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Lecture Series: Embodiments of Truths

The Body and Ascetic Practices in Ancient Indian Traditions

November 10, 6:00-7:30pm CET | Claire Maes (University of Tübingen): "The Emaciated Body: Contested Ideologies of Asceticism in Early India"

November 17, 6:00-7:30pm CET | Roberto García (El Colegio de México): "Playing with fire: Bodily powers and the domestication of other bodies in some early Buddhist narratives"

December 1, 6:00-7:30pm CET | Piotr Balcerowicz (University of Warsaw): "The Cosmic Man (loka puruṣa) as the Body of Human and the Body of the Cosmos in Jainism"

December 8, 6:00-7:30pm CET | Gabriel Martino (University of Buenos Aires): "Imagining power. Representations of yoga in Mahābhārata XII, 289"

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