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## Intellectual Exchange and Religious Diversity in Antioch (CE 350-450)

Between 350 and 450 Antioch on the Orontes, today's Antakya, was a flourishing metropolis in a multi-ethnic empire. It was an imperial residence, administrative center of the region with the seat of the comes orientis, and staging post for military campaigns against Sassanian Persia. All these aspects combined make Antioch one of the premier cities of the realm and a magnet for the elites of the later Roman Empire. The city competed head to head with Alexandria and Rome and far outpaced the slowly rising Constantinople to attract courtiers, teachers, students, philosophers and poets from everywhere and from all religious back-grounds. To name but a few, between 350 and the earthquake of 458, its residents included the future emperor Constantius, the Caesar Gallus, the emperors Julian, Jovian and Valens, and the writers Libanius, Eunapius, Festus, Eutropius, Ammianus Marcellinus and Theodoret of Cyrrhus, as well as the bishops Aetius, Acacius, Eudoxius, Eunomius, Apollinaris, Theophilus the Indian, Meletius, Flavian, Paulinus, Diodore of Tarsus, John Chrysostom, Theodore of Mopuestia, and many more.

*This conference will offer a glimpse into the immense diversity and richness of late Roman Antioch, stage for some of the most dramatic intellectual debates of the time, with the intention to stimulate future research on the city and its topography, which can only be an interdisciplinary endeavor.*

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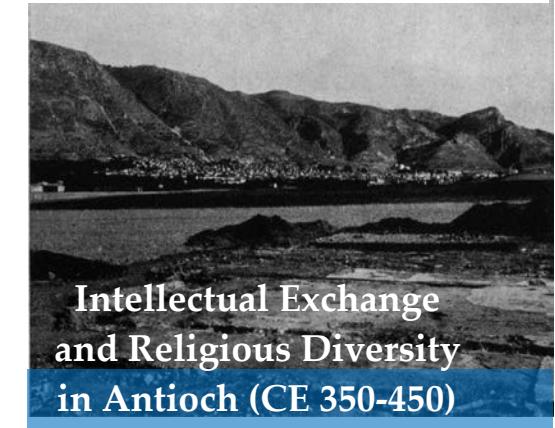


### Anreisen mit öffentlichen Verkehrsmitteln

Von Zürich HB mit dem Zug nach Baar, dann mit Postauto (Bus 280) bis Kappel am Albis, Haltestelle vor dem Kloster

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Von Zürich Autobahn A4/Westring Richtung Gotthard-Luzern, Ausfahrt Affoltern am Albis, Richtung Mettmenstetten, in Mettmenstetten Richtung Rossau abbiegen, weiter bis Uerzlikon, Richtung Kappel am Albis abbiegen, Gratis-Parkplätze Anfang des Dorfes



**Intellectual Exchange and Religious Diversity in Antioch (CE 350-450)**

**09. – 12. Juli 2014**

Theologische Fakultät  
Kirchengeschichte

**Tagungsort:**  
Kloster Kappel  
CH - 8926 Kappel am Albis

*Mittwoch, 09. Juli*

16.00

**Adam Schor**

*Instituting Clerical Expertise: The ,Apostolic Constitutions' in Socio-Cultural Context*

17.00

**Jaclyn L. Maxwell**

*The Voice of the People of Antioch in John Chrysostom's Sermons and Libanius' Orations*

19.30

**Catherine Saliou**

*Libanios',Antiochikos': Mirror of a City? Antioch in 356: Praise and Reality*

*Donnerstag, 10. Juli*

8.30

**Gavin Kelly**

*The Antiochene template in Ammianus' Language and Thought*

9.20

**Susanna Elm**

*Is Late Roman Historiography Antiochene Historiography?*

10.40

**Edward Watts**

*Old Age in the Antioch of the 390s: A reappraisal of Libanius' Second Collection of Letters*

11.30

**Jorit Wintjes**

*Libanius und die bärbeißigen Kappadokier - zu einem alten Problem*

14.30

**Niketas Siniossoglou**

*Language and Authority in Julian's 362 Rescript against Christian Teachers*

15.20

**Claudia Tiersch**

*Julian, Antiochia und seine Bürger*

16.40

**Jan Stenger**

*A Rhetorical Feud over Symbolic Space: Libanius, Chrysostom and the Temple of Apollo at Daphne*

17.30

**Lieve Van Hoof**

*The Hub of an Empire-wide Network: The Construction of Antioch in the Autobiography and Letters of Libanius*

20.00

**Gunnar Brands**

*Minima Archaeologica. Anmerkungen zur Archäologie Antiochias in der Spätantike*

*Freitag, 11. Juli*

8.30

**Wendy Meyer**

*John Chrysostom as a Son of Hellenism - a Christian Philosopher rooted in Antiochene Paideia*

9.20

**Isabella Sandwell**

*Teaching Christianity in Antioch: the Preaching of John Chrysostom?*

10.40

**Ioannis Papadogiannakis**

*Building, and Transforming Communities Through Homiletics in Antioch: The Role of Emotions*

11.30

**Rudolf Brändle**

*Die Reden ‚Adversus Iudeos‘ (386/387) von Johannes Chrysostomos im Kontext der multi-kulturellen Metropole Antiochien*

14.30

**Tina Shepardson**

*Bodies on Display: Deploying the Saints in the Religious Competitions of Late Antique Antioch*

15.20

**Marie Kleine**

*Worshipping the Martyrs in Syrian Antioch as a Source of Innovation for Urban Topography and Religious Rivalry*

16.40

**Dayna Kalleres**

*Animating Antioch: John Chrysostom, Processions, and Performative Ritual*

17.30

**Margaret A. Schatzkin**

*Chrysostom's Christology: A Window into the Intellectual Life of Antioch in the Fourth Century*

20.00

**Johannes Hahn**

*The Antiochene Olympics: City, Agon & Christianization in Late Antiquity*

*Samstag, 12. Juli*

8.30

**Benjamin Gleede**

*,Antiochene‘ Theological Traditions in the Pseudojustinian Corpus*

9.20

**Silke-Petra Bergjan**

*Typisch ‚antiochenisch‘? Schisma oder Fraktionalisierung unter den Christen Antiochiens im 4. und 5. Jahrhundert*

10.40

**Blake Leyerle**

*Imagining Antioch, or the Fictional Space of Alleys and Markets*