

At the Centre of the World?

A Spatial Approach to the Hajj Pilgrimage

Organized by the Berlin Graduate School Muslim Cultures and Societies (BGS MCS), the Institute for Asian and African Studies (IAAW) and Zentrum Moderner Orient (ZMO)

27/10/16, 6 pm | TRANSPORT & GEOGRAPHICAL HISTORY | ZMO, Kirchweg 33, 14129 Berlin

Baz Lecocq (Humboldt Universität zu Berlin), Planes, Prayers and Practicalities: Transport and the Transformations in the Pilgrims' Journey to Mecca

Eric Tagliacozzo (Cornell University), Remembering Devotion: Oral History and the Pilgrimage to Mecca from Southeast Asia

26/01/17, 6 pm | LAW & REGULATION | ZMO, Kirchweg 33, 14129 Berlin

Saud Serhan (King Faisal Center for Research and Islamic Studies), Political or Apolitical Hajj

Werner Ende (Emeritus, Albert-Ludwigs-Universität Freiburg), Muslim Women and the Mecca Pilgrimage

23/02/17, 6 pm | PIETY, COSMOPOLITANISM, SCHOLARSHIP | IAAW, Room 315, Invalidenstraße 118, 10115 Berlin

Chanfi Ahmed (Humboldt Universität zu Berlin), Hajj, Scholarship and Salafism. The Case of the Ethiopian Born, Shaykh Muhammad Aman al-Jami (1930-1995) and the al-Jamiyya Movement in Saudi Arabia

Irit Back (Tel Aviv University), From West Africa to Mecca: The Case of the Tijaniyya during the Colonial Period

30/03/17, 6 pm | HAJJ & EMPIRES | ZMO, Kirchweg 33, 14129 Berlin

Lale Can (City University of New York), The Dilemmas of a Muslim Empire: The Ottomans and Hajj at the Turn of the Twentieth Century

John Slight (University of Cambridge), The Hajj in Imperial Space and Time: The Case of the British Empire

27/04/17, 6 pm | NARRATING THE HAJJ | IAAW, Room 315, Invalidenstraße 118, 10115 Berlin

Manja Stephan-Emmrich (Humboldt Universität zu Berlin), Beyond the Authoritative Islamic Script: Hajj Stories of Mobile Tajik Muslims

Marjo Buitelaar (University of Groningen), Moved by Mecca: The Meanings of the Hajj for Present Day Dutch Muslims

29/06/17, 6 pm | CRITICAL PERSPECTIVES ON THE HAJJ | BGS MCS, Room 2.2058, Fabeckstraße 23-25, 14195 Berlin

Nile Green (University of California, Los Angeles), Spaces of Impiety: Hajj Narratives from the Age of Steam and Print

Eileen Kane (Harvard University), European Empires and the Making of the Globalized Hajj

