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On 24 April 2008, 3 pm, American Studies Leipzig will celebrate the inauguration of *aspeers*, Europe's first and currently only peer-reviewed graduate journal in American Studies. The publication project is part of American Studies Leipzig's new MA program. Over the course of the last semester, an editing team of four MA students and one Magister student have worked to shape the journal's profile, invite submissions, select, edit, and publish them. The result is a 190 page volume to be presented as part of the ceremony.

The founding issue, publicly available as of Thursday's inauguration, delivers a snapshot of American Studies work in European graduate programs. Its six academic papers are complemented by five creative contributions from around the world.

**Please join us in the Bibliotheca Albertina Lecture Hall on 24 April 2008, 3 pm, to celebrate!**

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