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Jeffrey Kotyk (Chinese Studies, Leiden University; IKGF Visiting Fellow)

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Carola Föller (Medieval History, Friedrich-Alexander-University Erlangen-Nuremberg; IKGF Visiting Fellow)

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Wendan Li (Medieval History, Free University of Berlin)

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Olaf Czaja (Tibetology)

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Klaus Herbers (Medieval History, Friedrich-Alexander-University Erlangen-Nuremberg; IKGF Deputy Director)

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Stefan Maul (Assyriology, Heidelberg University)

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Brigid Vance (East Asian History, Lawrence University; IKGF Visiting Fellow)

19.06.2018  Prophetic Body Signs in Early Modern Romance Literature
Folke Gernert (Romance Studies, Trier University)

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Kwok-kan Tam (Comparative Literature and Culture, Hang Seng Management College, Hong Kong; IKGF Visiting Fellow)

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Susanne Ehrich (Medieval German Literature, University of Regensburg)

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Bernd-Christian Otto (Study of Religions, Max Weber Centre for Advanced Cultural and Social Studies, University of Erfurt)