

ISLAMIC ART CIRCLE AT SOAS

LECTURE PROGRAMME 2019/20

9 October 2019

From the Founder of Constantinople to the Founder of Istanbul: Mehmed the Conqueror and the Church of the Holy Apostles

Dr Julian Raby

Director Emeritus, Freer|Sackler, Smithsonian Institution, Washington, DC

13 November 2019

Now You See Him, Now You Don't – the Numismatic Disappearing Act of the Umayyad Caliph 'Abd al-Malik b. Marwan

Dr Luke Treadwell

Lecturer in Islamic Numismatics, University of Oxford

4 December 2019

Water to Create a Paradise on Earth. The Alhambra and its Hydraulic Supply System

Professor Luis José García-Pulido

Department of Art and Architecture, University of Málaga; Laboratory of Archaeology and Architecture of the City, School of Arabic Studies, Spain

15 January 2020

The Hadassah and Daniel Khalili Memorial Lecture in Islamic Art and Culture

The First Congregational Mosque of Córdoba

Dr Heather Ecker

Marguerite S. Hoffman and Thomas W. Lentz Curator of Islamic and Medieval Art, Dallas Museum of Art, Texas

19 February 2020

The Maydan-e Naqsh-e Jahan in Isfahan and André Godard's Restorations

Sarah Piram

Iran Heritage Foundation Curator, the Victoria and Albert Museum, London

- 11 March 2020 **The Ninth Bahari Foundation Lecture in Iranian Art and Culture**
- A History of Miniature Painting Between the 1540s and 1560s in Central Asia*
- Dr Karin Rührdanz**
Curator Emerita, Royal Ontario Museum, Toronto
- 22 April 2020 *The Qur'ans of Uljaytu*
- Dr Alison Ohta**
Director, Royal Asiatic Society, London
- 13 May 2020 *ART AND OIL: Calouste Gulbenkian and his Collection of Islamic Art*
- Dr Jessica Hallett**
Curator, Early Modern Middle East, Calouste Gulbenkian Museum, Lisbon, Portugal
- 10 June 2020 *Architects & Astrolabes: Islamic Art & Science in Medici Florence*
- Dr Glaire Anderson**
Senior Lecturer in Islamic Art, University of Edinburgh

All lectures begin at 7.00 p.m. in the Wolfson Lecture Theatre, Paul Webley Wing, Senate House (first floor, room 108), Russell Square, London, WC1H 0XG and will be chaired by Professor Scott Redford unless indicated otherwise.

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