

EMPIRICAL APPROACHES TO SALAFISM IN EUROPE

FRIDAY, 20 APRIL 2018

09:00 – 09:30 REGISTRATION

09:30 – 09:45 OPENING REMARKS
Sabine Damir-Geilsdorf

09:45 – 10:45 KEYNOTE
Martijn de Koning
*Ethnography and the Security Gaze: Academic
Research with 'Salafi' Muslims in the Netherlands*

10:45 – 11:00 COFFEE BREAK

PANEL I – SPACES OF BELIEF Chair: Melanie Reddig

11:00 – 11:45 Iman Dawood
*The Salafization of London's Mosques:
The Case of Wembley Central Mosque*

11:45 – 12:30 Sophie Roche
*Remaking Family: A Social Anthropological Study
about Salafi Oriented Mosque Associations*

12:30 – 14:00 LUNCH BREAK

PANEL II – SALAFI NARRATIVES Chair: Mira Menzfeld

14:00 – 14:45 Mahmoud Jaraba
*Understanding Salafi Narratives in Germany:
Radicalization among Young Muslims in Bavaria*

14:45 – 15:30 Amir Sheikhzadegan
*"Only Fruitful Trees Get Stoned": Narrative Identities
of Salafi Converts and "Newborns" in Switzerland*

15:30 – 16:15 DISCUSSION ROUND
Chair: Melanie Reddig

18:00 – 20:00 CONFERENCE DINNER

SATURDAY, 21 APRIL 2018

PANEL III – KNOWLEDGE AND EMOTIONS Chair: Constanze Leimbrink

09:30 – 10:15 Melanie Reddig, Mira Menzfeld
*Young Muslims in Germany Searching for Authentic
Knowledge*

10:15 – 11:00 Sabine Damir-Geilsdorf, Mira Menzfeld
*Authenticity Through Suffering? Display of Emotions
in German Salafi Contexts*

11:00 – 11:15 COFFEE BREAK

PANEL IV – STUDYING THE DIGITAL Chair: Constanze Leimbrink

11:15 – 12:00 Clemens Holzgruber
*Western Salafi Preachers vs. The Islamic State.
An Empirical Study of Pierre Vogel's and Bilal Philip's
Critique of Jihadism*

12:00 – 12:45 Simone Pfeifer, Larissa-Diana Fuhrmann
*Methodological and Ethical Challenges in Digital
Ethnography: On the Circulation and Appropriation of
Militant Islamist Videos and Images*

12:45 – 13:30 CLOSING REMARKS
Melanie Reddig

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Venue: University of Cologne | Hauptgebäude, Neuer Senatssaal

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