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EURO- MEDITERRANEAN ENTANGLEMENTS IN MEDIEVAL HISTORY

First Online Seminar Series Organised by the German Historical Institutes of Paris and Rome

The German Historical Institutes of Paris and Rome are launching a new online seminar series on "Euro-Mediterranean Entanglements in Medieval History" in the academic year 2021/2022. The events take place every two months. They are aimed at both young and established scholars from all medieval disciplines. The intention is to create an international and interdisciplinary forum where diverse topics and methodological approaches can be presented and discussed.

Topics

The geographical area is deliberately not clearly defined and includes Europe, as well as the Mediterranean region in its broadest sense. Also comprised are interconnections between the Euro-Mediterranean area and other world regions. The following topics are in focus:

- cross-regional, transcultural, and interreligious entanglements (processes/results).
- overlapping spaces: between geographic borders and cultural contacts
- social networks and interpersonal relations
- mobility and migration
- transfer, diffusion and adaptation of ideas, knowledge and material objects

Seminar schedule

Each seminar focuses on discussion and is held in English. The presenter submits her/his paper (max. 5000 words) about 10 days before the event so that all participants can read it in advance. In the online seminar itself, only a 10-minute keynote presentation will be given. A subsequent 10-minute commentary by a specialist will stimulate the following discussion.

→ Complete program and registration

Tuesdays, 17.00-18.00 (Paris/Rome time)

September 28, 2021 – November 23, 2021 – January 25, 2022 – March 29, 2022 – May 24, 2022

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