

## Re-enlightenment?



Truth, reason & science  
in a global world

### Global Young Academy International Conference of Young Scientists

at the German National Academy of Sciences Leopoldina

Halle (Saale), Germany, 1 – 3 May 2019

#### GUEST PROGRAMME

- 28 April 2019** Vernissage – Exhibit “Finding Affinities - At the Nexus of Art and Science” – Art Museum Moritzburg
- 29 April 2019** GloSYS Latin America and Caribbean conceptual workshop
- 30 April 2019** Official Opening and internal GYA day
- 1 May 2019** Introductory Panel – What is Enlightenment?  
Panel I – Different places of truth: science between global and local  
Panel II – Different paths to truth: science, art, religion  
GYA at 10 – Reflection on the beginnings and development of the GYA  
Dinner reception at historic City Hall
- 2 May 2019** Panel III – The role of scientists in a post-Enlightenment world  
Panel IV – The limits of (Re)enlightenment?  
GYA Member Lightning Talks  
Gala Dinner at Steintorvarité
- 3 May 2019** History and future of academies and learned societies



**Sunday, 28 April 2019**

12:00 – 18:00	<b>Vernissage – “<a href="#">Finding Affinities - At the Nexus of Art and Science</a>”</b>	Art Museum Moritzburg
12:30	Introduction	
14:00 – 15:00	Panel Discussion	
15:30 – 17:00	Performances: Arrhythmia; Neural Module; Well-tempered Brain; Dolphinet Guest sound artist <a href="#">Miriam Akkermann</a>	

**Monday, 29 April 2019**

08:00 – 13:00	<b>Global State of Young Scientists (GloSYS) Latin America and Caribbean conceptual workshop</b>	Leopoldina Seminar Room 3
09:00 – 17:00	<b><a href="#">INGSA-GYA-IWH Workshop</a></b> <b>Science Advice – How to deal with post-fact and re-enlightenment?</b> <b>Introduction</b> <a href="#">Oliver Holtemöller</a> Vice President, Leibniz Institute for Economic Research, Halle <a href="#">Koen Vermeir</a> Global Young Academy / CNRS Research Professor, France <b>Key-Note</b> <a href="#">Sir Peter Gluckman</a> Chairman, International Network for Government Science Advice, INGSA	IWH Leibniz Institute for Economic Research (Kleine Märkerstr. 8)

**Introductory Panel**

[Pearl Dykstra](#)  
Director of Research, University of Rotterdam

[Ângela Pereira](#)  
Project Leader, EC Joint Research Centre

[Rees Kassen](#)  
Department of Biology, University of Ottawa; Past GYA Co-Chair

**Moderator**

[Clarissa Rios Rojas](#)  
Founder and Director at Ekpa’palek



Tuesday, 30 April 2019

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09:30 – 11:00    **Official Opening – GYA Annual General Meeting**    Leopoldina

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**Welcome**

Large lecture hall

**Jörg Hacker**

President, German National Academy of Sciences Leopoldina

**Armin Willingmann,**

Minister for Economy, Science and Digitalisation, State Saxony-Anhalt

**Tolu Oni and Connie Nshemereirwe**

Global Young Academy Co-Chairs, 2018-19

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**Inauguration of New GYA Members**

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11:00 – 13:00    **GYA Activities Fair** with mingling lunch    Leopoldina

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Wednesday, 1 May 2019



09:00 – 10:30

**Introductory Panel – What is Enlightenment?**

Leopoldina

**Speakers**

**Clifford Siskin**

Professor of American & English Literature at NYU and founder of The Re;Enlightenment Project, USA

**Elisabeth Décultot**

Professor of German art and literary history, Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg, Germany

**Irina Podgorny**

Research Fellow, Argentine National Council of Science (CONICET), Argentina

**Moderator**

**Koen Vermeir**

Global Young Academy / CNRS Research Professor, France

10:30 – 13:00

**Interactive Panel**

**Panels I & II – Different places of truth: science between global and local**

Large lecture hall

**Speakers**

**Amy Luers**

Executive Director, Future Earth, Canada

**Ismail Serageldin**

Founder, Bibiotheca Alexandrina, Egypt

**Maarten van Herpen**

Entrepreneur, physicist

**Cristina Blanco Sío-López**

European Culture and Politics, University of Groningen

**Moderators and Facilitators**

**Anna Harris**

Department of Technology and Society Studies, Maastricht University, The Netherlands

**Adewale Adewuyi**

Department of Chemical Sciences, Redeemer's University, Nigeria

**Abdalhadi Alijla**

Varieties of Democracy Institute, Gothenburg University, Sweden

13:15 – 14:15

*Lunch*

Leopoldina

14:15 – 15:30

**GYA at 10!**

Reflection on the beginnings and development of the GYA

Leopoldina

Large lecture hall

**Speakers**

**Howard Alper**

University of Ottawa, Canada; Former Advisory Board member GYA

**Moderator**

**Tolu Oni**

Co-Chair, Global Young Academy



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**Rees Kassen**

Department of Biology, University of Ottawa, Canada; Past GYA Co-Chair

**Eva Alisic**

Child Health & Wellbeing Program, University of Melbourne, Australia; Past GYA Co-Chair

**Sameh Soror**

Faculty of Pharmacy, Helwan University, Egypt; Past GYA Co-Chair

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15:30 – 17:00

**Working Group Meetings**

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19:00 – 21:00

**Dinner Reception at City Hall**

Historic City Hall,  
Market Square

**Welcome**

**Petra Sachse**

Director, Centre for Economy, Research and Digitalization, City of Halle (Saale)

**GYA Book Launch**

Global Migration and Human Rights working group publication:  
“Responsibility for Refugee and Migrant Integration”. Eva Alisic, S.  
Karly Kehoe and Jan-Christoph Heilinger present

**Open Science: Where are we?**

Discussion of OS and OA movements by Open Science WG

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Thursday, 2 May 2019

07:30 – 09:00	<b>Breakfast meeting of NYA representatives</b>	Leopoldina Seminar Room 1
09:00 – 14:00	<b>Internal meetings</b>	Leopoldina
14:00 – 16:30	<b>Parallel Interactive Panels</b>	Leopoldina
<b><u>Panel III – The role of scientists in a post-Enlightenment world</u></b>		Large Lecture Hall

**Speakers**

**Silke Beck**

Helmholtz-Centre for Environmental Research (UFZ), Leipzig, Germany

**Alexander Kagansky**

Director, Center for Genomic and Regenerative Medicine, Far Eastern Federal University, Vladivostok, Russia

**Martin Visbeck**

Governing Board, International Science Council; Helmholtz Centre for Ocean Research, Kiel, Germany

**Moderators and Facilitators**

**Lisa Herzog**

Political Philosophy and Theory, TU Munich, Germany

**Robert Lepenies**

Helmholtz Centre for Environmental Research, Leipzig, Germany

Further members of the Trust in Science Working Group: **Shalini Arya, Nova Ahmed, Badre Abdeslam, Sandra Lopez-Verges, Marian Nkansah**

**Panel IV – The limits of (Re)enlightenment?**

Small Lecture Hall

**Speakers**

**David Mair**

Head of the Science Advice to Policy unit at the EU Commission Joint Research Centre

**Virginia Murray**

Head of Global Disaster Risk Reduction, Public Health England

**Detlev Ganten**

Chair of the Board, Charité Foundation, Germany

**Shoji Komai**

Nara Institute of Science and Technology (NAIST), Japan

**Moderators and Facilitators**

**Suraj Bhattarai**

International Health & Tropical Medicine, London School of Hygiene & Tropical Medicine, UK

**Roula Inglesi-Lotz**

Department of Economics, University of Pretoria, South Africa

**Chioma Daisy Onyige**

Criminology, Department of Sociology, University of Port Harcourt, Nigeria

**Stefan Kohler**

Heidelberg Institute of Global Health, Heidelberg University, Germany

16:30 – 17:00	Coffee Break	Leopoldina
17:00 – 18:45	<b><u>Member Lightning Talks</u></b>	Leopoldina



Parallel sessions: GYA members present their research and work to public, guests, school children and university students

19:30 – 23:00

**Gala Dinner**

Steintorvarité  
Am Steintor 10

**Welcome**

**Jutta Schnitzer-Ungfug**

Secretary General, German National Academy of Sciences Leopoldina

**Keynotes**

**Vladimír Šucha**

Director General, EU Commission Joint Research Centre

**Martin Frick**

Senior Director Policy and Program Coordination, UNFCCC

**Friday, 3 May 2019**

09:00 – 12:00

**History and future of academies and learned societies**

Leopoldina

**Part I – Origins and history of the first national and global academies**

Large lecture hall

**09:00 - Key-note**

**Ismail Serageldin**

Founder, Bibliotheca Alexandrina

**09:25 – Panel and Discussion**

**Sietske Fransen**

Max Planck Research Group Leader at the Bibliotheca Hertziana - Max Planck Institute for Art History, Rome, Italy

**Rainer Godel**

Head of Department Centre for Science Studies, German National Academy of Sciences Leopoldina, Germany

**Moderator**

**Koen Vermeir**

Global Young Academy / CNRS Research Professor, France

**10:15 – History of the Global Young Academy**



Anna Harris

Department of Technology and Society Studies, Maastricht University, The Netherlands

Matthew Levy

Junior Research Fellow, Wolfson College, University of Oxford, UK

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## Part II – Future of national and global academies

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10:45 – 12:00 – **Panel Discussion**

**Jacqueline Olang**

Executive Director, Network of African Science Academies (NASAC)

**Volker ter Meulen**

President, InterAcademy Partnership (IAP); Former President, Leopoldina

**Philipp Kanske**

Board member, speaker elect, Junge Akademie, Germany

**Antonio Loprieno**

President, ALL European Academies (ALLEA)

**Orakanoke Phanraksa**

National Science and Technology Development Agency (NSTDA), Thailand

**Christiane Diehl**

Executive Director, European Academies' Science Advisory Council (EASAC)

**Moderator**

**Tolu Oni**

Co-Chair, Global Young Academy

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11:30 – 12:00

**GYA, the next 10 years** – outbreak discussions from morning panel

Moderated by Connie Nshemereirwe, Co-Chair, Global Young Academy

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12:00 – 13:00

Lunch

Leopoldina

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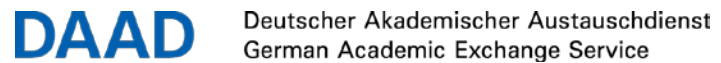




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