

Seminars and Other Events

Autumn 2007

Thursday, September 20, 2 p.m.

Ingela Nilsson, Stig Strömholm Pro Futura Fellow, SCAS.
Assistant Professor of Byzantine Studies, Department of Linguistics and Philology, Uppsala University.
How to Pay your Rent in Byzantium – a Twelfth-century Intellectual at the Emperor's Service

Tuesday, September 25, 2 p.m.

Hodong Kim, Professor of Asian History, Seoul National University.
A Newly Discovered Law Code of the Mongol-Yuan Empire: Zhizheng Tiaoge (1346)

Wednesday, October 3, 6 p.m.

Maria Ågren, Professor of History, Uppsala University.
A Domestic Secret: Women and Property in Sweden.
In collaboration with *the Uppsala Interdisciplinary Seminar in Eighteenth-Century Studies*.
Immediately after the seminar, *the Katrín Fridjónsdóttir Prize in Sociology of Knowledge* will be awarded.

Thursday, October 4, 2 p.m.

Johan Elverskog, Associate Professor of Religious Studies, Southern Methodist University, Dallas, TX.
Mind the Gap: Theorizing Buddhist-Muslim Religious Space

Tuesday, October 9. MINI-SYMPOSIUM

Language, Genes, and Prehistory.

With **Bernard Comrie**, Director of the Department of Linguistics, Max Planck Institute for Evolutionary Anthropology, Leipzig and Distinguished Professor of Linguistics, University of California, Santa Barbara.

Friday, October 12. SYMPOSIUM

GUNNAR JARRING 1907–2002. A Symposium in Commemoration of the 100th Anniversary of the Birth of Gunnar Jarring.

In collaboration between *the Royal Swedish Academy of Letters, History and Antiquities, the Swedish Research Institute in Istanbul*, and SCAS.
Please, note that this is not a public event.

Thursday, October 18, 2 p.m.

Sten Lindström, Professor of Theoretical Philosophy, Umeå University.
Challenges to Neo-Logicism

Thursday, October 25, 2 p.m.

Staffan Rosén, Professor of Korean Studies, Stockholm University.
Central Asia and the Korean Peninsula: A Problematic Encounter

Thursday, November 1, 2 p.m.

Coco Norén, Torgny Segerstedt Pro Futura Fellow, SCAS.
Associate Professor of Romance Languages, Department of Modern Languages, Uppsala University.
Europe On-Line – The French speaking MEPs' Argumentation on the Internet

Thursday, November 8, 2 p.m.

Philippe Forêt, Researcher, Institute of Cartography at Eidgenössische Technische Hochschule Zürich (ETH)/the Swiss Federal Institute of Technology, Zurich.
Central Asia in the Discovery of Global Warming

Thursday, November 15, 2 p.m.

Igor Torbakov, Analyst, Open Society Institute, Istanbul.
Russia, Turkey, and Various Uses of 'Eurasia'

Friday, November 16, 9:30 a.m. SYMPOSIUM

Minority Policies in Transition – Experiences and Trends Around the Baltic Sea

A symposium in collaboration between *the Åland Islands Peace Institute, the Centre for Multiethnic Research at Uppsala University*, and *the Uppsala University Forum of International and Area Studies*.
See www.peace.ax for details.

Monday, November 19, 6 p.m. LECTURE

Christian Høgel, Assistant Professor of Classical Studies, University of Southern Denmark, Odense.
Barlaam og Iosaphat – fortællingen og dens litterære betydning.
The Annual Lennart Rydén Lecture.
In collaboration with *Bysantinska Sällskapet*.

Wednesday, November 21, 6 p.m.

Ulla Ehrensverd, Professor, Stockholm, and **Staffan Rosén**, Professor of Korean Studies, Stockholm University.
Sweden and Russia in the Eighteenth Century.
In collaboration with *the Uppsala Interdisciplinary Seminar in Eighteenth-Century Studies*.

Thursday, November 22, 2 p.m.

Andrey S. Menshikov, Holder of INTAS Young Scientists' Fellowship.
Assistant Instructor of Philosophical Anthropology, Department of Philosophy, Ural State University, Ekaterinburg.
Does Anybody Need Political Philosophy?

Thursday, November 29, 2 p.m.

Patrik Ström, Staffan Helmfrid Pro Futura Fellow, SCAS.
Research Fellow, Department of Human and Economic Geography, Göteborg University.
The East Asian Service Economy – Japan and its Regional Position

Thursday, December 6, 2 p.m.

Marie-Christine Skuncke, Non-resident Long-term Fellow, SCAS.
Professor of Literature, Uppsala University.
Carl Peter Thunberg's Eurasian Encounters