Marie-Luise Angerer is Professor for Media and Cultural Studies at the Academy of Media Arts Cologne. Her research and publications focus on affect & media technologies as well as on the entanglement of representation and materiality.

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Encarnación Gutiérrez Rodriguez is Professor of Sociology at the University Gießen. In her research and publications she engages with questions of the local face of global inequalities, queer-feminist decolonial epistemology and critical intersectional approaches to migration and diaspora studies.
Queer-feminist engagements aim at transforming sexualized, gendered, classed and racialized regimes. Given the current turn in the humanities and social sciences towards affect and emotions, how crucial is (reworking) affect for this endeavor and how does affect then work? Are affects and emotions spontaneous and unruly or are they rather molded by historically and socially specific dynamics and codes of intelligibility? In what ways are the social, the economic, and the political created, enforced or transformed by e.g. anger, despair, shame, or pleasure? This event interrogates queering affect as work, as something that works, and as something that we can work with.

Programme

10:00 Morning Coffee
10:15 – 11:00 Introduction
11:00 – 12:30 Marie-Luise Angerer (Academy of Media Arts, Cologne) Representation and Affect. Or: Blind Gaze vs. Blind Emotion
12:30 – 14:00 Lunch Break
14:00 – 15:30 Encarnación Gutiérrez Rodriguez (University Gießen) Coding Value – Sensing Devaluation: On Affective Value
15:30 – 16:00 Break
16:00 – 17:30 Deborah Gould (University of California, Santa Cruz) On Moving Politics: Emotion, ACT UP, and Beyond
17:30 – 19:00 Break
19:00 Welcoming by Ute Frevert and Christoph Holzhey
19:15 Roundtable Discussion with Marie-Luise Angerer, Deborah Gould, and Encarnación Gutiérrez Rodriguez Queering Affect: Does It Matter, Does It Work?

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Thursday
27 June 2013
Workshop: 10 am – 5:30 pm
Roundtable Discussion: 7 pm – 9 pm
In English