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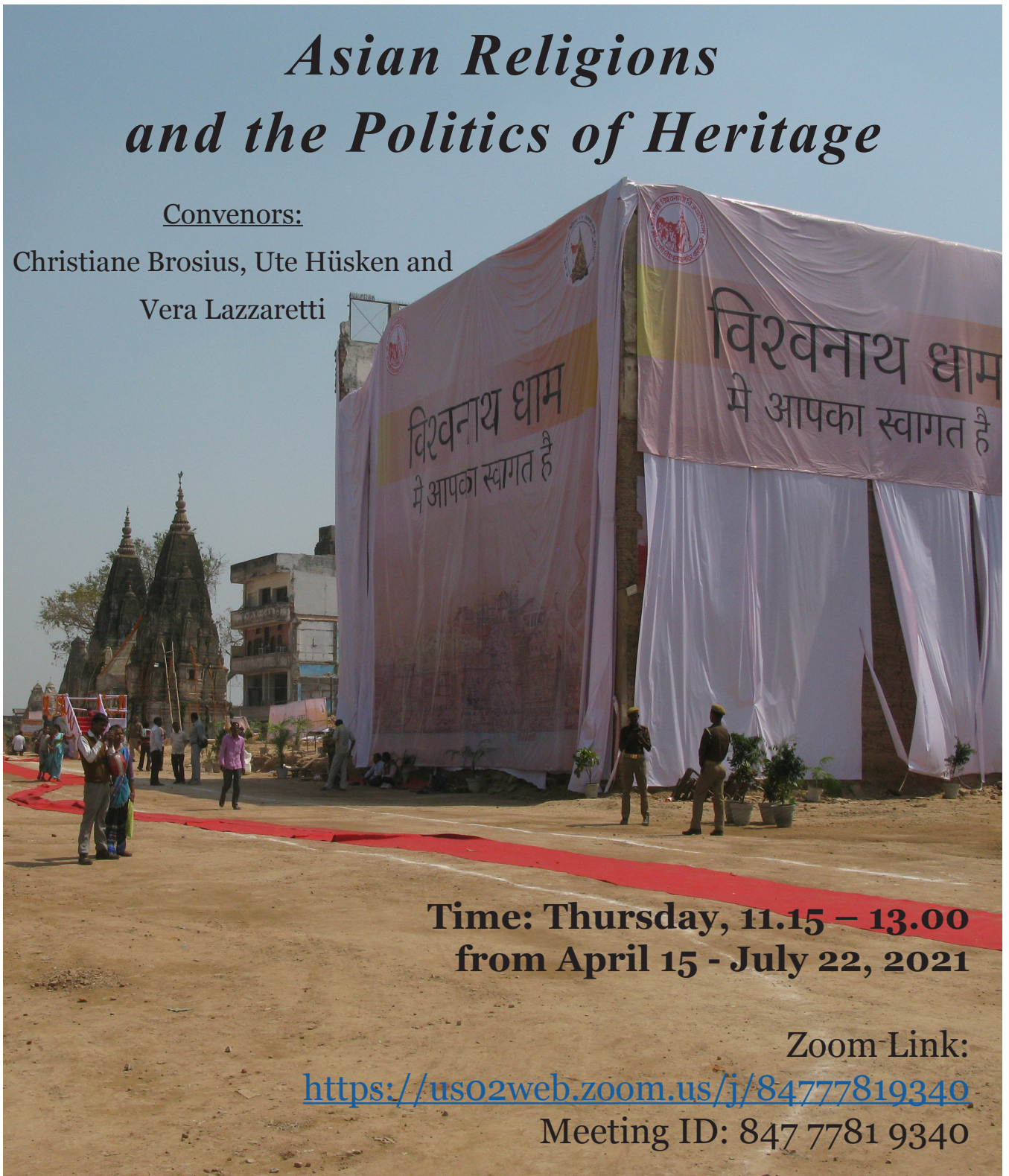
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CATS Lecture Series

Asian Religions and the Politics of Heritage

Convenors:

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**Time: Thursday, 11.15 – 13.00
from April 15 - July 22, 2021**

Zoom Link:

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• **Schedule** •

15.04.2021: Introduction for participating students by **Dr. Vera Lazzaretti, Prof. Dr. Christiane Brosius and Prof. Dr. Ute Hüsken**

22.04.2021: **Prof. Dr. Barbara Mittler**, Professor of Sinology, Heidelberg University.
The Sun that Never Sets—Religious Populism and the Maoist Spectre

29.04.2021: **Prof. Dr. Birgit Meyer**, Professor of Religious Studies, Utrecht University.
What is Religious – About – Heritage?

06.05.2021: **Prof. Dr. Lothar Ledderose**, Professor, Institute of East-Asian Art History, Heidelberg University.

The Heritage of Writing in China

20.05.2021: **Prof. Dr. Sasanka Perera**, South Asian University, New Delhi.
‘Home in My Bag’: Pilgrim Travel, Citizenship and Cultural Politics Across Borders

27.05.2021: **Dr. Stefanie Lotter**, Research Associate, Anthropology, SOAS, London.
Loss, Absence and Erasure: Rendering South Asian Heritage (In)visible

10.06.2021: **Prof. Dr. Natalia Bloch**, Institute of Anthropology and Ethnology, Adam Mickiewicz University, Poznan.

Barbarians in a Holy Town: Tourism and Religious Nationalism at the Hampi UNESCO World Heritage Site

17.06.2021: **Prof. Dr. Mark Teeuwen**, Department of Cultural Studies and Oriental Languages, University of Oslo.

Festivals as Heritage in Japan: Selected Case Studies

24.06.2021: Prof. Dr. Axel Michaels, Indology, South Asia Institute/CATS, Heidelberg University.

Heritage Politics at the Paśupatinātha Temple in Nepal

01.07.2021: Prof. Dr. Christoph Brumann, Max-Planck-Institut für Ethnologische Forschung, Halle.

The Best We Share: Nation, Culture and World-making in the UNESCO World Heritage Arena

08.07.2021: Dr. Simon Cubelic, Flagship Initiative Transforming Cultural Heritage, HCTS/SAI, CATS.

Places of Value: Inscriptions as Valorisation Practices at Cultural Heritage Sites in Kathmandu Valley

15.07.2021: Prof. Dr. Monica Juneja, Professor of Global Art History, HCTS, Heidelberg University.

Reinscribing the Past as Heritage? Scrambled Histories of the Sacred and the Political in Urban Formations of Pre-modern North India

22.07.2021: Prof. Dr. Hilal Ahmed, Centre for the Study of Developing Societies, Delhi.

The Afterlife of the Babri Masjid