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# US IMMIGRATION LAW AND POLICY

## A Critical Overview in an Election year

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Similar to developments in Europe, US immigration policies increasingly respond to asylum seekers by extending enforcement well beyond the border. At the same time, asylum seekers who reach the United States face formidable barriers to invoking protections in U.S. and international law. What is currently happening in US asylum law and policy? How are people on the move responding? How do the upcoming U.S. presidential elections affect the answers?

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**When?**  
**Where?**

Thursday, 02.05.24, 6 pm  
VMP 8 Erziehungswissenschaften –  
Room 206, Von-Melle-Park 8, 20146 HH

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