## Universität Bamberg



## **Gastvortrag**

des Instituts für Geographie

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## Food for thought: Food re-localisation and the unequal geography of knowledge production

Since the early 2000s 'lopsided' geographies of knowledge production and context-dependent hierarchies of knowledge claims have been subject to growing critique. The talk seeks to make sense of the invisibility, to Western academia, of alternative food provisioning practices in non-Western contexts as a research topic with the potential to inform food scholarship's general theorisations. Looking at how food re-localisation practices in the periphery have been read from the West is instructive for the understanding of how certain knowledge 'travels' and becomes a universally accepted knowledge – or theory – or remains a partial knowledge with the validity restricted to particular places and circulating within specific academic subfields.