



CIVIS Blended Intensive Programme

The Heritage of Money

A cross-cultural perspective

19 April – 31 May 2023

Online and physical mobility

The study of money and coinage is a scholarly topic of highest relevance for society and perfectly suited to be looked at in an interdisciplinary approach, applying diachronic and cross-cultural perspectives. The Blended Intensive Programme will explore such aspects as economy, social life, the arts, and cultural heritage of pre-modern coinage by explicitly embracing non-Western perspectives with focus on Asia and Africa.



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Programme

Online teaching

19 April 2023

Course startup, introduction of student topics and welcome lecture (Alexander Jost, University of Salzburg, Stefan Krmnicek, University of Tübingen, Nanouschka Myrberg Burström, Stockholm University, and Annalisa Polosa, La Sapienza Rome)

26 April 2023

Lecture: From the Beginnings of Coinage to Bitcoins. Introduction (Annalisa Polosa, La Sapienza Rome)

Lecture: The First Coins (Koray Konuk, Bordeaux Montaigne University)

Lecture: Bitcoins (Riccardo de Bonis, Bank of Italy)

3 May 2023

Lecture: The Heritage of Roman Coinage (Stefan Krmnicek, University of Tübingen)

Lecture: In money we trust? Coins and Trust in Greek Antiquity (David Weidgenannt, University of Vienna)

10 May 2023

Lecture: Metals and Monies in Imperial China - an Introduction (Alexander Jost, University of Salzburg)

Lecture: Local, Regional, Global: Cowry Currency in Southwest China (8th–18th centuries) (Hans Ulrich Vogel, University of Tübingen)

17 May 2023

Lecture: Medieval Coins and Hoards - and their Heritage (Nanouschka Myrberg Burström, Stockholm University)

Lecture: From Cowries to Coins: monetary transitions in early colonial East Africa (Karin Pallaver, University of Bologna)

31 May 2023

Discussions and follow-ups (Alexander Jost, University of Salzburg, Stefan Krmnicek, University of Tübingen, Nanouschka Myrberg Burström, Stockholm University, and Annalisa Polosa, La Sapienza Rome)

Physical mobility @ University of Tübingen

21 May 2023

Guided tour around town, Get-together-Dinner (Alexander Jost, University of Salzburg, Stefan Krmnicek, University of Tübingen, Nanouschka Myrberg Burström, Stockholm University, and Annalisa Polosa, La Sapienza Rome)



Programme

Physical mobility @ University of Tübingen (continued)

22 May 2023 (Presentations day)

Introduction and student presentations (Alexander Jost, University of Salzburg, Stefan Krmnicek, University of Tübingen, Nanouschka Myrberg Burström, Stockholm University, and Annalisa Polosa, La Sapienza Rome)

Punting on the Neckar

23 May 2023 (Collections day)

Study visit and hands-on exercises in the Museum of the University of Tübingen MUT collection:

Classical and ethnographic monies (Alexander Jost, University of Salzburg, Stefan Krmnicek, University of Tübingen, Nanouschka Myrberg Burström, Stockholm University, and Annalisa Polosa, La Sapienza Rome)

Study visit and hands-on exercises in the Islamic coin collection of the University of Tübingen (FINT) (Sebastian Hanstein, University of Tübingen)

Lecture: RAW: Mining from Laurion to Bitcoin (Alexander Jost, University of Salzburg, Stefan Krmnicek, University of Tübingen, Nanouschka Myrberg Burström, Stockholm University, and Annalisa Polosa, La Sapienza Rome)

Evening symposium

24 May 2023 (Excursion day)

Visit of Neubulach Silver mine (Alexander Jost, University of Salzburg, Stefan Krmnicek, University of Tübingen, Nanouschka Myrberg Burström, Stockholm University, and Annalisa Polosa, La Sapienza Rome)

Visit of mineral museum and historical town center of Neubulach

25 May 2023 (VR day)

Introduction and work in the VR lab and exhibitions (Kevin Körner and Luca Dreiling, University of Tübingen)

Student presentations of the day's work (Alexander Jost, University of Salzburg, Stefan Krmnicek, University of Tübingen, Nanouschka Myrberg Burström, Stockholm University, and Annalisa Polosa, La Sapienza Rome)

26 May 2023 (Museum day)

Visit of Landesmuseum Württemberg, Collection Cultural History of Wuerttemberg (Matthias Ohm, Landesmuseum Württemberg)

Visit of Landesmuseum Württemberg, Kunstammer and Coin Cabinet (Matthias Ohm, Landesmuseum Württemberg)