Forgotten Voices from Mongol Eurasia

Tuesday, June 25, 2024

09:20-10:00  Conference Welcome and Keynote Session

Greeting: Eun Mee Kim (President, Ewha Womans University)
Keynote: Michal Biran (Ewha Womans University & Hebrew University of Jerusalem) Voices from Mongol Qaraqorum

10:15-12:15  1. Medicine and Science in Mongol Eurasia

Moderator: Namhee Lee (Ewha Womans University)

Qiao Yang (Max Planck Institute for the History of Science)
Forgotten Tongue(s) from Mongol Eurasia: Mongolian Learning in Yuan China

Hyunhee Park (CUNY John Jay College and the Graduate Center)
India as a Nexus of Cross-Cultural Exchanges: Travelers’ Accounts and Cartographic Insights during the Mongol Era

Bruno de Nicola (Austrian Academy of Sciences)
Between Theory and Practice: Manuscript Evidence of Medical Knowledge in Ilkhanid Iran

Jongkuk Nam (Ewha Womans University)
Rethinking “Medical Globalization” during the Period of the Mongol Empire: Comparative Analysis of Chinese, Arabic and European Texts

12:15-13:30  Lunch
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| 13:30-15:00 | 2. Mongol Historiography Revisited | **Moderator: Ilnyun Kim** (Ewha Womans University) | **Hodong Kim** (Seoul National University)  
*Tobchiyan: A Lost Dynastic Annals of the Mongol Empire.*  
**Qiu Yihao** (Fudan University)  
*A Reluctant Imitator in Translucent Mirror: Ghazan’s “Chinese” Knowledge*  
**Simone Ruffini** (Hebrew University of Jerusalem)  
*Forgotten Voices from Mongol Iran: The Life and Panegyric Odes of Majd-i Hamgar* |
| 15:15-16:45 | 3. Animal Histories of the Mongol Empire | **Moderator: Minkyeong Lee** (Ewha Womans University) | **Christopher Atwood** (University of Pennsylvania)  
*Mongols, Marmots, and a Truth Maybe Too Universally Acknowledged*  
**Kenneth Linden** (Rutgers University)  
*Humans as Animals and Animals as Humans in the Mongol Empire*  
**Aaron Molnar** (University of British Columbia)  
*All Under Heaven was Taken because of Bows and Horses*  
Discussant: **Johan Elverskog** (Southern Methodist University) [zoom] |
| 17:00-18:30 | 4. Military Matters | **Moderator: Hosung Shim** (Northeast Asian History Foundation) | **Timothy May** (University of North Georgia)  
*Voice from Empire’s Edge: Life in the Tamma*  
**Soyoung Choi** (Dongguk University)  
*Forgotten Herders of the Khan: The Mokho (牧胡) on Tamna Island in Goryeo*  
**Yiming Ha** (University of California)  
*Everyday Politics” Among Yuan Military Households: A Reconsideration of the Military Households’ Social and Economic Status in the Yuan* |
| 19:00- | Official Dinner | | |
Wednesday, June 26, 2024

09:00-10:30  5. New Perspectives on the Yuan Ulus

Moderator: Dongkyung Shin (Ewha Womans University)

Chorong Park (Ewha Womans University)
The Relationship between the Yuan and Goryeo: A Korean Perspective

Wonhee Cho (Yonsei University)
Unearthing Forgotten Voices in the Court of Qubilai Qa’an: A Network Analysis Approach

Sooyoun Kim (Ewha Womans University)
The Multi-Layered Buddhist Beliefs of the Yuan and Goryeo through the Records of Monk Dhyānabhadra

11:00-12:30  6. Men and Women in Mongol Eurasia

Moderator: Ji-Eun Lee (Seoul National University)

Jan Bemmann (Rheinische Friedrich-Wilhelms-Universität Bonn)
Only Beautiful Women and Epic Warriors? Archaeology of Death and Burial in the Mongol Empire

Alessia Zubani (University of Oxford)
The Forgotten Craftsmen: Mechanical Devices and Their Makers in Mongol Eurasia

Dotno Pount (University of Pennsylvania)
What Did They Recite at the Mongol Yuan Ordo Shrines, and Whom Did They Worship?

12:30-14:00  Lunch
7. Places and Peripheries

Moderator: So Yeon Bae (Yongin University)

Reuven Amitai (Hebrew University of Jerusalem)
At the Furthest Reach of Empire: How the Mongols Viewed Gaza and Were Themselves Viewed from There

Ishayahu Landa (University of Bonn)
Reconstructing the Mordovian-Jochid Relations of the Fourteenth Century: A Case-Study on Mokhshi/Narovchat under Chinggisid Rule

Alexander Pachkalov (Maxim Gorky Literature Institute, Moscow)
A Cultural Biography of Rose Garden (Gulistan) on the Volga

Francesco Calzolaio (University of Hong Kong)
Chinese Immigrants in the Ilkhanate (1256-1335)

8. Architecture and Arts under Mongol Rule

Moderator: Myongjoo Shin (Ewha Womans University)

Nancy Steinhardt (University of Pennsylvania)
Forgotten Voices: Yuan Architecture in Miniature

Bernard O’Kane (The American University in Cairo)
Architectural Innovation under the Mongols: Contributions of the Ilkhanids, Golden Horde and Chaghadaids to the Development of Tilework

Kang Hahn Lee (The Academy of Korean Studies)
Music in the Goryeo-Yuan Relationship

17:45-18:00

Concluding Remarks

Michal Biran (Ewha Womans University & Hebrew University of Jerusalem)

19:00-

Official Dinner