

# THE NEXT ISSUE



## TAKING A NEW LOOK AT AFRICA

Rich fauna and fascinating traditions on the one hand – violence, hunger, corruption on the other: scarcely any other region in the world prompts as many clichés as the continent on the southern half of the globe. But neither the romanticised view of Africa nor the one that focuses on its downsides really does the continent justice. In the next issue of *Forschung Frankfurt*, we want to take a closer look. Goethe University has vast and impressive expertise in this field. We will present innovative and pioneering research projects and researchers from linguistics, cultural studies and social sciences, but also geography, biology and medicine. The focus is above all on the opportunities and potential offered by this demographically young continent.

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Street art in Soweto near  
Johannesburg, South Africa.