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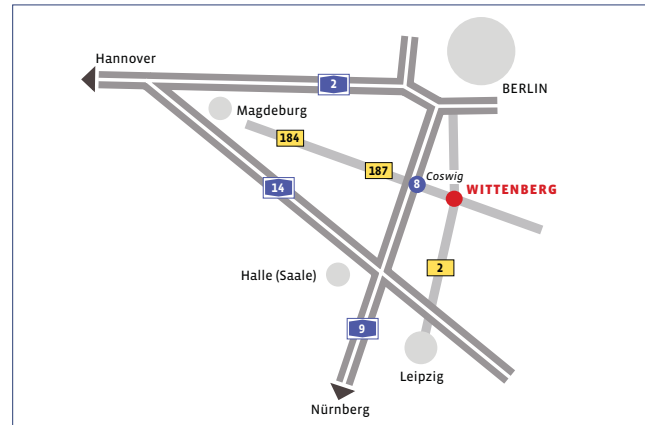
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Annual American Studies Committee Meeting

NOVEMBER 24-26, 2011
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THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 24

- 15:00 Arrival and check in
- 16:00 Coffee
- 16:30 **Welcome and Introduction**
Dr. Julia Nitz, ZUSAS,
Carsten Hummel, ZUSAS
- 17:00 Lecture:
Constant Flux: The Effect of YouTube on the Fairy-Tale Retelling
Dr. Julianne Lynch
Fulbright Professor, University of Potsdam
- 19:00 Dinner buffet (Leucorea library)



- 20:00 **Reading of “The Red Slippers”**
by Dr. Julianne Lynch
(Leucorea Library)

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 25

- 08:00 Breakfast
- 09:00 Lecture:
**Philip Roth’s Plot Against America:
A (Counter)factual (Hi)story of American
Antisemitism**
Anton Hieke, ZUSAS



Illustration by Ed Lam for Philip Roth, “The Story Behind ‘The Plot Against America,’” *The New York Times* 19 Sept. 2004.

- 10:30 Coffee break
- 11:00 Lecture:
Black Before Stonewall: Intersections of Civil Rights and Gay Rights
Prof. Dr. Kevin Mumford
Fulbright Professor, University of Erfurt
- 12:30 Off time
- 14:30 Workshop:
Creative Writing in the EFL-Classroom
Dr. Julianne Lynch
- 16:00 Coffee break
- 16:30 Workshop continues
- 19:00 Thanksgiving Dinner
at Best Western Stadtpalais Wittenberg

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 26

- 08:00 Breakfast
- 09:00 Lecture:
Religion and the Founders
Prof. Dr. Kirsten Fischer
Fulbright Professor, University of Heidelberg



John Trumbull, *Declaration of Independence*, painted 1819.

- 10:30 **ASC Business Meeting**
- 11:15 Coffee Break
- 11:45 Workshop
Prof. Dr. Kirsten Fischer
- 13:15 Farewell