

EUNET REVIEW OF BOOKS SEMINAR

SEPTEMBER 4, 2026 · 9:00 AM – 4:30 PM · RAS MEKONNEN HALL

9:00–9:30 OPENING & WELCOME

MC: Tirsit Yitbarek

Welcome address by Dr. Yohannes Adigeh

Opening remarks by Dr. Fana Gebresenbet / Dr. Netsanet Gebremichael

9:30–11:00 PANEL 1: BOOK REVIEWS & DISCUSSION

9:30–9:45 Review of “Norms and Violence against Women in Ethiopia”
(Dr. Meron Zeleke) — Reviewer: Tirsit Yitbarek

9:45–10:00 Review of “Counterstreams in Migration”
(Dr. Hewan Girma) — Reviewer: Dr. Frehiwot Sintayehu

10:00–10:15 Review of “Evolutionary Poems” (Mihret Kebede) — Reviewer: Aklile Solomon

10:15–11:00 Moderated Q&A with all three authors & reviewers

11:00–11:30 COFFEE BREAK & GROUP PHOTOGRAPHY

Informal networking · Refreshments · Group photo

11:30–12:30 PANEL 2: BOOK REVIEWS & DISCUSSION

11:30–11:45 Review of “Black(ness) in German African Studies”
(Dr. Serawit Bekele) — Reviewer: Dr. Dessalegn Amsalu

11:45–12:00 Review of “Giber and Maed” (Dr. Namuna Gebreyesus and Hiruy Abdu)
— Reviewer: Dr. Yonas Ashine

12:00–12:30 Q&A with authors & reviewers

12:30–1:30 LUNCH & AUTHOR–AUDIENCE DIALOGUE

Mixed seating with authors, reviewers & participants

Informal discussion: academic publishing & research methodology

One-on-one conversations with scholars

1:30–2:45 ROUNDTABLE: COLLABORATIVE PATHWAYS FROM RESEARCH TO PUBLICATION

Panelists: Dr. Frehiwot Bayu, Dr. Desta Amare, Dr. Yenealem Areda ·

Moderator: Dr. Netsanet Gebremichael

1:30–2:15 Panelist discussion (45 min) — how did your research begin; key turning points
from research to publication; navigating the publication process, timelines &
strategies; advice for emerging researchers

2:15–2:45 Audience Q&A from the floor

2:45–4:30 BOOK SIGNING & NETWORKING

Book signing and networking