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**Lange Nacht der Wissenschaften**

*Back to the present: Moments that Made Modern Britain*

The Centre for British Studies cordially invites you to our Master students’ exhibition *Back to the Present: Moments that Made Modern Britain*. On Saturday, 11th June 2016, the class of 2015/17 will present their project within the framework of *Lange Nacht der Wissenschaften*. The exhibition, curated entirely by our students, is open to visitors from 5 pm until midnight. It will take place in the Senatsaal of the Humboldt University’s main building.

What does Great Britain’s present stand for and how has it been formed? The Master students of the Centre for British Studies invite you to an exploration of some of the most iconic moments that shaped contemporary Britain. Beginning with the post-war migration of the Caribbean Windrush Generation, *Back to the Present* examines the influence of politics and pop-culture on modern Britain. With an aim to showcasing the Centre’s interdisciplinary work, this event tackles topical, critical and overall fascinating subjects ranging from race issues in Harry Potter, to the LGBTQ movement’s role in the 1984 miners’ strike, and the Spice Girls’ effect on women’s rights.

The programme includes lectures as well as fun activities such as a British pub quiz, a raffle and a kid’s corner to entertain our younger visitors. British delicacies including, of course, delicious English tea and biscuits will be served throughout the evening. For tickets and additional information see www.langenachtderwissenschaften.de.

We are very much looking forward to seeing you at the event. A detailed programme will be available on the Centre’s website. Please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any further questions.

Kind regards,

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