









2025-2026 LECTURE SERIES

THE AGENCY OF MANUSCRIPTS IN SHAPING HUMAN THOUGHT

in person and online

6 November 2025 | 17:15-18:45 CET

Roundtable Discussion: World Philosophies, Materiality, and Challenging the Canon

Sabrina Ebbersmeyer (University of Copenhagen), Monika Kirloskar-Steinbach (Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam), Mariken Teeuwen (Leiden University), Moderator: Yoav Meyrav (University of Hamburg)

16 December 2025 | 17:15-18:45 CET

Philosophising by Hand? Manuscripts and Print in Song Neo-Confucianism (11th-12th Centuries) Michael Friedrich (University of Hamburg)

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The Reading Mind: Practices of Annotation and the Historiography of Medieval Philosophy Mario Meliadò (University of Siegen)

21 April 2026 | 17:15-18:45 CET

Samuel Ibn Tibbon's Notes on His Translation of Maimonides' *Guide for the Perplexed* Carlos Fraenkel (McGill University)

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Philosophy by Hand or Mouth-to-Ear Philosophy? Philosophy in Oral Traditions

Anke Graness (University of Hildesheim)

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Reading, Writing, Philosophising in Medieval India

Isabelle Ratié (Sorbonne Nouvelle University)

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Don't Look Back in Anger: Reconsidering Appropriation of Past Philosophy

Yael Gazit (Tel Aviv University)

Venue: Institute for Jewish Studies

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