Programme

Friday, June 8, 9.00-17.00
VOC Zaal – Bushuis, Kloveniersburgwal 48

9.00-9.30 COFFEE & REGISTRATION
9.30-9.40 Welcome by Prof. dr. Emily Hemelrijk
9.40-10.00 Marlena Whiting - Introduction
10.00-10.30 Grace Stafford - Literary and Material evidence for early Christian female pilgrimage
10.30-11.00 Peter Stabel - Between Mary and Magdalene: women and gender on the road
11.00-11.30 COFFEE BREAK
11.30-12.00 Paweł Nowakowski - Facing death abroad. Epitaphs from pilgrim shrines as a potential source for the study of women’s pilgrimage in late antique Anatolia
12.00-12.30 Sari Katajala-Peltomaa - Creating the sacred – late medieval demoniacs in search for a cure
12.30-13.30 LUNCH BREAK
13.30-14.00 Konstantin Klein - Travelling Saints and Travelling Ideas: Melania the Younger and Empress Eudocia Revisited
14.00-14.30 Lilly Stammler - The pilgrimage of St Parascce of Epibatae to the Holy Land
14.30-15.00 Helena Guzik - A Marchesa on the move: The Pilgrimages of Isabella d’Este (1474–1539)
15.00-15.30 COFFEE BREAK

16.00-16.30 Dzenita Karic - From fiqh manuals to travelogues: Sources for the study of female pilgrimage in premodern Islam
16.30-17.00 Päivi Miettunen - The role and agency of Bedouin women in pilgrimage and visiting holy sites in South Jordan

Saturday, June 9, 10.00-15.00
Doelenzaal – University Library, Singel 425

10.00-10.30 COFFEE
10.30-11.00 Emilia Salerno - The travelling Mother. The summoning of Cybele to Rome and women’s role in her cult
11.00-11.30 Rianne Hermans - Female deities, female worshippers, female concerns? Gender-specific ritual practices in the cults of Latium Vetus
11.30-12.00 Alessandro Crispino - Egnazia, a layover for pilgrimage in Late Antiquity
12.00-13.00 LUNCH BREAK
13.00-13.30 Vincent Hunink - Egeria’s journey to the Middle East
13.30-14.00 Nienke Vos - The Riddle of Religious Roles: Autonomy and Community in Egeria’s Travel Journal
14.00-14.30 Hugh Bonsey - Women and Pilgrimage in the Fourth Century: Helena and Egeria
14.30-15.00 Concluding discussion

Attendance is free, but please register via email at womenandpilgrimage2018@gmail.com