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ArgO-EMR Seminars

The Anthropology Research Group at Oxford on Eastern Medicines and Religions

The Personification of Pain in different Religions: Engaging with Religious Texts through Medical Anthropology

Pauling Centre, 58a Banbury Road, 5.00pm-6.30pm, Wednesdays, Hilary Term 2019

Week 1: Wednesday 16th January 2019

Expression of Physical Pain in Ancient Mesopotamian Texts
Parsa Daneshmand, University of Oxford

Week 2: Wednesday 23rd January 2019

Expressing Pain in the Internal Organs: Examples from the Psalms and JobKatherine Southwood, University of Oxford

Week 3: Wednesday 30th January 2019

Fear of Affliction:

Etiologies for Penetrating Pain in the Hebrew Bible and Cognate Literature Ingrid Lilly, Pacific School of Religion, Archaeology, and Hebrew Bible, CA

Week 5: Wednesday 13th February 2019

Suffering and Spiritual Exercises in Modern Chinese Piety Books Vincent Goossaert, Ecole Pratique des Haute Etudes, PSL, Paris

Week 7: Wednesday 27th February 2019

Representing Pain in Medieval Japan: The Scrolls of Afflictions Benedetta Lomi, University of Bristol

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