# **CURRENT RESEARCH IN EARLY ISLAMIC CENTRAL ASIA**



# Uzbek Delegation - April, 11 2019

Location: Center for the Study of Manuscript Cultures (CSMC), Rm 0001, Warburgstrasse 26, 20354 Hamburg

Languages: English and Russian. The Embassy provides a Russian-English Translator.

10.00 – 10.30 am Welcome and Introductions

Welcome – Stefan Heidemann

### Short Round of Introductions - Universität Hamburg

Stefan Heidemann, Professor of Islamic Studies, PI ERC Project The Early Islamic Empire at Work, Speaker of the Middle East Department of the Asien-Afrika-Institut, Editor-in-Chief of DER ISLAM

Jürgen Paul, Professor of Islamic Studies

Salome Beridze, Center for the Study of Manuscript Cultures

Jan Wehberg, Institute of Geo-Sciences

#### **Introductions - Uzbek Research Centers**

Center for the Civilisation of Islam at the Council of Ministers of the Republic of Uzbekistan -Schoazim Minavarov, Director

Scientific Research Center Imam al-Bukhari in Samarqand - Schovosil Ziyodov, Director

Schahzod Islamov, Orientalist, Office of the President of the Republic of Uzbekistan

Avazbek Ganiyev, Leading Specialist at the International Relations Department, cabinet of Ministers of the Republic of Uzbekistan – Center of Islamic Civilization in Uzbekistan

Mavlon Mamirov, Embassy of the Republic of Uzbekistan

10.30 - 11.00 am

# ERC project The Early Islamic Empire at Work and the Asien Afrika Institut (AAI)

Asien Afrika Institut - Stefan Heidemann

European Council Research Project "The Early Islamic Empire at Work – The View From the Region Toward the Center" – Stefan Heidemann









Project in planning "The Bukhārā Oasis Between Antiquity and the Middle Islamic Period" – Stefan Heidemann und Jan Wehberg

Q & A

11.00 – 11.10 am - Coffee Break

11.10 – 11.40 am

Center for the Study of Manuscript Cultures and the Cluster of Excellence at Universität Hamburg "Understanding Written Artifacts" and Its Projects in Islamic Studies

Center for the Study of Manuscript Cultures - Jürgen Paul

Cluster of Excellence – Understanding Written Artefacts – Jürgen Paul

Project – SFB Manuscript Cultures – "The Qur'ān Manuscripts of the First Centuries of Islam" – Salome Beridze"

Q & A

11.40 am – 12.10 pm Visit of the **Manuscript Laboratory** of the CSMC, Dr. Sebastian Bosch

12.10 – 12.20 pm Transfer to the Asien Afrika Institut, Edmund Siemers Allee 1 (Ost), short walking distance,

12.20 – 12.40 pm - Visit of the **Library of the AAI and the ERC Project** Jürgen Paul and Stefan Heidemann

1 pm - Lunch at a close by Restaurant

2.30 pm – transfer to the Museum für Kunst und Gewerbe

3 pm – Islam exhibition at the **Museum für Kunst und Gewerbe (Arts and Crafts Museum)**, by Tobias Mörike, director of the Islamic Department





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