

Comparative Ancient and Medieval Political Thought



May 1, 2014 | Whitney Humanities Center 208 | Yale University

Experts on the Chinese, Indian, Islamic, and Greek traditions discuss the theme of universalism and particularism, and the benefits and pitfalls of cross-cultural comparison.

8:45AM – Opening Remarks

Loubna El Amine (Yale University)

9AM to 10:30AM – The Indian Tradition

David Brick (Yale University, Chair)

Parimal Patil (Harvard University)

Phyllis Granoff (Yale University)

10:30AM to 11AM – Coffee Break

11AM to 12:30PM – The Chinese Tradition

Mick Hunter (Yale University, Chair)

Michael Nylan (University of California Berkeley)

David Wong (Duke University)

12:30PM to 2PM – Lunch

2PM to 3:30PM – The Greek Tradition

Steven Smith (Yale University, Chair)

Jill Frank (University of South Carolina)

Demetra Kasimis (California State University)

3:30PM to 4PM – Coffee Break

4PM to 5:30PM – The Islamic Tradition

Frank Griffel (Yale University, Chair)

Michael Nafi (John Abott College)

Ovamir Anjum (University of Toledo)

5:30PM to 6:30PM – Concluding Panel

Karuna Mantena (Yale University, Chair)

Emily Greenwood (Yale University)

Stephen Angle (Wesleyan University)

Dimitri Gutas (Yale University)

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