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## **Activity Report, August-December 2011**

## 1. Courses Taught, Fall 2011

European Governments and Societies, undergraduate seminar Governance in the European Union, graduate seminar

European Integration: Theories, Institutions an Decision-Making Processes, Compact Graduate Seminar, Transatlantic Masters (TAM)-Program, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

### 2. Guest Lectures, Talks and Conference Presentations

"German Foreign Policy: From Tamed Power to New Ascendancy? The Case of Germany's Response to the Eurozone Crisis", paper presented at the German Studies Association Conference, Louisville/ Kentucky, September 22-25, 2011

"Common Currency, Divided Nations: The German Perspective on the Euro", paper presented at the conference "The Eurozone Crisis," Maison Francaise, New York University, September 30, 2011 (http://cems.as.nyu.edu/docs/CP/1041/November2011newsletter.pdf)

"When Barack Met Angela: Perceptions and Misperceptions in US-German Relations", Max Weber Chair Lecture at Deutsches Haus, New York University, November 9, 2011 (http://cems.as.nyu.edu/docs/CP/1041/December2011newsletter.pdf)

"Citizenship in Germany: From Mono-Cultural to Multi-Cultural Society", Grimm Lecture, Waterloo University, Waterloo Canada, November 10, 2011

#### 3. Publications

Richtungswechsel: Reformpolitik der Obama-Administration, Wiesbaden: VS Verlag 2011

Internationale Beziehungen: Grundkonzepte, Theorien und Problemfelder, 3. Auflage, München: Oldenbourg Verlag 2011

Angela Merkel, The Oxford Companion to Comparative Politics, ed. by Joel Krieger, New York 2011 (forthcoming)

#### 4. Interviews and Public Service

"Zehn Jahre nach 9-11", Planet-Interview (online news service), September 11, 2011

US-amerikanische Politik: Zwei Jahre Obama-Administration, Seminar with Rats-Gymnasium Stadthagen/Hannover group, October 25, 2011, at CEMS NYU

# **5.** Max Weber Chair workshops and guest lectures (Chief Organizer)

Workshop about the movie "The White Ribbon", speaker: Roy Grundman/Boston University, Deutsches Haus at NYU, October 18, 2011-12-18

Guest lecture Michael Bernau: "Constructing Identities: Museums of Islamic Art", October 26, 2011