

# **The Aarhus–Oslo New Testament Research Symposium**

## **Aarhus, 14<sup>th</sup>–15<sup>th</sup> December 2017**

### **Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> December**

12.00–13.00 Lunch and Welcome (Marianne Bjelland Kartzow, Kasper Bro Larsen)

#### **Paul and Epistles**

13.00–13.30 René Falkenberg (Assoc. Prof.): “Where did Paul's Adam/Christ Myth come from?”

13.30–14.00 Karin Neutel (Postdoc): “Faith in the Foreskin: The Male Anatomy of Paul’s Circumcision Language”

14.00–14.15 Coffee/tea

14.15–14.45 Kasper Bro Larsen (Assoc. Prof.): “Paul the Integrationist: A Sociological Perspective on Ethno-Cultural Conflict Management in the Early Christ Movement”

14.45–15.15 Sigurvin Jónsson (Ph.D. Research Fellow): “Death of the Author: Violence in James and the Slaying of the Righteous One”

15.15–15.30 Coffee/tea

#### **Jewish and Early Christian Narratives**

15.30–16.00 Anders Runesson (Professor): “Ethnicity as a Theological Tool in Matthew”

16.00–16.30 Jacob Mortensen (Postdoc): “The Author of the Book of Judith as a Greekly Educated Jew”

16.30–16.45 Break

- 16.45–17.15 Wally V. Cirafesi (Ph.D. Research Fellow): “John and the Concept of the Ancestral Land”
- 17.15–17.45 Marianne Bjelland Kartzow (Professor): “Metaphor and Masculinity: Rethinking the ‘No Longer Slave’ Formulation in John 15:15”
- 19.00– Dinner in town (free for paper presenters)

## **Friday 15<sup>th</sup> December**

### **Reception of Biblical Traditions**

- 09.00–09.30 Hugo Lundhaug (Professor): “Biblical Reception and Textual Fluidity in the Investiture of Michael the Archangel attributed to John the Evangelist”
- 09.30–10.00 Brent Nongbri (Assoc. Prof.): “The Ending of John in P.Bodmer II”
- 10.00–10.15 Coffee/tea
- 10.15–10.45 Ellen Aasland Reinertsen (Research Fellow): “Lost in Reception: Text and Reception of Intersecting Female Characters in Parables”
- 10.45–11.15 Louise Heldgaard Bylund (Ph.D. Research Fellow): “The Temptation of Jesus and the Character of the Devil in Contemporary Danish Children’s Bibles”
- 11.15–11.30 Break
- 11.30–12.00 Ole Jakob Løland (Assoc. Prof.): “The Modern Philosophers’ Paul: Reclaiming Pauline Introspection and Reviving Legacies of Anti-Judaism”
- 12.00–12.30 General Information and Discussion
- 12.30– Lunch

Location: Department of Theology, “Bed og arbejd” (Build. 1453, room 415, 4<sup>th</sup> floor), [Nobelparken](#), Jens Chr. Skous Vej 3, Aarhus

Guests from Oslo will stay at [Hotel Ritz](#), Banegaardspladsen 12, 8000 Aarhus C, phone: +45 86 13 44 44. Every few minutes, busses leave from Park Allé (1A, 12, 14, 18) to Nobelparken. Use [Rejseplanen](#) for schedules. Walking is 35 minutes.

Speakers are expected to speak no longer than 20 mins. in order to leave time for discussion. Handout and/or visual presentation is appreciated.

All participants are encouraged to bring up to three recent publication for display.

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