



# SPRING LECTURES 2016

**Susan Rottmann**  
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## **Turkish migrants and the pursuit of belonging in European-Turkish spaces**

**Wednesday, May 4, 2016  
19:00**

Dr. Susan Rottmann is a cultural anthropologist whose work explores ethics, migration, religion and politics in Europe and the Middle East. She completed her PhD at the University of Wisconsin-Madison in 2012. With funding from a Fulbright-Hays DDRA, the Wenner-Gren Foundation for Anthropological Research, the American Research Institute in Turkey and the Institute of Turkish Studies, she conducted 25 months of ethnographic fieldwork with German-Turkish return migrants in Turkey from 2008-2010. Her dissertation project examined how transnational migration transforms ethics and belonging in families, neighborhoods, religious groups, and transnational migrant communities in Turkey. She is now planning a second research project with Turkish and Syrian migrants between Turkey and Europe. Susan currently teaches anthropology courses and runs the Student Life Office at Özyeğin University in Istanbul.

For attendance, registration at [helins@sri.org.tr](mailto:helins@sri.org.tr) is necessary

Refreshments will be served after the lecture

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