Uses and Customs in the Iberian Cathedrals up to 1700: History, Music and Arts

International Conference: Call For Papers

15-17 April 2024, Universidad Complutense de Madrid, Facultad de Geografía e Historia

Cathedrals are the cornerstones of Western societies. Especially in the Middle and Modern Eras, they had great power and prestige, and life in them fluctuated between liturgical services and ceremonies in which processions stood out for their splendour and magnificence.

Despite the fact that Spanish cathedrals have a noteworthy historiography, research on them is far from exhausted. This conference aims to delve into the uses and customs of the cathedrals in the Iberian Peninsula up to approximately 1700.



Research project

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Keynote speaker

Prof Barbara Haggh-Huglo (University of Maryland)

Guest speakers

Dr Eduardo Carrero Santamaría (Universidad Autónoma de Barcelona) Dr Juan Pablo Rubio Sadia (Pontificio Instituto Litúrgico de San Anselmo)

Including, but not limited to the theme of 'uses and customs', the expected areas for papers in this conference are:

- Liturgy, chant and ceremony
- History, historiography and sources
- People, saints and devotions
- Architecture, sculpture, painting and sumptuary arts
- Other topics related to the cathedral uses and customs

Papers can be read in English or Spanish.

Publication of the conference papers is planned as an in-print book with ISBN by a publisher indexed in the Scholarly Publishers Indicators in the Humanities. Participants will be asked to submit their papers in extended version and an ad-hoc committee will monitor the quality and originality of the texts.

Deadlines

Proposals for 20-minute papers should be sent to cph@ucm.es, and include the name of the author/s, institutional affiliation, title, abstract (c.250 words), and 3-5 keywords.

Deadline for proposals: 31 October 2023.

Notification of acceptance: 30 November 2023. Conference: 15-17 April 2024.

Handing in of final texts of papers for peer-reviewing: September-December 2024.

Conference fee

Attendance with paper: 50 EUR. Attendance without a paper: 20 EUR.

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