

***International Conference:
"Witchcraft, Belonging and Citizenship in a Global World"***

Université Catholique de Louvain (UCL) - Louvain-La-Neuve/Belgium
8-9 décembre 2011

On the 8th and 9th of December 2011, the LAAP (Center of Prospective Anthropology) organizes an International Conference around Peter Geschiere's works (University of Amsterdam): "Witchcraft, Belonging and Citizenship in a Global World".

Peter Geschiere works in particular on the themes of witchcraft, natural resources management and belonging, citizenship and autochthony in Africa and in Europe.

This residential International Conference takes place during two days. The first one proposes an inaugural conference "Witchcraft, intimacy and trust ", given by Peter Geschiere. The second day, a Workshop divided into three panels around the main themes of his work: modernity and witchcraft; belonging, citizenship and autochthony; development policies and large scale natural resources exploitations. The selected researchers will expose their works and be discussed by Peter Geschiere.

Requirements

The abstracts (300 words maximum) have to be sent by the 15th of September 2011 to the following addresses: marie.deridder@uclouvain.be ; jacinthe.mazzocchetti@uclouvain.be

Notice of acceptance will be sent by the end of September 2011.

Deadline for the Working papers (6000 words maximum) is the 30th of November 2011.

To prepare the workshop, the selected researchers will be invited to read in advance articles and chapters of Peter Geschiere's work. The languages of the workshop will be French and English. The best contributions will be published.

Fee

Fee for the participation in this International Conference is 75 Euro, payable after the notice of acceptance. Are included food and accommodation (from the 8th till the 9th of December 2011). The transport costs are in charge of the participants.

Scientific committee

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