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Tuesdays, 6:15 pm - 7:45 pm

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- 02.05. Typology, Prophecy, and Cabbala as a Strategy for Cultural Accommodation in Jesuit Figurism
Daniel Canaris (*Italian Studies, University of Sydney; IKGF Visiting Fellow*)
- 16.05. Serving a Higher Purpose: Divination and the Reform of Spirit-Writing in Republican China
Matthias Schumann (*Chinese History and Culture, Goethe University Frankfurt*)
- 23.05. Tezcatlipoca's Smoking Mirror: Fate, Agency, and Divination among the Aztecs
Isabel Laack (*Study of Religions, Heidelberg University*)
- 30.05. Decision-Making by Prognostic Disclosure: Epistemology and Cosmology in African Divination
Klaus Hock (*History of Religion, University of Rostock; IKGF Visiting Fellow*)
- 13.06. How to Deal with Prophecies in Late Antiquity: The Case of Dracontius
Maria Jennifer Falcone (*Classical Philology, Catholic University of Milan; IKGF Visiting Fellow*)
- 27.06. A 17th-Century Tibetan Dice Divination of the Deity A-phyi
Jan-Ulrich Sobisch (*Tibetan Studies; IKGF Visiting Fellow*)
- 04.07. Power and Fate in 19th- to 20th-Century China
Pablo Blitstein (*Intellectual History, Heidelberg University*)
- 11.07. The Tiger and Other Animals as Symbols in Tibetan Geomancy (*sa dpyad*)
Petra Maurer (*Tibetan Studies, Bavarian Academy of Sciences and Humanities/LMU Munich; IKGF Visiting Fellow*)
- 18.07. "A Certain Perfection of the Soul": Maimonides' Conception of Prophecy and Its Impact on the Kabbalah
Annett Martini (*Jewish Studies, Free University of Berlin; FAU Guest Professor*)
- 25.07. Mantic Echoes in Daoist Ritual Texts of the Six Dynasties Period
Stephen Bokenkamp (*Chinese Studies, Arizona State University; IKGF Visiting Fellow*)