



Regimes of Religious Pluralism in 20th-Century Europe Amsterdam, April 19-21, 2012

Program

Thursday, April 19

- 13.00 Registration & Refreshments
- 13.30 - Keynote: Regimes of Religious Pluralism
Peter van Rooden, University of Amsterdam
- Reaction by Peter van Dam, University of Amsterdam
- Discussion
Chair: Markha Valenta, University of Amsterdam
- 15.30 Coffee break
- 16.00 Session: Religious communities
- The Pluralism of Everyday Life
Hugh McLeod, University of Birmingham
- Limits of Diversity in the German Religious Landscape, 1900-1960
Benjamin Ziemann, University of Sheffield
- Discussion
Chair: Monika Wohlrab-Saar, University of Leipzig
- 18.00 Reception, Museumcafé Bijzondere Collecties, Oude Turfmarkt 129
- 20.00 Dinner at Italian restaurant Vasso, Rozenboomsteeg 10 /14

Friday, April 20

- 08.30 Session: Politics and Governance
- Transformations of Secular Regimes in Sweden
Carl Reinhold Bråkenhielm (Uppsala University)
- Contested Secularities: Religious Minorities and Secular Progressivism in the Netherlands
Cora Schuh, Marian Burchardt, Monika Wohlrab-Sahr (University of Leipzig)
- Unstable Patterns of Religion and Education
Charles Glenn, Boston University
- Discussion
Chair: Stephen Monsma, Calvin College
- 10.30 Coffee Break
- 11.00 Session: Civil society
- Claiming the Authentic. Dutch Religious Antagonism and International Networks in the long 1960s
Marjet Derks, Radboud University Nijmegen
- Re-entering Pluralism, Emptying the Public Sphere? Secularization and De-secularization in Italian Civil Society
Andrea M. Maccarini, University of Padova
- Faith-Based Organizations in Civil Society: An American-Dutch Paradox
Stephen Monsma, Calvin College
- Discussion

Chair: Charles Glenn, Boston University

- 13.00 Lunch, Museumcafé Bijzondere Collecties, Oude Turfmarkt 129
- 14.30 Workshops, first session
- Migration and Religious Pluralism: Non-Christian Minorities in European Societies
 - 'God is now my Neighbour'. Transmitting religious traditions since 1945
 - European Identity Politics and the Memory of Paganism
- 16.00 Coffee break
- 16.30 Workshops, second session
- Religious Pluralism in the Welfare State
 - Religious Pluralism and Perceptions of the Past
 - Global Christian networks within European contexts
- 19.00 Dinner at Indonesian restaurant Kantjil & de Tijger, Spuistraat 291-293

Saturday, April 21

- 09.30 Session: Global society
- Nation-states and the Managing of Difference – Examples from Africa and Europe
Peter Geschiere, University of Amsterdam
 - Religion on the Move and Secularism in Place: The Geopolitics of Pluralism
Markha Valenta, University of Amsterdam
 - Discussion
Chair: Hugh McLeod, University of Birmingham
- 11.30 Coffee break
- 12.00 Closing lecture by James Kennedy, University of Amsterdam
Plenary discussion
- 13.00 Refreshments & Departure

Location

Library of the University of Amsterdam, Doelenzaal, Singel 425 (unless noted otherwise)