



Workshop

**„ Religious freedom and the varieties of religious
establishment –
National identities, public morals and cultural values“**

**Lichtenberg-Kolleg, Georg-August-Universität Göttingen
9th/10th June 2017**

Venue: Historic Observatory

Friday, 9th June

9:30 Welcome (MATTHIAS KOENIG)

Panel I: Statehood and religious establishment

9:45-11:00 DAVID SEHAT (ATLANTA):
“Moral Establishment as Religious Control”

LORI BEAMAN (OTTAWA)
“In the Name of Culture and Religion: the 'Neutral' State and Religion”

Discussant: CHRISTIAN POLKE (GÖTTINGEN)

11:00-11:15 Coffee Break

Panel II: Religion and national identity

11:15-12:45 SINEM ADAR (GÖTTINGEN)
“Nation-ization in Egypt: Anti-Colonial Struggle, Religion and Class”

MARIAN BURCHARDT (LEIPZIG)
“Governing of Religious Diversity in Unfinished Nation-Building Projects: Quebec and Catalonia in Comparison”

Discussant: N.N.

12:45-14:00 Lunch

Panel III: Religion, state and nation in human rights jurisprudence

14:00-15:30 JÚLIA MINK (GÖTTINGEN)
“Religion, Public Morals and National Identity Claims under the ECHR”

MARCO VENTURA (SIENA)
“New Establishment and the Retreat of Separation in Europe: the Role of Religious Laws”

DISCUSSANT: MICHAEL HEINIG (GÖTTINGEN)

15:30-16:00 Coffee Break

Panel IV: Politics of religious freedom I – public policy & public services

16:00-18:00

KRISTINA STOECKL (INNSBRUCK)

“Russia’s Traditional Religions: direct and indirect limits to religious freedom in the context of restricted religious establishment”

EFFIE FOKAS (ATHENS)

“Religion and national identity on trial: the impact of the ECtHR on religious freedom at the grassroots level”

JULIA MARTINEZ-ARINO (GRONINGEN)

“Ingrained tradition: Catholic legacy and the accommodation of religious diversity in public institutions”

Discussant: MATTHIAS KOENIG (GÖTTINGEN)

19:00 Dinner (Planea)

Saturday, 10th June

Panel V: Politics of religious freedom II – gender and sexuality

9:00-11:00

JESSICA NEWMAN (YALE/HAMBURG)

“Cultivating Public Ethics in Moroccan Debates about Unplanned Pregnancy and Sexuality”

IOANA CISMAS (STIRLING)

“Abortion and the Organisation of Islamic Cooperation”

TANIA PAGOTTA (VENICE)

“Abortion and Conscientious Objection in Italy: A Case of Rights Protected But Not Guaranteed”

Discussant: IRENE SCHNEIDER (GÖTTINGEN)

10:45-11:00 Coffee Break

Panel VI: Concluding discussion and luncheon

11:00-12:30

DAMON MAYRL (MADRID)

“The Judicialization of Religious Freedom: A Critical Appraisal and Agenda for Future Research”

Roundtable discussion

NATHAN BROWN (WASHINGTON, DC), MATTHIAS KOENIG (GÖTTINGEN), DAMON MAYRL (MADRID)