



From Sovereignty to Solidarity

Discussion with
Harald Bauder

12th of July 2023
18:00-19:30

Book presentation and joint discussion with Harald Bauder

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Workshop “Solidarity and local political initiatives in the social fields of migrations”

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In his book *From Sovereignty to Solidarity* (Routledge 2022) Harald Bauder re-imagines human mobility in ways that are de-linked from national sovereignty. Using examples from around the world, he examines contemporary practices of solidarity to illustrate what such a conceptualization of human mobility looks like.

Bauder suggests that urban and local scales, rather than the national scale, is a better way to frame human migration and belonging. The book ultimately proposes that solidarity, rather than sovereignty, offers an alternative approach to imagine how human mobility should, and already does, occur.

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In this workshop we examine how practices, relations or institutions of solidarity are created and transformed by local political initiatives in social fields of migration, with a special focus on how migration is linked to social fields such as housing or care. In light of the particular local, socio-economic and institutional contexts,

we discuss the analytical potential of different concepts of solidarity (such as transversal or place-based solidarities, solidarity cities), but also consider how research perspectives can be broadened by linking them to other concepts such as (urban) citizenship, commons, or non-Eurocentric terms.

Registration

To participate in the workshop, please send an email to ecseuro-office.wiso@uni-hamburg.de (participation depends on the number of available places).

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- 09:30 **Welcome and Introduction**
Harald Bauder, Mouna Maaroufi, and Helge Schwiertz
- 10:00 **Solidarity with Refugees – A Practice-Theoretical Concept**
Eva Fleischmann (Institut für Sozialforschung, Frankfurt a. M.)
- 10:45 **Top-Down Approaches and Bottom-Up Mobilizations in the Making of Migrant Solidarity and Welfare in Detroit and New York City**
René Kreichauf (Vrije Universiteit Brussel)
- 11:30 Coffee Break
- 11:45 **Solidarity Cities ‘From Below’: Communities of Care and Struggle in the Intersecting Fields of Housing and Migrant Rights**
Josefine Gerdes, Mouna Maaroufi, and Helge Schwiertz (Universität Hamburg)
- 12:30 Lunch
- 13:30 **Solidarity City as a Process: Infrastructuring Solidarity and Commoning Care**
Sarah Schilliger and Natascha Flückiger (Universität Bern)
- 14:15 Common Discussion
- 15:00 End