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RELIGION, TRADITION AND THE POPULAR IN ASIA AND EUROPE

International Conference at Freiburg University • 8.–10. November 2012

Thursday, 8th November

16:00-16:30 Registration
16:30-17:00 Introduction
Judith Schlehe (Freiburg)

The Conceptualization of Popular Religion

17:00-17:45
Popular Spirituality
Hubert Knoblauch (Berlin)

17:45-18:30
Philippine Christianity and the Distinction
between "Popular" and "Popularized"
Religion
Peter J. Bräunlein (Göttingen)
19:00 *Standing reception*
(Peterhofkeller)

Friday, 9th November

Popular Religions and the Construction of History

09:30-10:15
Synthesizing Global and Local Religious
Systems in Early Modern Southeast Asia
Anthony Reid (Canberra)

10:15-11:00
Past and Present of Mediumship in
Europe
Ehler Voss (Leipzig)
11:00-11:30 *Coffee break*

Popular Religions and the Media

11:30-12:15
Blogging for Souls? Conceptualizing
Christianity in Chinese Microblogs
Kristin Kupfer (Freiburg)

12:15-13:00
"Tomorrow, Christ on the cross will be
selling socks." The Reception of
Religion in Contemporary Advertisement
Campaigns
Anna-Katharina Höpflinger (Zürich)

13:00-14:30 *Lunch*
14:30-15:15
Cinematic Contest of Popular Post-
Islamism
Ariel Heryanto (Canberra)

Popular Religions and the Market

15:15-16:00
Sam Poo Kong in Semarang –
A contested place of worship
Evamaria Müller (Freiburg)
16:00-16:30 *Coffee break*
16:30-17:15
Of Weber and the Real Religion of the
Masses: The Making of Modern
Popular Buddhism in Contemporary
Thailand
Pattana Kitiarsa (Singapore)

Popular Religions and the Combination of Traditions

17:15-18:00
Translating traditions and transcendence:
everyday needs and paranormal practice in
Indonesia
Judith Schlehe (Freiburg)
18:30 *Graveyards, ghosts and murderers*
(City Walk)
20:30 *Dinner*

Saturday, 10th November

Popular Religion in Europe: Neo Paganism

10:00-10:45
Neopagan Traditions in the 21st century:
Re-inventing Polytheism in a polyvalent
world-culture
René Gründer (Freiburg)
10:45-11:30
Germanic Neo-Paganism – A Nordic
Art-Religion
Stephanie von Schnurbein (Berlin)
11:30-12:00 *Coffee break*
12:00-13:00 Summary and conclusive
discussion

MORE INFORMATION CAN BE FOUND AT
http://portal.uni-freiburg.de/historische-lebenswelten/Forschergruppe-en?set_language=en

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