GHENT CENTRE FOR BUDDHIST STUDIES



SPRING 2023 LECTURE SERIES

14 MAR Anna Sokolova (UGent) Commemorating the Dead and Gaining Merit: Reading Buddhist Stone Epigraphy of Medieval China

21 MAR Henry Albery (UGent) Pleasure and Fear: On the Paradox of Art and its Responses, from Ghent to Gandhāra

28 MAR Edel Maex (psychiatrist and Zen teacher) Waar anders dan in de dagelijkse praktijk? (Buddhism in practice: Where Else?)

18 APR Lucas den Boer (UGent) The Great Monastery of Nālandā: The World's First University? The Lectures will take place on Tuesday evenings from 7:30–9:15 pm CET in Auditorium 0.4 (Blandijnberg 2, 9000 Ghent) unless otherwise stated.

The PTBS is open to anyone interested in Buddhist Studies. In-person participation is free of charge for members of the Ghent Centre for Buddhist Studies. All other participants who wishes to physically attend the lectures are free to make a voluntary donation (10 euro) per lecture.

We will be live streaming the event for our virtual audience. There is no fee.

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25 APR Martin Seeger (Leeds) The Veneration of Buddhist Relics in Thailand

2 MAY Max Deeg (Cardiff) Holy Topography: The Role and Function of Space in the Development of Buddhism in India

9 MAY Aruna Keerthi Gamage (Philipps University of Marburg) Metonymy and Meditation: A Study of the Gap Between Primary and Secondary Meanings of Terms in Theravāda Canon

16 MAY Daniela Campo (University of Strasbourg) Individual and Collective Practices at a Chan Female Monastery in Contemporary China https://humanitiesacademie.ugent.be/buddhism-2023







