International workshop
Making Japanese Religions: People, Texts, and Techniques
May 31 2024
Collège de France, place Marcellin Berthelot, salle 1

9:00-9:20: Welcoming of participants
9:20-30: Opening by Matthias Hayek & Fabio Rambelli

First Session: Rituals and ceremonies

Chair: Matthias Hayek (EPHE-PSL)
11:15-11:45: Carina Roth (U. Genève), “Asymmetric time: Keisei’s conversations with the Great Tengu of Mount Hira”
11:45-12:15: Discussion

12:15-14:00: Lunch break

Second Session: Religious technologies

Chair: Vincent Goossaert (EPHE-PSL)
14:00-14:30: Matthias Hayek (EPHE-PSL): “Practical aspects in the selection of auspicious days: Using and Reading the Hoki naiden in the 17th century”
14:30-15:00: Ellen Van Goethem (Kyushu U.): “The Hands that Built a Temple: Construction Workers in Eighth Century Japan”
15:00-15:15: Coffee break

Third Session: Objects of pilgrimage

Chair: Jean-Michel Butel (INALCO)
15:15-15:45: Mary Picone (EHESS): “Reinventing jigoku meguri: Contemporary Three Dimensional Doctrinal Attractions or High Concept Amusement Parks”
15:45-16:15: Charlotte Lamotte (U. Grenoble-Alpes), "Buddhist statues and cultual objects in a Japanese pilgrimage town: the case of Sasaguri’s 88 sacred places"
16:15-17:00: Discussion

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