

Mongolei-Colloquium

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MORE STEP – Mobility at risk: Sustaining the Mongolian Steppe Ecosystem



“MORE STEP – Mobility at risk: Sustaining the Mongolian Steppe Ecosystem” is a collaborative and transdisciplinary research project of Mongolian and German partners funded by the German Ministry of Education and Research (BMBF).

The **Eastern Steppe of Mongolia is one of the world’s largest intact grassland ecosystems** and is characterized by a close coupling of human and environment systems. With societal drivers potentially leading to ecological tipping points in this unique habitat, **MORE STEP brings both social and natural sciences** to analyze the change processes in Mongolia. In this context, land degradation and societal transformation processes – such as **urbanization or changes to the nomadic way of life** – are closely examined. During the lecture, the complex motives and motivations of internal migration in the Mongolian Steppe Ecosystem are unpacked using a social-ecological systems perspective. Seeking to **contribute to discussions on sustainable development of Mongolia**, the lecture will provide insights on potential tipping points associated with internal migration.

Ort: Hauptgebäude, Hörsaal XVI (2.OG)

Im Mongolei-Colloquium, seit 2013 organisiert von der Mongolistik am IOA, werden aktuelle Forschungs- und Praxisprojekte vorgestellt. In diesem Austauschforum kommen Wissenschaftler, Studierende und die interessierte Öffentlichkeit miteinander ins Gespräch.

Alle Interessierten sind herzlich willkommen!