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LEVYNA Laboratory for Experimental Research of Religion

October 25th - 27th, 2012

Call for Proposals for Papers for the 2012 conference presented by The Laboratory for Experimental Research of Religion (LEVYNA), The Czech Association for the Study of Religions, and the Department for the Study of Religions, Masaryk University

HOMO EXPERIMENTALIS EXPERIMENTAL APPROACHES IN THE STUDY OF RELIGION

Plenary and Invited Speakers Include

Professor Andreas Roepstorff (Aarhus University) Dr. Pierre Liénard (UNLV), Dr. Jesper Sørensen (Aarhus University) Dr. Emma Cohen (Max Planck Institute and University of Oxford)



We invite interested scholars and students to submit proposals for papers (lasting no more than 20 minutes) and/or posters for possible inclusion in the program of its upcoming conference taking place between October 25th - 27th, 2012, at Masaryk University in Brno, Czech Republic. All proposals must be related to the theme of the conference. We recognize that the experimental study of religion encompasses a wide array of disciplines and methods, including, among others, laboratory and field based experimental and quasi-experimental paradigms and survey techniques from the social sciences.

Primarily, we welcome experimental data and analysis; however, presentations advancing theoretical insights designed to advance new experimental approaches to the scientific study of religion (and by extension culture) are welcome. We also welcome submissions from advanced undergraduate and postgraduate students. The conference will consist of at least four panels grouped together by thematic and/or methodological criteria.

The language of the conference will be English only. All prospective participants (those who wish to present a paper/poster as well as those who do not) are kindly asked to register at http://www.phil.muni.cz/relig/levyna2012/ and submit their paper/poster proposals via this registration platform. **The deadline for submission is August 31**st, **2012**. All enquires concerning the onference program or organizational matters should be addressed to the conference email: http://www.poil.gvynaconference2012@gmail.com

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