

**Linking Multiple Perspectives:  
Textual Approaches to the Intellectual History of the Islamic World**

Workshop held at the Berlin Graduate School Muslim Cultures and Societies

*Date:*

Saturday, June 30 - Sunday, July 1, 2012

*Organiser:*

Olly Akkerman (PhD candidate Berlin Graduate School Muslim Cultures and Societies)

*Participants:*

doctoral students of the BGS MCS,  
(doctoral) students from other institutions

*Requirements:*

Participants are expected to present their work in progress (20 minutes) giving special emphasis on methodological predicaments.

*Credit Points:*

2 CP

*Application:*

Please send a short abstract until 1 April by e-mail to: [akkerman@bgsmcs.fu-berlin.de](mailto:akkerman@bgsmcs.fu-berlin.de)

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*Workshop Outline:*

The seminar "Linking Multiple Perspectives: Textual Approaches to the Intellectual History of the Islamic World" is aiming at bringing together Doctoral and Post-Doctoral candidates from German universities, working on texts related to the intellectual history of the Islamic World. The workshop is intended to be a platform for sharing challenges in the field of Islamic Studies faced by young scholars.

The goal of the seminar will not only be to learn more about the participants' projects, but also to find common grounds in terms of methodology, critical practice and perspectives when dealing with texts. Although the focus of the seminar will be on studies related to the pre-modern period, topics on the contemporary Muslim world will also be covered.

Working languages will be German and English.