









The research group Beyond the Elite: Jewish Daily Life in Medieval Europe is pleased to invite you to

The Humanities and Social Sciences Fund Conference on

Money Matters: Jews, Christians and the Medieval Market

17-19 December, 2019

Rabin Building for Jewish Studies, Mount Scopus Campus, Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Room 3001

Tuesday, December 17, 2019

Welcome by 10:15

Nureet Dermer, Aviya Doron, Andreas Lehnertz

Hebrew University of Jerusalem

10:30 Session 1 **Cooperations in Urban Markets**

Chair: Francesca Trivellato | Institute for Advanced

Study, Princeton

Anna Gutgarts | Hebrew University of Jerusalem Markets, Real Estate and Social Cohesion in the

Cities of the Latin East

Micha Perry | University of Haifa

A Transnational History of Bilingual Economic

Contracts

12:00 Lunch

13:00 Session 2

Courts, Gender and Religious Differences

Chair: Tzafrir Barzilay | Ben Gurion University

Emma Cavell | Swansea University

Harmony in Hostility: Everyday Interactions Between Jewish and Christian Women in the

Public Spaces of Medieval England

Sophia Schmitt | Ben Gurion University

Love for Sale: Intimate Social and Economic Relationships in Late Medieval Regensburg

14:30 Coffee Break

15:00 Session 3

Material Concerns in Economic Relationships

Chair: Yannay Spitzer | Hebrew University of

Jerusalem

Alexandra Sapoznik | King's College London Bees in the Medieval Mediterranean: Jewish Merchants and the Trade in Maghrebi Wax

Aviya Doron | Hebrew University of Jerusalem Who's to Blame? Risk and Liability in the Case of

Live Pawns

16:30 Coffee Break

17:00 Session 4 **Keynote Address**

Chair: Elisheva Baumgarten | Hebrew University of

Daniel L. Smail | Harvard University

Jews, Christians and the Materiality of Money in

Later Medieval Provence

Reception

Wednesday, December 18, 2019

13:00

Lunch

14:00 Session 5

Conflict and Legal Recourse

Chair: Oded Zinger | Hebrew University of Jerusalem

Nureet Dermer | Hebrew University of Jerusalem Public Fight, Hidden Story: A Case Concerning Jews and Christians in the Market of St. Denis

Dean Irwin | University of Canterbury Money and the Marketplace: Jewish

Moneylending Activities in 13th Century England

15:30

Coffee Break

16:00 Session 6

Crafts, Guilds and Institutions

Chair: Ayelet Even-Ezra | Hebrew University of

Jerusalem

Andreas Lehnertz | Hebrew University of Jerusalem

Shofar Production in Medieval Erfurt: Starting a

Business, Creating a Scandal

Sabine von Heusinger | University of Cologne

Rethinking the Form and Function of Medieval

Anna Rich-Abad | University of Nottingham

The Role of Jews in Specialized Artisan Activities

in 14th Century Barcelona

Thursday, December 19, 2019

9:00 Workshop

Graduate Workshop open to graduate students

from Israel and abroad

By invitation only

Coffee Break 11:30

12:00 Session 7 **Economic Structures and Population**

Chair: Emma Cavell | Swansea University

Nathan Sussman | Graduate Institute Geneva and the

Hebrew University of Jerusalem

Medieval Markets and Migration

12:45

14:00 Session 8

Moneylending - From Germany to Aragon

Chair: **Ephraim Shoham-Steiner** | Ben Gurion

Jörg Müller | Goethe University Frankfurt Pawnbroking by Jews in the Towns of the Medieval German Kingdom until c. 1350: Legal

and Practical Aspects

Pinchas Roth | Bar-llan University

Bankruptcy in Medieval Jewish Law: Culture and

Ethics, Theory and Practice

15:30 Coffee Break

15:45 **Concluding Remarks**

Chair: Micha Perry | University of Haifa

Francesca Trivellato | Institute for Advanced Study,

Princeton



For more information and to learn about upcoming events visit our website: https://beyond-the-elite.huji.ac.il/