



# Welcome Day 12 April 2022



Bielefeld Graduate School in History and Sociology (BGHS) Dr. Sabine Schäfer





### 3 leading principles

Interdisciplinarity: joint institution of Department of History and Faculty of Sociology

Internationality: doctoral researchers from all over the world

Self-initiative: Bottom-up processes and active participation of doctoral researchers

- → Multitude of perspectives
- → Multitude of experiences





## **BGHS** community (April 2022)

185 doctoral researchers: 71 in history, 114 in sociology

53% female, 31% international

3% BGHS doctoral scholarship holders, 15% other scholarship

holders, 54% academic staff, and

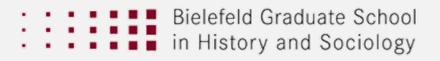
28% individually funded researchers

212 alumni since 2008

50 professors: 20 in Department of History,

30 in Faculty of Sociology





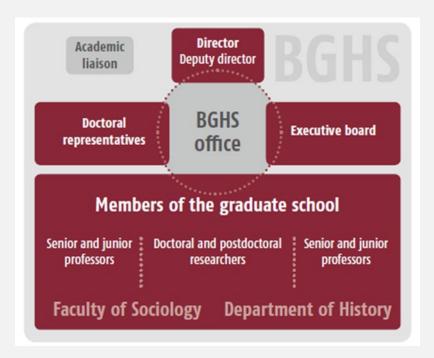
### **BGHS** structure

Klaus Weinhauer (director)
Ruth Ayaß (deputy director)

Academic liasion
Hartmann Tyrell

Doctoral representatives

Sinmi Akin-Aina Cornelis Holtkamp Filip Vukusa Abel Zekarias Alice Farneti Anastasiia Zaplatina



#### BGHS office

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#### Executive board

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### **Communication & information**

Weekly newsletter as central source of information

BGHS blog on website

For study programme please see eKVV (electronic study programme)

For information about the BGHS please see https://www.uni-bielefeld.de/einrichtungen/bghs/

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## **Doctoral training programme**

Supervision Agreement of doctoral researchers, supervisors and BGHS

Support in conflict situations: academic liaison Prof. Dr. Hartmann Tyrell or Dr. Sabine Schäfer

Annual progress reports (first report after 6 months)

Confirmations of attendance

"Transcript of the Doctoral Programme" after completion of study programme





### **BGHS** curriculum

Mandatory programme: 6 CP

one Theory Class = 0.5 CP

Conference paper:
0.5 CP
Organising a workshop:
1 CP
Participation in a study
group: 0.5-1 CP
Post as a doctoral
representative: 0.5 CP

**Mandatory programme** Theory Transferable skills Methods (1 class) (2 workshops) (1 class) Research classes (4 classes) Research colloquium **Annual Seminar Specialised seminars** Conference attendance **Teaching** Study group **Interdisciplinary Theory Seminar Workshop organisation Optional programme** 

two to four
Transferable Skills
Workshops = 1 CP
(BGHS, PEP or other)

one Methods Class = 0.5 CP

four Research Classes = 4 CPs

Colloquium with own paper: 1 CP Colloquium without own paper: 0.5 CP Research Retreat: 0.5 CP Teaching a course of one's own: 0.5-1 CP

Optional programme: 4 CP





### **Special BGHS features**

Post as a doctoral researchers' representative

Research Retreat end of November 2022

Organisation of a workshop (funding available)

Public lecture series "Linie 4"

Working Paper Series

Doing-a-PhD-Coaching

Mentoring programme non-university careers

Advice on funding opportunities for international mobility and other things





### Welcome to the BGHS!