Thursday, February 26

2 – 2.30 pm  Bianca Brijnath
Indians abroad: Exploring the Role of Kinship and Capital in Transnational Care

2.30 – 3 pm  Closing Discussion

3 – 3.30 pm  Tea Break

3.30 – 4.15 pm  Christiane Brosius & Ira Raja
CLOSING PANEL DISCUSSION

VENUES & CONTACT

International Workshop
NEW APPROACHES TO AGEING IN SOUTH ASIA AND EUROPE

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Venue Heidelberg Lecture 2015,
February 24, 2015:

India International Centre (IIC), Annexe
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February 25 and 26, 2015:

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PROGRAMME

Tuesday, February 24
India International Centre (IIC), Annexe

6.30 – 8 pm  Beatrix Busse
Welcome Address
Axel Michaels
Introduction

Andreas Kruse
HEIDELBERG LECTURE 2015
Contemporary Images of Age and Ageing: Vulnerability, Strengths and Developmental Potentials

8 pm  Dinner at IIC

Wednesday, February 25
Goethe-Institut New Delhi, Siddhartha Hall

10 – 10.20 am  Christiane Brosius & Andreas Kruse
Welcome and Opening Address

10.20 – 10.40  Introduction Round

10.40 – 11 am  Tea Break

SESSION I:
PAST AND PRESENT NARRATIVES OF OLD AGE
Chair: Madeleine Herren-Oesch

11 am – 12 pm  Axel Michaels
Old Age in Hinduism: Past and Present

12 – 1 pm  Ira Raja
A Time to Die: Cultural Narratives of Death and Dying in three Indian Short Stories

1 – 2 pm  Lunch Break

SESSION II:
AGEING THROUGH AN INSTITUTIONAL LENSE
Chair: Michele Ruth Gamburd

2 – 2.30 pm  Bala Raju Nikku
Being Old in Nepal: Understanding the Links between Ageing, Poverty, Politics and Policy

2.30 – 3 pm  Roma Chatterji
Writing Pasts: Dutch Medical Institutions and their Publics

3 – 3.30 pm  Tea Break

3.30 – 4 pm  Deborah Menezes
“They cannot boss me around”: Manifesting Agency in Care Homes in Goa, India

4 – 4.30 pm  Roger Begrich
Ageing, Polypharmacy, and Care. Fieldnotes from Jharkhand

4.30 – 5 pm  Closing Discussion

6.30 – 8 pm  Sarah Lamb
KEYNOTE LECTURE
Ageless Aging or Meaningful Decline? A Critical Analysis of “Successful Aging” through the Lens of Everyday Lives in India

8 pm  Drinks and Snacks, followed by Dinner at Goethe-Institut

Thursday, February 26
Goethe-Institut New Delhi, Siddhartha Hall

SESSION III:
AGEING IN THE CITY
Chair: Sarah Lamb

10 – 10.30 am  Annika Mayer
Ageing in or out of Place? Senior Citizens in the New Capital Region of Delhi

10.30 – 11 am  Roberta Mandoki
“This is what our modern times bring”: Emerging Elderscapes in Kathmandu, Nepal

11 – 11.30 am  Closing Discussion

11.30 – 12 pm  Tea Break

SESSION IV:
TRANSNATIONAL RELATIONSHIPS
Chair: Christiane Brosius

12 – 12.30 pm  Michele Ruth Gamburd
Aging in Southwestern Sri Lanka: Care, Property and Intergenerational Exchange

12.30 – 1 pm  Tanja Ahlin
"Because my children are abroad, I am living happily here": Migration and Elderly Care by Means of ICTs in Kerala

1 – 2 pm  Lunch Break