

Marine-Human Relations and the Social Humanities – Inter- and Transdisciplinary Encounters



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Call for papers & Call for participation at the Social Science & Humanities KDM Strategy Group
Autumn Meeting from 3-4 November, 2022

Leibniz Centre for Tropical Marine Research (ZMT), Fahrenheitstr. 6, 28359 Bremen

About

The Strategy Group Marine Social and Cultural Sciences departs from other strategy groups in the KDM in that we do not represent a particular research area, but merely a disciplinary assembly. We work on very different issues such as climate justice, overfishing, marine economy, or coastal interactions between citizens, scientists, and political actors around the globe. Despite our heterogeneous objects of research, we share the assumption, that the dramatic planetary ecosystemic crisis needs a more accentuated integration of social-scientific knowledge on marine-human relations. To put forward this claim, the group has profiled a number of shared topics (see here: [Marine Social and Cultural Sciences \(arcgis.com\)](https://arcgis.com)), among which the challenge on how to realize sound inter- and transdisciplinary research belong to the most crucial, yet also challenging tasks. What does it mean to work this way and which methodological, normative, organizational, as well as epistemological tools are needed to make marine social and cultural sciences more visible, and more effective as well?

For our upcoming meeting, we would like to give space to discuss on these issues, but also invite our members and further interested researchers to present their current research and thereby to complete the fascinating kaleidoscope of activities within the strategy group. To organize, however, a thematically coherent debate, we ask you to develop abstracts with the idea in mind that your research fits into one of the following overarching topics:

- Biodiversity
- Climate Change
- Blue Economy
- International Maritime Policy
- Inter- and / or Transdisciplinary Marine Cooperation

Please send your abstract (title, 200 words max.+ contact corresponding author in one pdf-file) to annegret.kuhn@ceos.uni-kiel.de and anja.bogusz@uni-hamburg.de until **September 1st, 2022**. State in your email, on which of the five topics you want to address the discussion, and if you prefer an oral presentation or a poster presentation. Conference language is English.

Many thanks – and see you in Bremen!

Tanja Bogusz, Annegret Kuhn & Achim Schlüter

Agenda

Thursday, 3 November 2022

13.30 Welcome & News from Social Science & Humanities KDM Strategy Group (Tanja Bogusz, Annegret Kuhn & Achim Schlüter)

14.00 Presentations and discussions

15.30 Break

15.45 Presentations and discussions

17:00 Panel-Discussion: Marine Social Sciences meets Marine Natural Sciences
with: Marie Fujitani (ZMT Bremen) and Natascha Oppelt (Kiel University)

18.00 Joint Guided-Tour in the [MAREE \(leibniz-zmt.de\)](http://MAREE(leibniz-zmt.de))

19.00 Joint Dinner “Haus am Walde”

Friday, 4 November 2022

09.00-09.15 Arrival / Good mornings

09.15-12.30 Presentations and discussions (in-between break)

12:30 Conclusion and Outlook into planned activities of the Strategy Group in 2023

13.00 End of the Meeting