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Einladung zum Vortrag

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„Pleasure periphery and sex tourism: issues and reflections on gender and tourism“

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Ort: HS 4 (Keplergebäude)

Kurzbeschreibung:

Many countries of the third world are emerging as destinations for sex tourism from the first world as well as the third world countries. The presentation will highlight the gendered nature of tourism processes, production and consumption of tourism experiences, in the context of power relations and dominant patriarchal values within societies and between nations, the developed and the developing. The analysis will throw up issues which are significant to understand gender inequalities in tourism processes, which require special critical attention from academics, planners and policy makers, and political organisations. As well as open up hitherto neglected areas for intervention by women's groups.

Zur Vortragenden:

Indra Munshi is currently a Professor in the Department of Sociology, University of Bombay, India, teaching two courses on Sociology of tourism and Sociology of environment at the post graduate level. Her research interests include Tribal/indigenous communities, tribal women's struggles, issues related to environment and more recently tourism related issues. She has published two books and several articles in national and international journals on the above subjects. She has visited Germany several times as a visiting Professor and a DAAD scholar on teaching and research assignments. She has taught a course on development in the University of Nurnberg- Erlangen.