The Mediterranean Seminar & the CU Mediterranean Studies Group with the Department of Religious Studies & the Program in Jewish Studies present

**Mysticism & Devotion**

**Mediterranean Seminar Spring 2017 Workshop**

**21 & 22 April • CU Boulder**

**Duane Physics “Skybox”**

**21 April • 10am –5:30pm**

**Maria Segol (Jewish Studies, SUNY Buffalo):**

*Mystical Embryologies: Knowledge, Practice, and Devotion*

- Respondent: Nan Goodman (English and Jewish Studies, CU Boulder)

**Marianne Kupin-Lisbin (History, U of Rochester):**

*New Approaches In Understanding the Lived Religious Culture of the Ottoman Balkans*

- Respondent: Sabahat Adil (Asian Languages and Civilizations, CU Boulder)

**Anna Akasoy (Islamic Intellectual History, Hunter College):**

*Imaginary Spaces of Devotion in Andalusi Mystical Poetry*

- Respondent: Cyrus Zargar (Religion, Augustana College)

**Featured Scholar**

**Amy Remensnyder (History: Brown University)**

*“Does the Sea Matter to the History of Mediterranean Devotion?”*

**22 April • 10am —6pm**

**Mysticism and Doctrine**

*Are they Compatible or do they Conflict?*

- Sharon Kinoshita (UC Santa Cruz)
- Michelle Hamilton (Minnesota)
- Janine Peterson (Marist College)
- Aun Hasan Ali (CU Boulder)
- Robert Pasnau (CU Boulder)

**Do Mystical Traditions have a Politics?**

- Claire Farago (CU Boulder)
- Hartley Lachter (Lehigh)
- Núria Sillerás (CU Boulder)
- John Curry (U Nevada Las Vegas)
- Matt Lynch (UNC Chapel Hill)
- Edward Holt (Saint Louis U)
- Benjamin de Lee (CUNY Cortland)

**“Mediterranean Religion” - Does it Function as a Category?**

- Brian A. Catlos (CU Boulder)
- Sabahat Adil (CU Boulder)
- David Williams (Royal Holloway)
- Kevin Blankinship (Chicago)
- Karen Pinto (Boise State)
- Allen Fromherz (Georgia State)

**“Mediterranean Studies in Asia”**

- Yuen-Gen Liang (National Taiwan University)

**Featured Scholar**

**Maribel Fierro (CISC: Madrid)**

*“The Political Mystics of al-Andalus”*

The event is free, admittance is by registration only. Space is limited. Registered participants should attend the whole event.

For general information contact: mailbox@mediterraneanseminar.org. To register and to receive the workshop papers, and for logistical and site-specific information, please contact Jeffrey Baron (jeffrey.baron@colorado.edu).

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