

# PhD Seminar on Slavery & Servitude

## 25-26 November 2021



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***Format: 1 hour per presenter (15 minutes presentation + 30 minutes discussion + 15 minutes break)***

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## Thursday, 25 November (9:00-16:15)

9:00-9:15    Welcome  
Damian Pargas (Leiden University)

9:15-12:15    Panel 1: Late Medieval and Early Modern Forms of Enslavement  
Chair: Jeff Fynn-Paul (Leiden University)

Laura Emunds, University of Bern  
**Investigating the Conceptualisation of Labour within the Islamic Legal Discourse during the 12th to 15th Centuries**

Christine Sarito, University of Bonn/BCDSS  
**The Role of the *Kisaeng* of Chosŏn Korea through the Lens of Asymmetrical Dependency**

Cristina Mocanu, University of Iasi  
**The Social and Juridical Status of Princely Gypsy Slaves from Moldavia, 1428-1766**

12:15-13:15    Lunch

13:15-16:15    Panel 2: Slavery & Freedom in the Age of Revolutions  
Chair: Oran Kennedy (Leiden University)

Annika Bärwald, University of Bremen  
**Precarious Transitions: Enslaved, Formerly Enslaved, and Free-Born Domestic Servants of Color in Hamburg, 1785-1840**

Christine Mertens, Leiden University/RIAS  
**Movement, Space and Black Freedom in the Age of Revolution, 1780-1830**

Lance Parker, University of Hull  
**Maroons of Colonial Jamaica in the 17th and 18th Centuries**

## **Friday, 26 November (9:00-17:30)**

9:00-12:00 Panel 1: Routes and Methods of Enslavement  
Karwan Fatah-Black (Leiden University)

Fred Bricknell, University of Hull  
**Water and Slavery in the Age of Amelioration: Demerara, Essequibo and Berbice, 1797-1838**

André Luís Bezerra Ferreira, University Federal of Pará (Brazil)/Mauritshuis (Netherlands)  
**The Insertion of the Dutch in the Trans-Amazon Routes of Indigenous Slaves, 1620-1650**

Tim Soriano, University of Illinois at Chicago  
**"An end to thier days": The Use and Perceptions of the Red Water Ordeal in Early Sierra Leone**

12:00-13:00 Lunch

13:00-15:00 Panel 2: Profiting from African Labor  
Chair: Trevor Burnard (Wilberforce Institute, University of Hull)

Marcella Schute, Leiden University/RIAS  
**The Louisiana African Apprentice Bill of 1858**

Jasper Hagedorn, University of Bremen  
**Citizens of Bremen in the Business of Plantation Slavery, 1760-1860**

15:30-17:30 Panel 3: Modern Slavery & Extreme Dependency  
Remco Breuker (Leiden University)

Ayesha Hussain, University of Bonn/BCDSS  
**Asymmetrical Dependencies among Pakistani Punjabi Migrants in Italy's Informal Labour market: The Role of Social Capital**

Laura Rowitz, University of Bern  
**Roots and Trajectories of "Modern Slavery" in Qatar**