

Day of Research and Exchange, 22.05.2024

Venue: Beckmanns Hof, Room Tokio

This day offers the opportunity to get to know each other better and to exchange ideas. Members of the Institute of Arabic and Islamic Studies will meet at *Beckmanns Hof* to present and discuss their current research in short 15-minute presentations. In addition, we would like to talk about what is currently on our minds, what challenges we are facing as individual researchers and as an institute and how we want to tackle these challenges in the future.

Program

8.45-9.00	Welcome
9.00-9.30	Roman Seidel: Exploring new Perspectives in Tafsīr-Studies. Lead Metaphor and Explicative Metaphor and the Unfolding Religious Meaning
9.30-10.00	Johann Büssow & Olaf Berg: Tracing Demographic Trends and Family Structures in Late Ottoman Palestine with Digital Methods
10.00-10.45	Coffee Break
10.45-11.15	Sarah Büssow: Immigration and Diversity in a Rural Settlement of Late Ottoman Palestine: The Case of Jericho
11.15-11.45	Enes Nizipliöglu: What are Promising Sources for a Study on Land, Property and Income in Late Ottoman Palestine?
12-13.30	Lunch Break
14.00-14.30	David Jordan: Sharifism in Transition: The Descendants of the Prophet in Religion, Society and Politics of the Modern Muslim World (1860-2024)
14.00-14.30	Michaela Hoffmann-Ruf: The Letters From al-Ḥamrā' as a Source to Social and Political History: Possibilities and Limits of Contextualization
14.30-14.45	Coffee Break
14.45-15.15	Nils Riecken: Current Higher Education Policies Against Antisemitism: A Postcolonial Analysis
15.15-16.00	Brainstorming: Future Perspectives and Challenges for Our Discipline and for Our Institute
16.00-16.30	Final Discussion