

Eastern Christianity history, theology, culture, identity Lecture Seminar Series (10th edition)

Multi-ethnic Eastern Christian communities are among the most ancient natives in the wider West Asia region. These lectures highlight the rich historical, literary, theological and artistic heritage of Christian communities in this presently much-troubled part of the world.

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These lecture series are organised with the support of Oxford Armenian Studies and Calouste Gulbenkian Foundation. Week 5 | 15 February Hebrew Catholicism in modern Israel: a new and emerging Eastern Christian ecclesial identity

~ Dr Anthony O'Mahony

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Week 6 | 22 February Armenian Christology and Contemporary Philosophical Debates

~ Dr Christopher Sheklian

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Week 7 | 1 March Imaging Sanctity in Early Solomonic Ethiopia: The Portrait of "qeddus" Iyäsus Mo'a

~ Dr Jacopo Gnisci

Lecturer in the Art and Visual Cultures of the Global South, University College London

Week 8 8 March

Two major changes of liturgical rite in the **Syriac tradition: Antioch** (10th-11th c.) and **Kerala** (18th-19th c.)

~ Dr Sebastian Brock

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