

World Literature(s), Weltliteratur, Vishwa Sahitya, Littérature Universelle

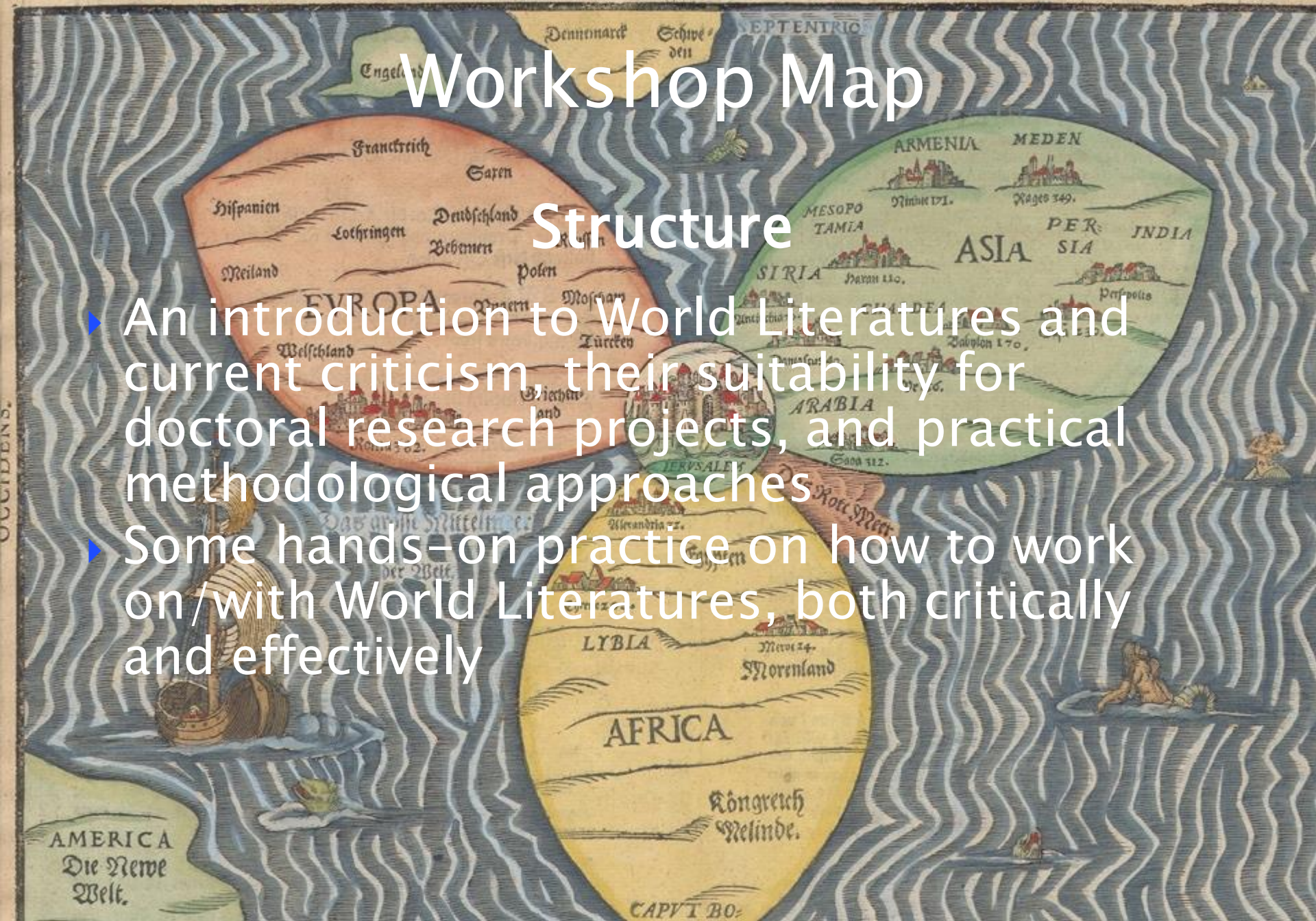


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Workshop Map

Structure

- ▶ An introduction to World Literatures and current criticism, their suitability for doctoral research projects, and practical methodological approaches
- ▶ Some hands-on practice on how to work on/with World Literatures, both critically and effectively



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▶ World Literature/s?

“National one-sidedness and narrow-mindedness become more and more impossible, and from the many national and local literatures, a world literature arises...”

(Marx and Engels, 1848)

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▶ Useful Web-links:

- ▶ <http://www.telegraph.co.uk/culture/books/booknews/6229495/The-25-most-influential-books-in-world-literature.html> (25 Most Influential Books in World Literature)
- ▶ <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zGkASXBYnxl> (Gayatri Spivak on Cosmopolitanism)
- ▶ http://www.brown.edu/Departments/Humanities_Center/events/spivak.html (Gayatri Spivak Lecture on “The Stakes of World Literature”)
- ▶ <http://www.number10.gov.uk/news/david-camersons-immigration-speech/> (Prime Minister David Cameron’s Address on Immigration)
- ▶ http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Cosmopolitanism#cite_note-5 (Wikipedia Entry on Cosmopolitanism)
- ▶ <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=0UdYJ6JyI1U> (Roberto Benigni’s Promo of *Tutto Dante*)

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