until 25.1. at: www.bbaw.de/migration1



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How can we deal with migration to Germany today? What responsibilities should we assign to our state and society regarding migrants not protected under the refugee convention? Chaired by Reinhard Merkel and Julian Nida-Rümelin, we will discuss normative criteria that may guide answers to these questions from a juridical and philosophical perspective.

Migration is a response to global differences in life chances to which the success of the European economic and political nation-state model has contributed (Thomas Faist). The right and ability to migrate are also subject to

global inequalities. "Marketization of citizenship" (Ayelet Shachar) and the increasing social separation of economic elites (Olivier Godechot) are features to be discussed.

Statehood and citizenship are part of the framework for collective struggles over the distribution of wealth and the establishment of social protection for the poor. The European Union has extended some rights to EU citizens beyond national borders but not established yet a legal mechanism for dealing with non-EU migration (Martin Nettesheim). Given the limitations of regulating migration nationally or by bilateral treaties, a tension has arisen between jurisdiction and political demand (Daniel Thym). It remains open what kind of institutional multilateral response to global inequalities and migration is desirable and will be possible.

Admission free. Registration is required.



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9:30 – 10:00

Welcome and Introduction

Reinhard Merkel

Member of Leopoldina, Universität Hamburg

Julian Nida-Rümelin

Member of BBAW

Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität München

Part 1 Ethical-philosophical Dimension

Chair: **Julian Nida-Rümelin**

10:00 – 10:30

The Migration of Immigration Policies: The Case of the Highly-Skilled

Ayelet Shachar

Max Planck Institute for the Study of Religious and Ethnic Diversity, Göttingen

10:30 – 11:00

What Do Democracies Owe to Migrants?

David Miller

University of Oxford

11:00 – 11:30

Discussion

11:30 – 11:45

Coffee break

Part 2 Legal Dimension

Chair: **Reinhard Merkel**

11:45 – 12:15

Migration and Community – Coordination of Competing Normative Frames in International Law, EU Law and German Law

Martin Nettesheim

University of Tübingen

12:15 – 12:45

Towards Transnational Migration Governance in Europe and Beyond

Daniel Thym

University of Konstanz

12:45 – 13:15

Discussion

13:15 – 14:00

Lunch break

Part 3 Social Sciences Dimension

Chair: **Anna Knoll**

European Centre for Development, Maastricht

14:00 – 14:30

The Great Separation: Segregation at Work in Ten Countries

Olivier Godechot

MaxPo - Max Planck Sciences Po Center on Coping with Instability in Market Societies, Paris

14:30 – 15:00

The Moral Polity of (Forced) Migration: Implications for Borders and Boundaries

Thomas Faist

Bielefeld University

15:00 – 15:30

Discussion

15:30 – 16:00

Coffee break

16:00 – 17:00

Discussion and Wrap-up

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