Thursday, August 29th, 2019, 2:45 pm – 4:15 pm

Seminar Room 3004, Georg-Forster-Straße 4

Open Track II

Spaces and Frames

Chair: Pedro Nuno Teixeira

Shaping and Being Shaped by Space. Some Evidence on Knowledge-Based Inter-Organizational Dynamics from Eastern Piedmont, Italy
Giacomo Balduzzi, Michele Rostan

Transformation of Undergraduate Education under Globalization. A Reflection on the Global Studies of Higher Education
Akiyoshi Yonezawa, Don F. Westerheijden, Jorrit Snijders, Sae Shimauchi

Higher Education in Single-Industry Towns: Experience of an Expedition as a Research Tool
Ksenia Romanenko, Ekaterina Shibanova

Chair

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Speakers

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Dr. Sae Shimauchi is an Associate Professor at Tokyo Metropolitan University, International Center. She completed her Ph.D. at Waseda University and previously worked as postdoctoral research fellow for Japan Society for the Promotion of Science and an Assistant Professor at The Institute of Asia-Pacific Studies, Waseda University. Her research interests lie in the area of internationalization of higher education, sociolinguistics, international studies and global sociology, ranging from theory to practices. Her recent work includes Paradigm Shift on International Student Mobility in East Asia (Toshindo, 2016) and “English-medium Instruction in the Internationalization of Higher Education in Japan: Rationales and Issues” (Educational Studies in Japan, 2018).
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