

Indian Ocean World Centre (IOWC) Speaker Series



Winter Term 2017: Thursday 17.45

Peterson Hall R.116, 3460 McTavish Street, Montréal

Schedule:

12 January: Aslıhan Gürbüz (Assistant Prof., Institute of Islamic Studies, McGill University), "A Culture of Eclecticism: Medical Pluralism and the Question of Change in Early Modern Ottoman Empire"

19 January: Stefan Winter (Prof., Département d'Histoire, UQAM), "Tribes and Tribalization in Ottoman Syria: The Reşwan Kurd Confederation, 16th-18th Century"

26 January: Elizabeth Dyer (PhD Candidate, Department of History, University of Pennsylvania), "World War II and African Variety Shows on Tour in the Indian Ocean World, 1939-1950"

2 February: Naser Dumairieh (PhD Candidate, Institute of Islamic Studies, McGill University), "The Mughal and the Hījāz in the 17th Century"

9 February: Yoshina Hurgobin (Post-doctoral Research Fellow, IOWC, McGill University), "Malaria and Labour Migration in the Indian Ocean World"

16 February: Grace Fong (Prof., East Asian Studies, McGill University), "Lost in Private Writings: Women's Responses to Opium and the Opium Wars in Qing China"

23 February: Mafalda Ade Winter (Dr., Institute of Islamic Studies, McGill University), "The Commercial Tribunal at Aleppo and Legal Innovation in the Late Ottoman Empire"

9 March: Zozan Pehlivan (Post-doctoral Research Fellow, IOWC, McGill University), "After the loss of herds: Pastoralists' response to climatic crises in Ottoman Kurdistan, 1840-1895"

16 March: Ariel Salzmänn (Prof., Department of History, Queen's University), "The Collapse of the Safavid State as a World Historical Event"

- 23 March:** Sylvain Cornac (PhD Candidate, Département d'Histoire, UQAM), "An Amir Between Empires: the Ottoman Part of Abd al-Qâdir al-Jazâ'irî's career (1834-1865)"
- 30 March:** Michael Christopher Low (Prof., Department of History, IOWA State University), "Microbial Mecca and the Ecologies of Empire: Indian Ocean Cholera and the Limits of the Ottoman Sanitary State"
- 6 April:** Subho Basu (Prof., Department of History and Classical Studies, McGill University), "Conundrums of a Revolution: Mujibur Rahman and the Making of Bangladesh"
- 13 April:** Sebouh David Aslanian (Prof., Department of History, UCLA), "Global History, Microhistory, and the Voyage of the Santa Catharina: The Indian Ocean and Global Politics and Trade"
- 20 April:** Sandeep Banerjee (Prof., Department of English, McGill University), "Singing the Nation into Being: Space, Politics, and the Nationalist Song in Colonial India"
- 24 April:** Alan Mikhail (Prof., Department of History, Yale University), "Columbus and Islam"