

International Workshop

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**Talking 'bout my Generation - Concepts
of Youth and Generation in Research on
the MENA region and beyond**

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Wednesday 30/11

Biegenstr. 14, Hörsaalgebäude, Room 00/0300 (ground floor)

17.15 Arrival / Registration at Marburger Hof

18.00 **Public Lecture : Asef Bayat and Linda Herrera: Youths, Generation, and the Changing Political Landscape**

(Welcome: Rachid Ouassa

Chair: Anika Oettler and Christoph Schwarz)

20.30 Opening Dinner for workshop participants (presenters are invited) in Tandoori, Biegenstraße 23, Marburg

Thursday 01/12

Ketzerbach 63, Marburg, Room 00/0110 (ground floor)

9.00 **Introduction** (Anika Oettler and Chris Schwarz)

9.30 – **Text Session** (Chair: Perrine Lachenal and Helena Nassif)

11.00 Mayssoun Sukarieh (co-author: Stuart Tannock): On the political economy of youth: a comment

Emma C. Murphy: A Political Economy Approach to Youth Policy: The Case of Tunisia

11.00 –
11.30 Coffee Break

11.30 – **Panel Discussion** (Chair: Karolin Sengebusch)

13.00 Abdulsalam AlRubeidi: The Concept of Shabāb in Yemen: Tracing the Meaning of an Elusive Term

Eyob Balcha Gebremariam (co-author: Linda Herrera): On Silencing the Next Generation: Legacies of the 1974 Ethiopian Revolution on Youth Political Engagement

13.00 –
14.00 Lunch Break

14.00 – **Project Discussion** (Chair: Hanna Al Taher)

15.00 Myriam Catusse / Blandine Destremeau: Governing Youth, Managing Society. The Performative Power of Categories and Narratives

15.00 – **Panel Discussion** (Chair: Sihem Hamlaoui)

16.30 José Luís Rocha Gómez: The social construction of inter-generational relations and the political use of “youth” in the case of undocumented Central American immigrants in the United States

	Jonas Röllin: On the Concepts of Youth and Generation in the Contemporary Tunisian Context
16.30 – 17.00	Coffee Break
17.00 – 18.00	Text Session (Chair: Manja Stephan-Emmrich) Vera King: Youth and Generation. Theoretical Perspectives
18.00	City Walk / Christmas Market
20.00	Dinner (Dromedar Restaurant, Am Grün 1, Marburg; presenters are invited)

Friday 02/12

Ketzerbach 63, Marburg, Room 00/0110 (ground floor)

9.30 – 10.30	Project Discussion (Chair: Ines Braune) Jörg Gertel: Youth: Mediterranean Visions of Insecurity
10.30 – 11.00	Coffee Break
11.00 – 12.30	Panel Discussion (Chair: Jamie Furniss) Mayada Madbouly: The generational Us: Reclaiming Nubian youthful identity in Egypt. Yakein Abdelmagid: Ordinary Movements. The Aesthetics and Politics of the Choir Project in Egypt
12.30 – 13.30	Lunch Break
14.00 – 15.00	Text Session (Chair: Amira Augustin) Dennis Rodgers (co-author: Stephen Young): From a Politics of Conviction to a Politics of Interest? The Changing Ontologies of Youth Politics in India and Nicaragua.
15.00 – 16.30	Panel Discussion (Chair: Friederike Pannewick) Ann-Christin Wagner: Not your usual suspects - Multiple displacements and waiting experiences of rural Syrian refugee youth in a Jordanian town Magdalena Suerbaum: Between manhood, loss and battle age - Syrian young men in Cairo
16.30 – 16.45	Coffee Break
16.45 – 17.15	Conclusions / Wrap up (Anika Oettler and Christoph Schwarz)
