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RACE AND HEALTH IN AMERICAN HISTORY

Workshop

The workshop explores intersections of citizenship, race, and health in the United States from the mid-nineteenth century to the early twentieth century.



11 June 2026

4:00 - 7:30 pm

Keynote Sessions & Discussion

ANDREA STONE (Smith College)

Well-being in 19th-century Black US-Literature

SAMUEL K. ROBERTS Jr. (Columbia U)

Governing Addiction: Race-Substance Stigma and the Politics of Expertise

Venue: Carl-von-Ossietzky-Forum at the Staats- und Universitätsbibliothek Hamburg (Main Library)

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12 June 2026

9:00 am - 1:00 pm

Workshop on Recent Research Perspectives

Please register for the workshop on Friday!

MAXIMILIAN POTT (U Hamburg)

Better Sleep at Battle Creek: Insomnia, White Bodies, and Fears of Civilization in Progressive Era Health Reform

PAUL SKÄBE (U Hamburg)

Racialized Epidemiologies: Black Americans and the 1918 Great Influenza Pandemic

ALEXANDER OBERMÜLLER (UK Tübingen)

Race and Emergency Medicine in Late Nineteenth Century Philadelphia

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