PROGRAMME

NOVEMBER 16–17, 2018

SCRIPTURAL HERMENEUTICS AND EXEGESIS

CHALLENGES FOR MUSLIMS AND CHRISTIANS IN MODERNITY

Friday | Nov 16
9 am Introduction to the conference: Prof. Dr. Klaus von Stosch, University of Paderborn

9.30 am Keynote for the conference: Prof. Dr. Angelika Neuwirth, Free University of Berlin

11 am Coffee break

11.30 am-1.30 pm Presentation and Discussion of Panel 1
- Prof. Dr. Mohammad Hasan Ahmadi, University of Tehran: The Muslim Commentators Reading of the Qur’anic verse 5,13
- Prof. Dr. Hans-Ulrich Weidemann, Universität Siegen: The Virgin Mary in Scripture, Tradition and History. A test case for historical methodology

1.30-3 pm Lunch Break

3-5 pm Presentation and Discussion of Panel 2
- Prof. Dr. Mohammad Kazem Shaker, Allameh Tabataba‘i University: Philosophy of Polysemy in Biblical and Qur’anic Exegesis
- Prof. Dr. Egbert Ballhorn, Technical University of Dortmund: Polysemy in Old Testament Exegesis

5-7 pm Presentation and Discussion of Panel 3
- Prof. Dr. Mahmoud Karimi Banadkooki, Imam Sadiq University: Figurative Language in the Qur’an and the Bible
- Prof. Dr. Christiane Tietz, University of Zurich: What does the ‘the scripture alone’ of the reformers mean today?

7.30 pm conference dinner in town

Saturday | Nov 17
9-11 am Presentation and Discussion of Panel 4
- Prof. Dr. Seyed Reza Moaddab, Qom University, Holy texts; between Authenticity and Philology
- Prof. Dr. Maria Neubrand, Theological Faculty Paderborn: Exegesis of the New Testament and Christian Anti-Judaism

Lunch break

Discussion on continuing the project

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