

Second International Workshop on the Mahāparinirvāṇa-sūtra

Munich, July 27-29, 2010

PROGRAM

July 27, 2010

- 09:30 Opening Remarks
- 09:45 Jens-Uwe Hartmann (Munich): Welcome
- 10:00-10:45 Hiromi Habata (Munich)
Materials for the *Mahāparinirvāṇa-mahāsūtra*
- 10:45-11:00 Gudrun Melzer (Leipzig)
Brief comment on the Koyasan fragment
- 11:00-11:30 Discussion
- Lunch
- 13:00-14:00 Stephen Hodge (London)
The *Mahāyāna Mahāparinirvāṇa-sūtra*: The Text & its Transmission
- 14:00-14:45 Discussion
- Coffee break
- 15:00-15:45 Masahiro Shimoda (Tokyo)
Reconsidering the Mahāparinirvāṇasūtra in the Mahāyāna: Focusing
Specifically on the Difference between Nirvāṇa Sūtras in the Vinaya-
piṭaka and Those in the Sūtrapiṭaka
- 15:45-16:15 Discussion
- 16:15-17:15 Monika Zin (Munich)
Mahāparinirvāṇa in pictorial tradition
- 17:15-17:45 Discussion
- Dinner 19:00 alta marea (Schönfeldstr. 15a)

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- 9:00-9:55 Vincent Tournier (Paris)
Reading anew the Parinirvāṇa Narrative introducing the *Daśa-
bhūmika-upadeśa* of the *Mahāvastu*
with reading part: Mahāvastu ed. Senart I.63-78
- 9:55-10:25 Discussion
- Coffee break
- 10:40-11:25 Paul Harrison (Stanford)
The Lokānuvartanāsūtra and the Mahāyāna Mahāparinirvāṇasūtra:
Textual Citations, Allusions & Thematic Echoes
with reading part: selected sentences from
Tib. P59b4-66b3; ChinD 388a11-390a13; ChinF 870b10-872a12
Tib. P94a6-95b7; ChinD 402c18-403b8; ChinF 880a20-b26
- 11:25-11:55 Discussion
- Lunch
- 13:30-14:15 Oliver von Criegern (Munich)
Mahāyāna views on the circulation of sūtras and the role of the
dharmabhāṇaka
- 14:15-14:45 Discussion
- Coffee break
- 15:00-17:45 Reading part:
Sanskrit Fragment 22 (Or. 15011/17: Matsuda A-6)
Tib. P142a8-143a1; ChinD 422b9-27; ChinF 895a5-20
- 15:00-16:00 Lokānuvartanā
- 16:15-17:45 Circulation of the text
with a brief comment by Oliver von Criegern (Munich)
- Dinner 19:00

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9:00-9:45 Lambert Schmithausen (Hamburg)
The Section on Meat Eating in the Mahāyāna Mahāparinirvāṇa- sūtra
with reading part: selected sentences from
Tib. P54b1-56b1; ChinD 386a2-c13; ChinF 868c11-869b17

9:45-10:15 Discussion

Coffee break

10:30-11:45 Reading part: Definition of the murder
with a brief comment on the Jaina texts by Adelheid Mette (Munich)
Sanskrit Fragment 15 (IOL San 1352: Matsuda C-7)
Tib. P80a3-81a1; ChinD 396b15-29; ChinF 875b28-c11

Lunch

13:30-14:15 Luis O. Gómez (Colegio de Mexico; Emeritus, Michigan)
Distorted Views: Buddhism with a "Self"? The Inversion of
Traditional Doctrinal Categories in the [Mahāyāna] Mahāparinirvāṇa
Mahā Sūtra

14:15-14:45 Discussion

Coffee break

15:00-15:45 Mark Blum (New York)
Burning the Lotus at Both Ends: The Mahāparinirvāṇa and
Saddharmapuṇḍarīka sūtras

15:45-16:15 Discussion

16:30-17:00 Concluding Remarks

Farewell Reception 18:00

Participants

Mark Blum (New York)
Volker Caumanns (München)
Jin kyoung Choi (Kyoto)
Oliver von Criegern (München)
Luis O. Gómez (Colegio de Mexico; Emeritus, Michigan)
Hiromi Habata (München)
Paul Harrison (Stanford)
Jens-Uwe Hartmann (München)
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Stephen Hodge (London)
Ines Konczak (München)
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Gudrun Melzer (Leipzig)
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Laura Ruprecht (München)
Marta Sernesi (München)
Lambert Schmithausen (Hamburg)
Masahiro Shimoda (Tokyo)
Jonathan Silk (Leiden)
Nikolai Solmsdorf (München)
Vincent Tournier (Paris)
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