September 18th - 21st, 2023

Reggio Emilia

DREST
The Italian Doctoral School for Religious Studies

Annual Seminar #1

S A C R I F I C E
HERMENEUTICS, SOURCES, HISTORIOGRAPHY
The first Annual Seminar is supported by DREST Mentors and Patrons.
MONDAY, 18TH SEPTEMBER
10.30am - 6.30pm
Palazzo dei Musei, v. Spallanzani 1, Portico dei Marmi
Welcome of the Vice-Rector, Giovanni Verzellesi

I) HERMENEUTICS

Matthias Morgenstern, Universität Tübingen
Sacrifice in the Hebrew Bible and in the Talmud

11am – 12.30pm Lecture 1 + Q&A session
1pm – 2-30.pm Lunch Break
2.30pm – 4pm Lecture 2 + Q&A session
4.30pm – 6pm Lecture 3 + Q&A session

Wrap-up:
Piero Capelli, Università Ca’ Foscari, Venezia

6pm - 6.30pm Concluding remarks
TUESDAY, 19TH SEPTEMBER 9am – 6.30pm  
Sala del Tricolore, Piazza Prampolini 3  
Welcome of the City Spokeswoman for Education &  
University, Raffaella Curioni

II) QUESTIONING THE SOURCES

Carmela Baffioni, Accademica dei Lincei  
The Three Kinds of Ritual in Ep. 50 of The Ikhwan Al-Safa  
9am – 10.30am Lecture 1 + Q&A session  
11am – 12.30pm Lecture 2 + Q&A session  
1pm – 2.30pm Lunch Break  

Jacob Dalton, University of California, Berkeley  
Sacrifice in Context: The Tantric Feast in 10th C. Tibet  
2.30pm – 4pm Lecture 3 + Q&A session  
4.30pm – 6pm Lecture 4 + Q&A session  

Wrap up  
Demetrio Giordani, Università di Modena-Reggio E.  
6pm - 6.30pm Concluding remarks
WEDNESDAY, 20TH SEPTEMBER 9am – 6.30pm
Fondazione Reggio Children, Via Bligny 1/A
Welcome of the President, Carla Rinaldi (tbc)

III) FELLOWS AND SCHOLARS DISCUSSING THE PROJECTS OF THE RESEARCH AREAS

BUDDHISM & ASIAN RELIGIONS (Sala cda)
Giacomella Orofino, Drest Area Coordinator
Jacob Dalton, UC Berkeley

CHRISTIANITY (Sala Kuwait)
Isabella Gagliardi, Drest Area Coordinator
Discussant: Paolo Bettio, Università di Padova

ISLAM (Sala Raggio di Luce)
Demetrio Giordani, Drest Area Coordinator
Carmela Baffioni, Accademica dei Lincei

JUDAISM (Sala PhD)
Piero Capelli, Drest Area Coordinator
Matthias Morgenstern, Tübingen Universität

LAW & RELIGIONS (Sala Colonne)
Alessandro Ferrari, Drest Area Coordinator
Roberto Mazzola, Università del Piemonte Orientale

TRANS Disciplinarity (Sala Specchi)
Massimo Leone, Drest Area Coordinator
Elena Esposito, Università di Bologna

9am – 12pm Session 1
1pm Lunch Break at Pause Atelier dei Sapori
2.30pm – 6.30pm Session 2
WEDNESDAY, 20TH SEPTEMBER 12am – 1pm
Fondazione Reggio Children Via Bligny, 1/A
Welcome of the Rechs Coordinator, Carla Bagnoli

IV) DESU AND RECHS PHD AWARD CEREMONY

SIMPLEX SIGILLUM VERITATIS
AWARD PRESENTED TO

BARBARA RONCHI

in Recognition of the Outstanding Performance
interpreting Marianna Padovani in
Rapito directed by M. Bellochio, 2023
THURSDAY, 21ST SEPTEMBER 9am – 6.30pm
Museo Diocesano, Via Vittorio Veneto 6
Welcome of the Archbishop, Giacomo Morandi (tbc)

V) LECTURE ON A MANUSCRIPT

Roberto Lambertini, Università di Macerata
Introducing the Liber Figurarum

9am-10am Lecture

VI) HISTORIOGRAPHY

Girolamo Imbruglia, Università di Napoli L’Orientale
After Grotius. Christianity Between East and West

10.30am – 12.30pm Lecture 1 + Q&A session
1pm – 2.30pm Lunch Break
2.30pm – 4pm Lecture 2 + Q&A session
4.30pm – 6pm Lecture 3+ Q&A session

Wrap up
Alberto Melloni, Università di Modena-Reggio E.

6pm-6.30pm Concluding remarks
VENUES

- Sala dei marmi
- Sala del tricolore
- Museo Diocesano
- F. Reggio Children
- Unimore, DESU

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