

## **Presentations**

### *Invited presentations*

- 2017 „Inspecting mental health: Depression, surveillance and care in Kerala, South India“, GLOBHEALTH Mental Health Workshop: Historical and ethnographic perspectives on the emergence of global mental health, Villa Finaly, Florence, 13-15 June, 2017
- 2016 “Depression and glocal mental health in Kerala”, Government Medical College, Thiruvananthapuram, 21 November, 2016
- 2016 “The making of an epidemic: Depression multiple and glocal mental health in Kerala,” Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi, 3 August, 2016.
- 2015 „Translation and Purification: Ayurvedic Psychiatry and its Relation to Allopathic Psychiatry, Spirits and Occult Violence in Kerala, South India“, Semiar Series“ Medical Anthropology“, Institute of Social and Cultural Anthropology, Berlin
- 2015 “Appropriating depression in Kerala, South India”, Medical Anthropology Forum, South Asia Institute, Heidelberg
- 2011 „Die lokale Aneignung der Depression in Kerala“, Institut für Ethnologie, Münster
- 2011 „Ayurvedische Behandlung psychiatrischer Erkrankungen in Kerala“, Vortrag im Bezirkskrankenhaus Kaufbeuren
- 2009 “Fighting with Rajas and Tamas - Ayurvedic Mimicry of Allopathic Psychiatric Science: The Case of depression”, Medical Anthropology Forum, South Asia Institute, Heidelberg
- 2004 „Konflikte um den intersexuellen Körper. Gelebte Selbstentwürfe intersexueller Menschen aus ethnologischer Perspektive“, Seminarreihe „Jenseits der Geschlechtergrenzen“ der Arbeitsgruppe Queer Studies, Hamburg

### *Conference presentations*

- 2015 „(Re)Invented Ayurvedic psychiatry and local mental health in Kerala, South India“, MAGic2015 Anthropology and Global Health: interrogating theory, policy and practice, Brighton
- 2015 “Translation and Purification: Ayurvedic Psychiatry, Allopathic Psychiatry, Spirits and Occult Violence in

- Kerala, South India”, Biennial Meeting of the Society for Psychological Anthropology, Boston
- 2014 “Nosological and Ontological Pragmatics in an Ayurvedic Mental Hospital in Kerala, South India”, 13<sup>th</sup> Biennial Conference of EASA, Tallinn
- 2014 “Neurochemistry of depression and subjectivities in distress: Subjunctivity and ontological pragmatism in Kerala, South India”, European Conference of South Asian Studies, Zurich
- 2013 “Pharmaceutical and porous selves - Engaging the neurochemical imbalance narrative of depression in therapeutic pluralism in Kerala”, Meeting of the American Anthropological Association, Chicago
- 2013 “Engaging depression and the neurochemical imbalance narrative in the mental health pluralism of Kerala, India”, Encounters and Engagements conference of EASA Medical Anthropology Network and AAA Society for Medical Anthropology, Tarragona
- 2012 “From Possession to Mental Disorder and Back. (Re-) Inventing and Positioning Ayurvedic Psychiatry in the Mental Health Pluralism of Kerala”, European Conference on South Asian Studies, Lisbon
- 2011 “Ayurvedische Pillen gegen Depression – Die Kommoditisierung ayurvedischer ‚Antidepressiva‘, Jahrestreffen der Deutschen Gesellschaft für Völkerkunde, Wien
- 2011 „From possession to mental disorder. (Re-)Inventing and positioning Ayurvedic psychiatry in the mental health pluralism of Kerala”, EASA Medical Network Conference, Rome
- 2011 „The Social Life of Depression in Kerala“, Biennial Meeting of the Society for Psychological Anthropology, AAA, St. Monica
- 2010 „Ayurvedic Treatment of Mental Disorders in Kerala, Symposium „Mental Health in Developing Countries“, Munich
- 2009 “Depression und die Revitalisierung ayurvedischer Psychiatrie in Kerala, Indien“, AGEM conference „Kultur, Medizin und Psychologie im Dialog II, Heidelberg
- 2009 „Glocalizing depression in an ayurvedic mental hospital in Kerala, India. Vortrag im Rahmen des Panels „Appropriation of Medical Technologies“ auf der DGV-Tagung, Frankfurt
- 2006 „Zwischen den Geschlechtern, zwischen den Kulturen – Intersexualität“. Symposium des Institute für Kinder- und

Jugendpsychiatrie "Migration and Mental Health", Klinikum der LMU München

- 2004 "Intersexuality and/or Alternative Sex Roles in Non-Western Cultures. A Comparative Medical and Anthropological Survey" (mit Ursula Kuhnle-Krahl), Poster-Präsentation, Annual Meeting of the American Endocrine Society, Philadelphia
- 2004 „Konflikte um den intersexuellen Körper. Embodied Experiences“, Symposium „Intersexualität bei Kindern“, Halle
- 2004 „Intersexuality and Identity. Conflicts upon the Intersexed Body“ (mit Ursula Kuhnle-Krahl), Poster-Präsentation, Konferenz "Intersex – from Gene to Gender“, Lübeck
- 2003 "Intersexuality: Medicine, Nature and Culture?" (with Ursula Kuhnle-Krahl), Annual meeting of the European Society for Paediatric Endocrinology, Ljubljana, Slowenien
- 2002 "Intersexuality and Alternative Gender Roles" (mit Ursula Kuhnle-Krahl), Poster-Präsentation, Annual meeting of the American Endocrine Society, Phoenix