A workshop on auspicious and protective winged spirits that populate artefacts and architecture on their travels between east and west.
Programme

Lecture, Thursday, June 30

18.00 - 20.00
EBBA KOCH (VIENNA)
Solomonic Angels in a Mughal Sky

Workshop, Friday, July 1

9.00
Welcome by Katharina Weiler

9.15 - 10.00
KAI TÖPFER (HEIDELBERG)
The Goddess of Victory in Greek and Roman Art

10.00 - 10.45
SHERVIN FARRIDNEJAD (GÖTTINGEN)
The Iconography of Zoroastrian Angelology in Sassanian Art and Architecture

Coffee Break

11.00 - 11.45
SARA KUEHN (VIENNA)
The Dragon in Transcultural Spheres: Its Medieval Central Asian, Caucasian and Jaziran Iconographies

11.45 - 12.30
ANGELIKA SCHINELLER (HEIDELBERG)
Angels in Heavenly Jerusalem

12.30 - 13.30
Lunch Break

13.30 - 14.15
SUSANNE VON DER HEIDE (KATHMANDU)
Devas and Kinnaras in the Mentsun Lhakhang Temple in Mustang

14.15 - 15.00
NIELS GUTSCHOW (HEIDELBERG)
Winged Spirits in Nepalese Art and Architecture (gandharva, vidyadhāra, kīrtimukha)

Coffee Break

15.15 - 16.00
RABINDRA VASAVADA (AHMEDABAD)
Ethereal Imagery: Symbolic Attributes in Art and Architecture

16.00 - 16.45
KATHARINA WEILER (HEIDELBERG)
Depictions of Celestial Beings in Early 20th Century Architecture of the Kathmandu Valley in Nepal

16.45 - 17.30
CHARI PRADEL (LOS ANGELES)
Daoist Winged Immortals and Buddhist Heavenly Beings across the East Asian Skies

Concluding Discussion

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