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Outside speakers:

- Malik Dahlan (Principal, Institution Quraysh for Law and Policy)
- Chris Bowlby (BBC Radio and Online journalist in news and current affairs)
- Monica Hakimi (University of Michigan Law School)
- David Hendy (University of Sussex and Public Broadcaster)
- Kevin MacDonald (Middlesex University London)
- Lena Salaymeh (Tel Aviv University)
- Charles Tripp (SOAS)
- Frank Rexroth (Georg-August-Universität Göttingen)
- Marina Rustow (Princeton University)
- John Haldon (Princeton University)
- Guy Geltner (University of Amsterdam)
- Magnus Ryan (University of Cambridge)
- Chris Wickham (University of Oxford)

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PIMIC-ITN Forum. Inquiry into the Consequences of PIMIC in the Contemporary World

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24 June

- From 9.00am Tea, coffee etc.
- 9.15-9.30 Welcome. Ana Rodríguez (CCHS-CSIC Madrid).
- 9.30- 10 **Opening Address.** Malik Dahlan (Principal, Institution Quraysh for Law and Policy; Chief Lawyer, MBR Legal; International Chair of the Harvard Law School Association).
- Session 1: The 'Medieval' Today. Reframing Institutional Complexity in the Contemporary World.**
Chair: Stuart Airlie (Senior Lecturer in History, University of Glasgow)
- 10 -10.45 **Keynote lecture 1:** Eduardo Manzano (CCHS-CSIC, Madrid) "The Challenges of Institutional Development. Past and Present Issues".
- 10.45-11.00 Break
- 11.00-1.00pm **Policy Forum:** roundtable discussion with policymakers, media journalists and others. Confirmed participants:
Chris Bowlby (BBC Radio and Online journalist in news and current affairs)
Monica Hakimi (Professor of Law, University of Michigan Law School)
David Hendy (Professor of Media and Communication, University of Sussex and Public Broadcaster)
Kevin McDonald (Professor of Sociology, Middlesex University London)
Lena Salaymeh (Professor of Law, Tel Aviv University)
Charles Tripp (Professor of Politics with reference to the Middle East, SOAS)
- 1.00-2.30 Lunch
- Session 2: Institutionalizing Power in the Middle Ages: Comparative Perspectives**
Chair: Magnus Ryan (University Lecturer in History, University of Cambridge)
- 2.30-3.30 **Keynote lecture 2:** Frank Rexroth (Professor of History, Georg-August-Universität Göttingen) "Institutions and the Distribution of Expert Knowledge in Latin Europe, ca. 1100-1400".
- 3.30-3.45 Break
- 3.45- 5.00 **Roundtable 2** with Sandro Carocci and Tommi Lankila (University of Rome, "Tor Vergata"); Emanuele Conte and Jasmin Hauck (University of Rome III); Eduardo Manzano and Ian Morris (CCHS-CSIC, Madrid)
- 5.00-5.30 Showing of short documentary films by PIMIC Early Stage Researchers.
Drinks with exhibition viewing and dinner

25 June

- From 9.00am Tea, coffee etc.
- Session 3:** Rethinking 'The' Medieval State.
Chair: Bill Miller (Thomas G. Long Professor of Law, University of Michigan)
- 9.30-10.30 **Keynote lecture 3:** Marina Rustow (Khedouri A. Zilkha Professor of Jewish Civilization in the Near East. Professor of Near Eastern Studies and History, Princeton) "Documents and Institutions in the Medieval Middle East: The Case of the Fatimids".
- 10.30-11.00 Break
- 11.00-12.15 **Roundtable 3** with Gadi Algazi and Attilio Stella (Tel Aviv University); John Hudson, Sarah Greer and Cory Hitt (St Andrews University); Caroline Humfress and Rasmus Bech Olsen (Birkbeck College, University of London)
- 12.15-1.30 Lunch
- Session 4: Assessing Power Through Institutions: Cases for Comparative Study**
Chair: Guy Geltner (Professor of Medieval History, University of Amsterdam)
- 1.30-2.30 **Keynote lecture 4:** John Haldon (Professor of European History, Byzantine History and Hellenic Studies, Princeton University), "Taking control? Agency, Structure and Social Praxis in Early Medieval Administration".
- 2.30-3.45 **Roundtable 4** with Michel Kaplan and Adrián Viale (Paris I Panthéon-Sorbonne); Hugh Kennedy and Paula Manstetten (SOAS, University of London); Ana Rodriguez and Evgeniya Shelina (IH, CCHS-CSIC, Madrid)
- 3.45-4.15 Break
- 4.15-5.00 **Closing conference address.** Chris Wickham (Professor of Medieval History and Head of Humanities Division, Oxford University)
Dinner and party
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