



# INTERNATIONALES KOLLEG

## für Geisteswissenschaftliche Forschung

*Schicksal, Freiheit und Prognose.  
Bewältigungsstrategien in Ostasien und Europa*

# SS2016 Lecture Series

- 12.04. Divination and the Discursive Modality of Doing Religion  
**Adam Yuet Chau** (*Anthropology of Modern China, University of Cambridge*)

- 19.04. Tommaso Campanella's *The City of the Sun* (*La città del Sole*, 1602) as the Model for a Society Governed by Astrology  
**Peter Forshaw** (*Center for History of Hermetic Philosophy and Related Currents, University of Amsterdam*)

- 26.04. From Divination to Cartography: 'Cosmograph' (*shi 式*) Boards in Early China and 'Cosmograph'-Tailored Maps in Late East Asia  
**Vera Doroфеева-Лichtmann** (*UMR 8173 Chine-Corée-Japon, Centre National de la Recherche Scientifique/École des Hautes Études en Sciences Sociales, Paris; IKGF Visiting Fellow*)

- 03.05. Divination under Mongol Rule (13<sup>th</sup>–14<sup>th</sup> centuries): Inner and East Asian Connections  
**Francesca Fiaschetti** (*Martin Buber Society of Fellows, Hebrew University of Jerusalem*)

- 24.05. Prophecy and Propaganda: Eschatology, Apocalypticism, and Millenarianism in the Struggle between *regnum* and *sacerdotium* (1075–1250)  
**Philip Jany** (*Medieval History, FAU Erlangen-Nürnberg; IKGF Visiting Fellow*)

- 31.05. Sociology as Divination: Predicting Patterns of Human Association in Late Qing China  
**Joachim Kurtz** (*Intellectual History, Cluster of Excellence "Asia and Europe in a Global Context", Heidelberg University*)

- 07.06. Taming the Future in the European Middle Ages?  
*Fate, fortuna, providentia Dei, resicum*: Steps towards a History of Concept  
**Gerrit Jasper Schenk** (*Medieval History, TU Darmstadt*)

- 14.06. Coping with the Future in the Ottonian Age (10<sup>th</sup> to early 11<sup>th</sup> centuries): Transcendence, Contingency and Lack of *Herrschaftsrationalität*  
**Stefano Manganaro** (*Medieval History; IKGF Visiting Fellow*)

- 21.06. Negotiating Fate in Late Antique Magic and Apocalyptic Texts  
**Eduard Iricinschi** (*History of Ancient Christianity; IKGF Visiting Fellow*)

- 28.06. High up in the Air: The Imagination of the Future and the Writing of 'Flying' in Early Chinese Science Fiction, 1902–1920  
**Rui Kunze** (*Chinese Culture and Society, University of St. Gallen; IKGF Visiting Fellow*)

- 05.07. A Han Dynasty Alternative to the Book of Changes: Yang Xiong's *Taixuan jing* ('Canon of the Absolute Dark', 2 BC)  
**Nicolae Cristian Statu** (*Chinese Studies, FAU Erlangen-Nürnberg; IKGF Visiting Fellow*)

- 12.07. Alterity and Divination in the Roman Empire  
**Diego Escámez de Vera** (*Ancient History, Complutense University of Madrid*)



**Tuesdays, 6:15 pm - 7:45 pm**

**Seminar Room, International Consortium for Research in the Humanities (IKGF)**  
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