Thursday, December 8

09:45 - 10:45 Roy Bar Sadeh (Yale University): “Meat Together: Islamic Modernism and the Politics of Meat in South Asia, 1860s-1947”

11:15 - 12:15 Ulrich Brandenburg (University of Zurich): “Authority through Missionary Competition: Debating Japan’s Conversion to Islam (in Early Twentieth-Century Egypt)”


15:30 - 16:30 Taushif Kara (King’s College London): “The Imam between the Merchant and the King”

16:30 - 17:30 Simon Wolfgang Fuchs (University of Freiburg): “Back to School. The Surprising Vitality of the Madhhab in South Asia”

Friday, December 9

9:00 - 10:00 Besnik Sinani (University of Tübingen): “The Muslim ‘La Sagrada Familia’: Traditionalism and the Authority of the Ahl al-Bayt in Contemporary Sunni Islam”

10:00 - 11:00 Ahmed Dailami (University of Exeter): “Staying out of History: Arabia of the Counterrevolution”

11:30 - 12:30 Layli Uddin (Queen Mary University of London): “Red Maulanas: Revisiting Islam and the Left in South Asia”