Veranstalter	Prof. Dr. Ralf Hertel
Thema	Making a Book: "Red-Haired Barbarians in the China Seas" – Early modern encounters with the Far East [AA-V3a/b, ENG-12, AA-M4, AA-M6, AA-M11, AA-M12, AA-M13, AA-W] – auch mit Projekt (dann 4 st., nur Master-Profilbereich)
Art der Veranstaltung	Seminar II (+ Projekt)
Veranstaltungsnummer	53-547
Zeit	2st., Do 10-12 (m. Projekt: vierstündig, 8 – 12)
Raum	Phil 1269
Beginn	12. April 2012 (Die erste Sitzung beginnt um 10:15 Uhr.)

Course description:

The aim of this seminar-project is to produce a book, ideally a printed one, alternatively an online book. Under the working title "Red-Haired Barbarians in the Chinese Sea" we will prepare an anthology of early modern English texts about the Far East (in particular on China and Japan), many of which will be published here for the first time in a modern edition. After familiarising ourselves with the historical background of English travels to the Far East in the 16th and 17th centuries – a story both fascinating and little researched – we will sift through travel accounts, diaries and letters and decide which texts shall form part of our anthology. In a workshop-like atmosphere, we will decide on the criteria for choosing texts, on the structure of the book, matters of modernising spelling and other editorial questions.

The seminar-project will be work-intensive and will require both a good deal of independent work on the part of the participants and the ability to co-operate in a team.

The seminar is aimed at master students and advanced bachelor students. Since the workload for seminar + project will surpass the average workload required for seminars, Fachmaster participants may obtain the credits for the entire module (seminar + project, 10 LP for "Fachmaster").

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