



# Welcome Day 04 April 2023



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 2023)

198 doctoral researchers: 66 in history, 132 in sociology

54% female, 29% international

15% scholarship holders, 60% academic staff, and

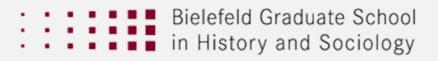
25% individually funded researchers

230 alumni since 2008

55 professors: 20 in Department of History

35 in Faculty of Sociology





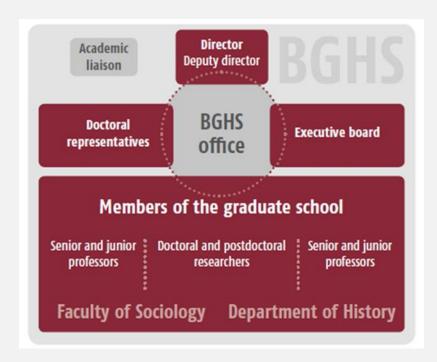
#### **BGHS** structure

Klaus Weinhauer (*director*)
Ruth Ayaß (*deputy director*)

Academic liasion Hartmann Tyrell

Doctoral representatives

Mariza Mathis
Cornelis Holtkamp
Frederic Kunkel
Long Nguyen
Ilgim Simsek
Anastasiia Zaplatina



**BGHS** office

Clara Buitrago Nicole Käufler Sabine Schäfer

#### Executive board

Ruth Ayaß
Clara Buitrago
Oliver Flügel-Martinsen
Frank Grüner (dean)
Cornelis Holtkamp
Martina Kessel
Teresa Malice
Mariza Mathis
Ursula Mense-Petermann
Christina Morina
Thomas Müller
Lisa Regazzoni
Jost Reinecke
Andreas Vasilache (dean)
Klaus Weinhauer





### **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/

or contact us: bghs@uni-bielefeld.de

For information on the faculties please see:

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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

Blended Intensive Programme (BIP) on Understanding in winter semester 2023/24 (starting in

September)

Research Retreat on 17/18 November 2023 at VHS Bielefeld

Organisation of a workshop (funding available)

Public lecture series "Linie 4"

Working Paper Series

Advice on funding opportunities for international mobility and other things





#### Welcome to the BGHS!