**CAPAS Lecture Series Winter Term 2023/24: Course Requirements**

Students can earn up to 3 credit points depending on the specific course requirements of their individual programs:

• 1 credit point (not graded): students can earn 1 credit point by attending the lecture series**\***

• 2 credit points: students can earn 2 credit points by submitting an essay\*\* and attending regularly. The word count of the essay is between 2.000 and 2.500 words (approx. 5 pages). Please see further essay requirements below.

• 3 credit points: students can earn 3 credit points by submitting an essay\*\* and attending regularly. The word count of the essay is between 3.000 and 3.500 words (approx. 8 pages).

**\* Attendance requirement**: Students may not miss more than two sessions. Please sign the attendance list for each session.

**\*\*Essay**:

The graded essays are not a summary of a lecture but a specific type of academic writing in which you discuss a particular question or problem. The argument of an academic essay is supported by evidence and should contain references to other academic work (bibliography). Essays can be written in English or German.

The topic of the essay must relate to one or several themes of the lecture series and/or be related to the main areas of the Centre’s research (e.g. imaginaries and experiences of worldmaking and unmaking in AI, nuclear politics, climate change, etc.).

You may find the recorded talks on our YouTube channel: <https://www.youtube.com/@CAPASHeidelberg>

The **deadline** for essay submissionsis **31 March 2024**.

Please submit your essay via: [theresa.meerwarth@capas.uni-heidelberg.de](mailto:theresa.meerwarth@capas.uni-heidelberg.de)