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Séminaires et conférences



Dear colleagues,

We are pleased to announce that the next European Conference of Mongolian Studies will be held at Ca' Foscari University of Venice, on November 27-28, 2024, on the occasion of Marco Polo's 700th anniversary.

The conference will focus on the history, culture, religion, language, and art of the Mongols, as well as Mongolia's historical and current political, economic, and global relations, and explore the prospects for the future. The conference will be a platform for discussion on the role and present state of Mongolian studies and their further development.

We would be honored by your presence at the conference and invite you to deliver a paper on a topic of your choice within your area of research. Presentations can be conducted in either Mongolian or English and should not exceed 20 minutes, followed by a 10-minute discussion session.

The organizers will provide participants with a list of recommended hotels. The conference will take place at Ca' Dolfin Palace, located at Dorsoduro 3825/e – 30123, Ca' Foscari University of Venice, Italy.

Please note that **travel and accommodation expenses** will be the responsibility of the participants.

Important dates:

- Title submission: **July 15, 2024**
- Abstract submission: **September 30, 2024**
- The European Conference on Mongolian Studies: November 27th and 28th, 2024 (Arrival on November 25th and Departure on November 29th, 2024)

Conference contacts:

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We look forward to your participation and contribution to this enriching scholarly event.

Warm regards,

Zayabaatar Dalai

Elisabetta Ragagnin

International Association for Mongol
Studies

Department of Asian and North African
Studies, Ca' Foscari University of Venice

4. International conference “Art and Art History in/of Mongolia: Past and Present” at National University of Mongolia, September 6, 2024.
5. “Bright Evening” National TV Broadcasting Program about Tsultem and his contribution to art and art history of Mongolia. October, 2024 (exact date TBD).
6. Documentary by Batnasan Odkhuu, titled “Maestro”, which will feature interviews with Mongolian artists, Tsultem’s former collaborators in Japan, France, and the United States. Public showing date TBD.
7. New scholarship program named after Nyam-Osoryn Tsultem for study and research of art in Mongolia will be announced at the National University of Mongolia
8. Tsultem’s manuscript, titled *Modern Art of Mongolia*, which the artist prepared but was not able to print in 1990, will be finally published. This volume is meant to be the last album in the set of five albums Tsultem published in 1982-1988 in collaboration with photographers Chuluunbaatar, Teruzo Sugiyama, several translators, including historian D. Bayarsaikhan to be printed in Tokyo, Japan.

Main Organizers:

- International Association of Mongolian Studies
- Research Institute for Arts and Culture at the Mongolian University of Arts and Culture
- Indiana University

Co-Organizers and Supporters:

- The School of Arts and Sciences at the National University of Mongolia
- The Philosophy Institute at the Academy of Sciences
- Zanabazar Museum of Fine Arts
- National Gallery of Mongolia

Attendance Information:

- All these events are free and open to public.

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12-12 novembre 2024 : Colloque "Human-Environment Relations in Central Asia »

The Leibniz-Zentrum Moderner Orient (ZMO) and the Central Asian Studies Network in Germany (CASNiG) cordially invite you to submit an abstract for the 5th annual CASNiG conference on "**Human-Environment Relations in Central Asia: Flows, Frictions and Frontiers**". The conference will take place at the ZMO in Berlin on 12-13 November 2024.

The conference will focus on the relations that populations across Central Asia develop with their environs and the variegated transformations these relations have undergone in recent years as a result of multiscalar and overlapping social, economic, political, natural, and cultural processes.

In order to reflect and grasp the interconnectedness of various factors shaping our lived experiences and the world around us, we invite contributions to address one or more of the following sets of registers (but without being necessarily limited to them). We believe that these registers will facilitate our discussions about human-environment relations across Central Asia by prompting us to think creatively about what constitutes environment and approach environmental relations, conceptualisations, methodologies, and pedagogies from a comparative perspective:

- Flows (migration, mobilities, translocalities, funds, resources, information, knowledge, discourses, narratives)
- Frictions (democratic participation and deliberation, resistance, collective action, activism, repression)
- Frontiers (large-scale infrastructures, extractivism, other forms of re/built environment, governance)

Abstracts should be no longer than 300 words and contain the title of the paper, the name and affiliation of the author(s), and up to five keywords. In addition to individual papers, we are also open to alternative forms of knowledge dissemination, such as mini-workshops, roundtables, or artistic interventions. Please submit your abstracts together with a short bio (max. 100 words) by 15 July 2024 to Nader Zaza (nader.zaza(at)[zmo.de](mailto:nader.zaza@zmo.de)).

Please find the full call for papers attached, as well as here: <https://www.zmo.de/en/career/call-for-papers>

We are looking forward to your submissions!
On behalf of the organising team,
Nikolaos Olma & Beril Ocaklı

Appel à contribution

La revue *Extrême-Orient, Extrême-Occident* lance un appel à contribution pour un prochain numéro ayant pour thème « Mobilités nomades et sédentaires dans le monde sinisé »

Les propositions d'articles, en anglais ou en français, seront adressées aux deux rédacteurs en chef de la revue : matthias.hayek@ephe.psl.eu et pierre-emmanuel.roux@u-paris.fr, ainsi qu'aux coordinateurs du numéro : Aurore Dumont (aurore.dumont5@ehess.fr) et Alexis Lycas (alexis.lycas@ephe.psl.eu)

Les personnes qui envisagent de proposer une contribution sont invitées à se manifester en soumettant un titre provisoire et un résumé d'une page maximum, avant le 15 juillet 2024.

Les manuscrits complets pour les propositions retenues seront attendus au plus tard le 30 octobre 2024 et devront suivre les consignes indiquées ici : <https://journals.openedition.org/extremeorient/738>.

Publication

La *Revue d'études tibétaines* annonce la parution de son n°71, intitulé « **Tibet and the Oirats: The Oirat Legacy and the Origins of Tibetology** », sous la direction d'Alexander Zorin et Charles Ramble. Pour en savoir plus et accéder aux articles: <https://www.sfemt.fr/parution-de-revue-detudes-tibetaines-n-71/>

Poste à pourvoir

Le département d'études mongoles et tibétaines à l'Université de Bonn annonce le recrutement d'un.e **assistant.e de recherche à temps plein** à partir du 1er octobre 2024 pour un CDD jusqu'en septembre 2027. La connaissance de l'allemand n'étant pas un prérequis, mais est un élément apprécié (pour les tâches administratives et l'enseignement) et pourrait être décisif dans le cas de plusieurs candidatures à niveau égal.

La date limite pour envoyer sa candidature est le **30 juin 2024**.

The **University of Bonn** is an international research university offering a broad range of subjects. With a 200-year history, 31,500 students, more than 6,000 employees and an outstanding reputation in Germany and abroad, the University of Bonn is one of the leading universities in Germany and has been awarded the status of a University of Excellence.

Initially for a fixed term to **September 30, 2027**, the **Department of Mongolian and Tibetan Studies** within the **Institute of Oriental and Asian Studies** is seeking to appoint a

Research Associate (full-time)

with effect from October 1, 2024. Working as an assistant to Prof. Dr. Lewis Doney in the subject of Tibetan studies, the successful candidate will teach historical and/or contemporary topics relating to literature, culture, art and society (depending on their specialist knowledge or interests) and will help to build up a young, dynamic and international section with a focus on Central Asia.

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| Your tasks: | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Supporting the Chair of Tibetan Studies and teaching Tibetan language and culture • Teaching four course units per week • Teaching seminars and proving cover for language courses • Supervising in-seminar presentations, term papers and final theses • Coordinating the section's Erasmus affairs • Helping to organize events and purchase books connected to Tibet; maintaining the department's website • Participating in research into historical and contemporary topics studied by the department |
| Your profile: | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • University degree (master's) or doctorate in Tibetan, Buddhist or Asian studies or a related subject • Knowledge of spoken Tibetan and/or the classical Tibetan written language • English skills • A motivated, flexible team player with an interest in advanced training |
| We offer: | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A varied, challenging job with one of the largest employers in the region • The opportunity to complete a doctorate or Habilitation • Occupational pension (VBL) • Many options available for university sports • Excellent access by public transport thanks to Bonn's central location as well as the opportunity to take advantage of low-cost parking • Flexible working hours and the ability to work partially from home • Remuneration in accordance with TV-L pay grade 13 |

The University of Bonn is committed to diversity and equal opportunity. It is certified as a family-friendly university. The University of Bonn seeks to increase female representation in staffing areas where women are underrepresented and provide special career support. It thus expressly encourages qualified women to apply. Applications will be handled in accordance with the NRW State Gender Equality Act. Applications from qualified candidates with a certified severe disability or from those of equal status are especially welcome.

If you are interested in this position, please send your **complete** application (letter of motivation, curriculum vitae and references) by email to bohnsack@uni-bonn.de by June 30, 2024, **quoting reference 3.2/2024/35**. For technical reasons, applications may **only be submitted as a single PDF file**. Please do not hesitate to contact Kirsten Bohnsack (phone +49 228 73-7465) if you need any more information.

