Online Conferences

The Early Modern Section of the Research Group Polyeccentricity and Plurality of Premodern Christianities (POLY)

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Frankfurt Lectures on
Pathways through Early Modern Christianities

Spring and Summer Term 2021, on Tuesdays from 6 pm to 8 pm CET (12 am to 2 pm ETZ) unless stated otherwise

20/Apr Eugenio Menegon (Boston)
27/Apr Birgit Emich (Frankfurt)
4/May Christian Windler (Bern)
11/May Simon Ditchfield (York)
18/May Jean-Pascal Gay (Louvain)
1/Jun John-Paul Ghobrial (Oxford)
8/Jun Judith Pollmann (Leiden)
15/Jun Stuart Schwartz (Yale)
22/Jun Ines Županov (Paris)
29/Jun Alexandra Walsham (Cambridge)

Local Religion in China
Uniformity and the early modern Papacy
Polycentricity in global Catholicism
Appropriation in Tridentine Catholicism
Publicity in French Catholicism
Connected Histories in Eastern Christianities
Identity in the two Netherlands after the Revolt
Tolerance in the Iberian Atlantic
Accomodation in Indian Christianities
Generation on the British Isles

Lectures will be given in English or German

Attendance is open to all following registration.
Please register on pluralchristianities@em.uni-frankfurt.de to receive an invitation for the Zoom-meeting.

Between April and June 2021, the Frankfurt Lectures on Pathways through Early Modern Christianities will virtually bring together a global community of scholars and students to discuss the fascinating nature of early modern religious life. This year’s lectures will focus on the analytical keys that structure this field: from tolerance to generations, uniformity to publicity. 10 pathbreaking scholars will reflect on a single concept that they have developed, fine-tuned, or embraced in their scholarship. Together, these lectures will help us reflect on how much we have now learned about early modern Christianities in their interconnected global context—and what exciting new travels could lie ahead.