

Saturday, 7th October

13:30 - 15:10 Shi'a and the modern world
Seventh Session Panel Chair: **Dr Mohammad Ali Kazembeyki**
University of Tehran

Podium:

13:35 - 13:55 Analytical historiography of Shiite jurisprudence in the public domain and the theory of Allama Na'ini
Dr Abdolmajid Mobaleghi
Research Centre of Qum Seminary, Iran

13:55 - 14:15 Sayyid Jamal Al-Din "Al-Afghani"(1838/9-1897): 'Irfan and Modern Islamic Activism

Dr Oliver Scharbrodt
University of Chester, UK

14:15 - 14:35 The turbulence relationship: Najaf and Tehran seminaries at the midst of constitutional revolution

Dr Mohammad Reza Kalantari
University of London, UK

14:35 - 14:55 Basra school of thought

Dr. Adil Hashim Ali
University of Basra

14:55 - 15:15 Q&A, Discussion

15:15 - 15:35 Coffee Break

15:35 - 16:10 Celebrating the scholars of Islam and Shi'ism
Final Session

Podium:

15:40 - 15:50 Statement and report of the secretariat of the Book of the Year

Dr Mohsen Javadi
Secretary of the Book of the Year

15:50 - 16:00 Book presentation: "Kritik der westlichen Philosophie in Iran" Iran and Shiism, Selected German Literature on issues of Islam by **Dr Morteza Kariminia**

16:00 - 16:20 The book award of the Islamic Republic of Iran to 5 distinguished scholars and writers in the field of Islamic studies and Iran:

- Prof. Dr Joseph van Ess
- Dr Gerhard Böwering
- Prof. Dr Desmond Durkin-Meisterernst
- Prof. Dr Wolfram Kleiss
- Dr Urs Gösken

16:20 - 16:40 Q&A, Discussion, Closing

19:00 - 20:30 Special performance "Ta'ziya"

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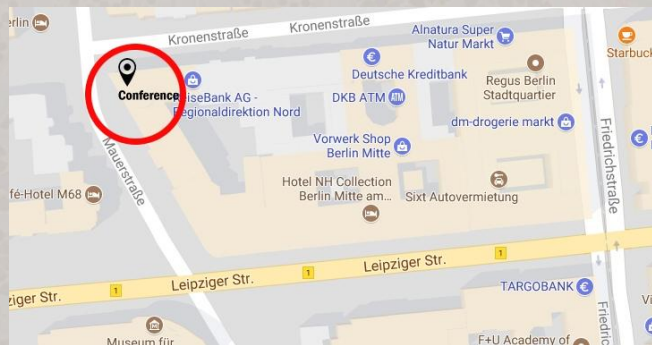
- Prof. Dr. Birgit Zweigle** Evangelische Hochschule Berlin
Dr Mohsen Alviri (Khandan) Baqir al-'Ulum University of Qum, Iran
Dr Kazuo Morimoto University of Tokyo, Japan
Dr Andrew Newman The University of Edinburgh, Scotland
Dr Ahab Bdaoui Leiden University, Netherlands
Dr. Sajjad H. Rizvi University of Exeter, UK
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Dr Edmund Hayes Leiden University, Netherlands
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Friday, 6th October

08:30	Registration
09:00	Recitation of Qur'an
09:10	Report of the Secretary Seyed Ali Moujani Cultural Counsellor of the Islamic Republic of Iran
09:20	Welcome Speech H.E. Ali Majedi Ambassador of the Islamic Republic of Iran
09:30	Ritual performance: Ta'ziya: Dialogue between Hurr and Abbas (pbuh)

9:50 -11:50 First Session:	Shi'a, Ahl al-Bayt and the emergence of Seminaries Panel Chair: Prof. Dr. Birgit Zweigle Evangelische Hochschule Berlin
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Podium:	
10:00 - 10:20	Continuous growth of Shiite sub-civilization Dr Mohsen Alviri (Khandan) Baqir al-'Ulum University of Qum, Iran

10:20 - 10:40	Why was Genealogy of the Prophet's Family studied in the Twelver Shi'i centres in Iraq (12th-15th c.)? Dr Kazuo Morimoto University of Tokyo, Japan
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10:40 - 11:00	Early Responses to al-Hayra Dr Andrew Newman The University of Edinburgh, Scotland
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11:00 - 11:20	Neither Shiraz, Isfahan, nor Najaf: Shi'i Learning in Medieval Bahrain, c. 1200-1300 Dr Ahab Bdaiwi Leiden University, Netherlands
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11:20 - 11:50	Q&A, Discussion
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11:50 - 13:30	Praying time Lunch
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13:30 – 15:45 Second Session:	Texts and methods of educational seminaries Panel Chair: Dr. Sajjad H. Rizvi University of Exeter, UK
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Podium:	
13:35 - 13:55	Theological school of Imamiyya in Kufa; Methodological and epistemic differences Em. Sheikh Mohammad Taghi Sobhani Qum Seminary, Iran

13:55 - 14:15	Continuity and Change in Shi'i Institutions of Learning: Between the Imams and the Occultation Dr Edmund Hayes Leiden University, Netherlands
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14:15 - 14:35	The Triple Aspects of Shiite Fiqh Ayatollah Dr Ahmad Mablaghi Qum Seminary, Iran
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14:35 - 14:55	Safavid/Qajar Majmu'as as Sources for Intellectual History Dr John Walbridge Indianapolis University, USA
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14:55 -15:15	Texts and common scholar heritage of Zaidi and Imami schools Dr Mohammad Ali Kazembeyki University of Tehran, Iran
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15:15 - 15:45	Q&A, Discussion
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15:45 - 16:00	Coffee Break
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16:00 - 17:50 Third Session:	Courses and exchange of ideas of the Seminary Panel Chair: Dr. Kazuo Morimoto University of Tokyo, Japan
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Podium:	
16:05 - 16:25	Ijtihad and Usul al-Fiqh: Historical and Contemporary Manifestations Dr LiyakatTakim McMaster University, Canada

16:25 - 16:45	A new paradigm in the history of Shi'a Tafsir: Al-Wazir al-Maghribi (370 -418 AH) and his al-Masabih fi tafsir al-Qur'an Dr Morteza Kariminia Encyclopedia Islamica Foundation, Iran
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16:45 - 17:05	Transcendent Wisdom as a Method of Exegesis, or Sadra's Commentary on Kulayni's Kitab al-Kafi Revisited Dr Janis Esots The Institute of Ismaili Studies, London
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17:05 - 17:35	Q&A, Discussion
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17:35 - 17:50	Coffee Break
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17.50 - 18:50 Fourth Session:	Shiite and Sunnite Seminary Panel Chair: Dr Mohammad Amer Al-Torath Center, Berlin
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17:55 - 18:15	Educational methods of Shi'ism and Sunni educational principles Dr Shahbaz Mohseni Mahabad University, Iran

18:15 - 18:35	The Ethics of Dialogue between the Professors in the Seminary of the Shiites and the Sunnis; A Case Study of Allama Sharaf al-Din Prof. Dr Mohammad Al-Shahat Al-Azhar, Egypt
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18:35 - 18:50	Q&A, Discussion
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9:30 - 11:20 Fifth Session	Philosophy and ethics Panel Chair: Dr Morteza Kariminia Encyclopedia Islamica, Iran
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Podium:	
9:35 - 9:55	Philosophical challenges at Isfahan Seminary Em. Sheikh Majid Hadizadeh Isfahan Seminary, Iran

9:55 - 10:15	Shi'a Practical Theology Dr Mohsen Javadi Qum University, Iran
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10:15 - 10:35	Avicenna in the Shi'i Provinces: The Role of Mahdi Naraqi (d. 1797) as Philosopher-Theologian in an Age of Uncertainty Dr Sajjad H. Rizvi University of Exeter, UK
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10:35 - 10:55	School of Isfahan Dr Sedigheh Mousavi University Tübingen, Germany
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10:55 - 11:20	Q&A, Discussion
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11:20 - 11:35	Coffee Break
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11:35 - 12:05 Sixth Session	Keynotes and Discussions Panel Chair: Dr Peyman Ayat Center of Shia Studies, Iran
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Podium:	
11:40 - 11:55	Shi'a and contemporary Europe Ayatollah Dr. Reza Ramezani Imam and Director of Islamic Center of Hamburg

11:55 - 12:05	Q&A, Discussion
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12:05 - 13:30	Praying time Lunch
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