## CISMOR seminar series (no.3 / 2019)

## Urban Religion Religion and the City in Historical Perspective

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September 18, 2019 (Wednesday) 15:00 – 16:30 Shisei-kan meeting room (3rd floor), Imadegawa Campus Doshisha University

The seminar series is open for students and academics. If you would like to participate in this seminar, please send an email to the CISMOR office in advance: <a href="mailto:rc-issin@mail.doshisha.ac.">rc-issin@mail.doshisha.ac.</a>. Registration closes on <a href="mailto:September 12">September 12</a>. Language: English only, No interpretation

In the history of research, 'sacred places' have played a prominent role as loci of epiphanic character, above all in phenomenological approaches to religion, but also in studies of sacred centres or pilgrimage. In many other perspectives, the temporal aspects of religion (routine, crisis rituals and rites de passage, conversion, calendar) have been foregrounded - place has been reduced to a mere setting. This lecture will present some thoughts on reconstructing religious action as a spatial practice that is sensitive to and creative of the character of settlements, in order to thus deal with "urban religion".



## [Program]

15:00 - 15:05 Opening Remarks Director of CISMOR

15:05 - 16:05 Lecture Prof. Dr. Jörg Rüpke

16:05 - 16:30 Discussion

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