25 June 2013
19.00    Welcoming Dinner, Pickup on 18.00 at Art Nouveau City III Seocho

26 June 2013
09.00 - 09.30 Registration, Coffee
09.30 - 10.30 Welcome & Introductory Remarks
LEE, Chang-Hyun (President, the Seoul Institute, South Korea)
van der VEER, Peter (Director, MPI MMG, Germany)
10.30 - 12.10 Panel 1: Religion in the Colonial period and the Cold War
Chair/Discussant: CHUNG, Byung-Ho (Hanyang University, South Korea)
KIM, Michael (Yonsei University, South Korea)
Religious Publishing and Urban Life in Colonial Seoul
JUNG, Yong Taek (The Christian Institute for the 3rd Era, South Korea)
Why Were They Headed for Church? Roles and Functions of Urban Church during the establishment of Welfare Regime of Korea in the Park Jung-hee Administration
JUNG, Jin-Heon (MPI MMG, Germany)
Freedom in Seoul: Christian Pedagogy of Ideal Citizenship among North Korean Migrants
12.10 - 13.40 Lunch
13.40 - 15.20 Panel 2: Healing in the City
Chair: KIM, Hyun Mee (Yonsei Univ.)
Discussant: KIM, Hyunhee (Institute of Cross-Cultural Studies, Seoul National Univ.)
KIM, Hyun Mee (Yonsei University, South Korea)
City mediators and the Emergence of ‘Healing Industry’
PARK, Jun Hwan (Sogang University, South Korea)
Presence without Being Visible. the Emergence of Kutdang (the Shamanic Commercial Ritual Halls) and the Importance of Body and Space in Religious Politics in Korea
PARK, Irene Yung (Yonsei University, South Korea)
“Paramedical” healing in hospitals: The expansion of spiritual care in Seoul
15.20 - 15.50 Coffee Break
15.50 - 17.30 Panel 3: Urban Aspirations in Ritual and Representation
Chair/Discussant: CHANG, Sukman (The Korean Institute for Religion and Culture, South Korea)
HA, Hongkyu (Yonsei University, South Korea)
Small is Sacred. Searching for New Community in the Modern City
FEDORENKO, Olga (New York University, USA)
Notes from an MT. ‘Collective Effervescence’ in South Korea’s Corporate World
HARKNESS, Nicholas (Harvard University, USA)
Collective Prayer and the Authoritative Word

27 June 2013
09.30 - 11.30 Panel 4: Urban Asymmetries. Religious Aspirations and Uneven Development
Chair: HAN, Ju Hui Judy (University of Toronto, Canada)
Discussant: KIM, Alice S. (UC Berkeley, USA)
DAVIS, Lisa Kim (UCLA, USA)
Redevelopment, Seesaw Theory, and Religious Actors. What’s at Stake?
PARK, Seo Young (Scuarp College, USA)
Enchanted Time — Being Awake in the 24-hour City
GALMICHE, Florence (Ruhr University, Germany)
Megatemples and “First-quality Buddhists (myôngp’um pulcha)—Buddhism Toward a New Social Position in Contemporary Korea?
HAN, Ju Hui Judy (University of Toronto, Canada)
Urban Ecology of Religious Growth and Anti-Growth in Seoul
11.30 - 13.00 Lunch
13.00 - 14.40 Panel 5: Spatial Configuration of Migrant Muslim’s Everyday life in Seoul
Chair: HAN, Geun-soo (Kangwon University, South Korea)
Discussant: KIM, Hyung-jun (Kangwon University, South Korea)
OH, Chong-Jin (Hankook University of Foreign Studies, South Korea)
Muslim Communities in Korea – Focusing on the characteristics of various Groups
CHO, Hee-Sun (Myongji University, South Korea)
Present Condition and Social Network of Immigrant Arab-speaking Muslims in Korea
SONG, Doyoung (Hanyang University, South Korea)
Inclusion and Exclusion of Life Spaces for Muslim Populations of Seoul
14.40 - 15.00 Coffee Break
15.00 - 17.00 Panel 6: Urban Aspiration in Comparative Perspectives
Chair/Discussant: van der VEER, Peter (MPI MMG, Germany)
NGO, Tam T.T. and van der VEER, Peter (MPI MMG, Germany)
Between Dragon Veins and Human Bones: Sacred Topographies and Modern Urban Planning in Hanoi
HEO, Angie (MPI MMG, Germany)
In Light of Mass Apparitions: National and Sectarian Imagination in Egypt
ROBERTS, Nathaniel (MPI MMG, Germany)
Caste and the human: Aspiration, reality and millennial eschatology
GOH, Daniel PS. (National University of Singapore, Singapore)
In Place of Ritual: Secular City, Sacred Space, and the Guanyin Temple in Singapore
17.00 - 18.00 Wrap-up Discussion
18.30  Dinner

28 June 2013
Fieldtrip: Religion and Conviviality in Seoul: From Shamanism to Gangnam Style

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