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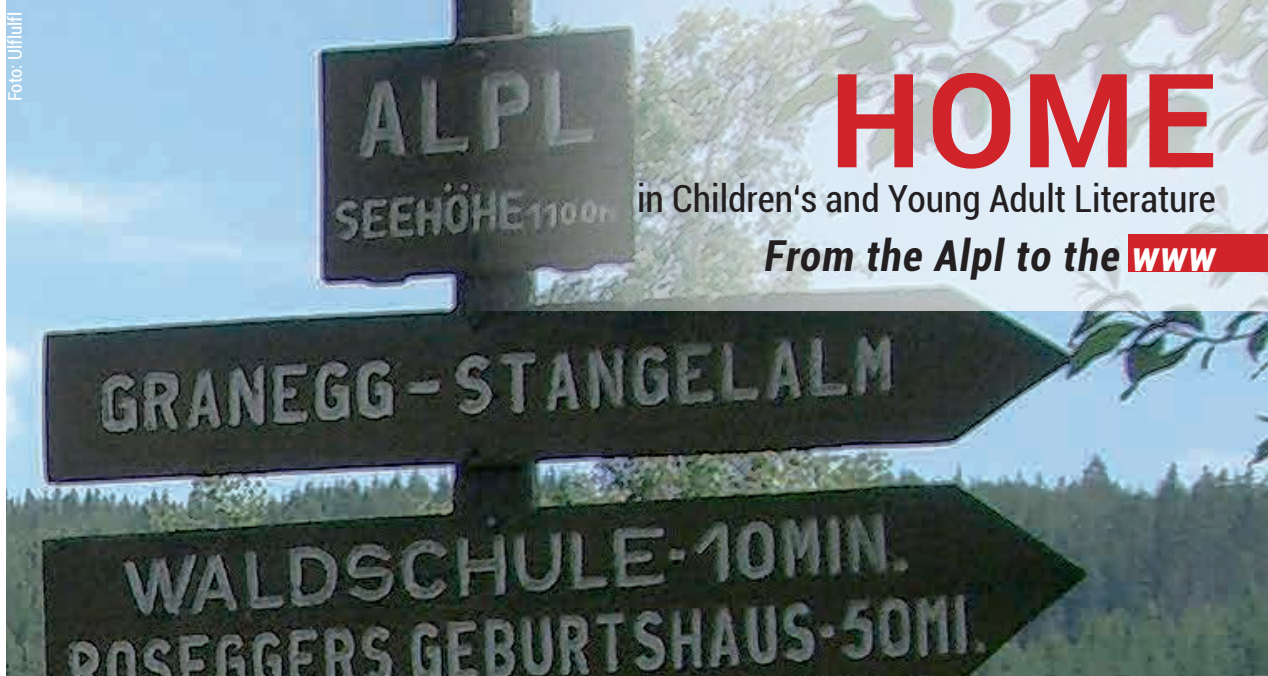
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Home has always played an ambivalent role in children's and young adult literature: it can be a point of departure and arrival in adventures that help characters develop and become independent, or it can be a place that young protagonists escape from in order to build their new home elsewhere. In English, the term „home“ is ideologically fairly unproblematical, whereas the German equivalent „Heimat“ has been loaded with racist and nationalist discourses, despite attempts at reconceptualisation.

These and other issues of home in children's and young adult literature and multimedia platforms will be at the heart of this conference: from Peter Rosegger's oeuvre and reception (also in education) to the analysis of more recent examples of international literature for young readers, experts from the areas of literature and cultural studies, history and literature education will engage in the manifold discourses surrounding „home.“

Conference languages will be German and English.

Registration until Oktober 25, 2018: Please send an email to oegkjlf@univie.ac.at

Organisers: German Academy of Literature for Children and Young Readers (Volkach, Germany), Department for Children's and Young Adult Literature Research at the Goethe-University (Frankfurt/Main, Germany), KiJuLit-Centre for Research and Teaching of Children's and Young Adult Literature at the PH Steiermark (University College of Teacher Education in Graz, Austria), and the Austrian Association for Research into Children's and Young Adult Literature (Vienna, Austria).

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