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# La littérature judéo-chrétienne parabiblique et l'art à la fin de l'Antiquité et au Moyen Âge

## Judaeano-Christian Parabiblical Literature and Art in Late Antiquity and Middle Ages

Conférence internationale organisée  
conjointement par l'Université de Lausanne (Prof.  
Dr. David Hamidovic) et la Freie Universität de  
Berlin (Prof. Dr. Florentina Badalanova Geller)

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## MARDI 19 DÉCEMBRE

- 9h-9h15 Accueil par David Hamidovic (UNIL) et Florentina Badalanova Geller (FUB)

Présidence: David Hamidovic

- 9h15-10h15 Florentina Badalanova Geller,  
"Visualising Judaeo-Christian Parabiblical Narratives"

- 10h15-11h15 Ewa Balicka-Witakowska (Uppsala University)  
"The Story of Adam and Eve in the Murals of the Ethiopian Church of Däbrä Marqos: Interaction of Word and Image"

- 11h15-11h30 Pause

- 11h30-12h30 Dmitriy Antonov (Russian State University for the Humanities, Moscou),  
"The Serpent with the Maiden Face in European Art and Russian Iconography"

- 12h30-14h Dîner

Présidence: Tina Bawden (FUB)

- 14h-15h Eleonora Serra (UNIL)  
"La représentation du sacrifice du mont Carmel dans les fresques de la synagogue de Doura Europos"

- 15h-16h Mikhail Maizuls (Moscou)  
"Personnage en construction. La Mort entre les sources apocryphes et les traditions iconographiques"

- 16h-16h15 Pause

## SÉANCE PUBLIQUE

- 17h15-18h15 Mark Geller (FUB et University College of London), "Imaging Metatron"

## MERCREDI 20 DÉCEMBRE

Présidence: Florentina Badalanova Geller

- 10h-11h Maria Gorea (Université de Paris 8)  
"Les portes brisées des Enfers dans la représentation de l'Anastasis ses sources littéraires (apocryphes, hymnes, liturgie)"

- 11h-12h Tina Bawden, "The geography of the book in the Illustrated Old English Hexateuch"

- 12h-12h30 Conclusion

- 12h30 Dîner

