

53-540 **Memory/Trauma in Visual Media**

Seminar II (Seminar Ib für Studierende mit Zulassung vor WS 14/15)

Modul [AA-A2, ENG-6/a, AA10, LAA9, LAA12, AA-W, AA-WB]

Zeit **Di 10–12** (2 SWS)

Ort **Phil 1269**

Start **12. April** (beginnt in der 2. Semesterwoche)



SEMINAR DESCRIPTION

In this course we will deal with the representation of traumatic memory in contemporary visual media from the UK including film, television series, stage plays, graphic novel and video. We will read up on the conceptualisation of trauma and memory in different disciplines – from medico-legal PTSD to trauma in narrative cinema. With this in mind, we will discuss visual narratives that address trauma/suffering of the individual and society as they are challenged by large-scale conflict in the post-9/11 world.



CREDIT REQUIREMENTS

- Regular attendance and active participation in class
- Preparation of textual and audio-visual material for the sessions
- An oral presentation (or similar)
- A term paper (10–12 pages)