

Too queer to believe?

Religion, social activism and LGBTI rights

05. October 2016, 09.00 Uhr - 16.00 Uhr

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with:

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Program

Wednesday, 05. October 2016, 9 am.- 4 pm.

09.00 Registration

09.30 Welcoming

10.00 Format: Panel 1

Religion and Sexuality

Chair: Saboura Manpreet Naqshband (GladT e.V.)

Imam Dr. Ludovic-Mohamed Zahed: Homosexuality and Islam

Dr. Gerhard Schreiber: Homosexuality and Protestantism (tbc)

Armin Lager: Homosexuality and Judaism

11.30 Break (light lunch will be served)

11:45 Format: Panel 2

Civil society and transnational queer movement in the context of religion

Chair: Koray Yilmaz Günay, Migration council Berlin-Brandenburg

Michael Brinkschröder, HUK e.V.: Religion and the Catholic Queer Movement in Germany

Sarah Weil, Bat-Kol, Tel Aviv, Israel: Religion and the Queer Movement in Israel

Dr. Muhsin Henrix, The Inner Circle: Religion and the Queer Movement in South Africa

Aylime Aslı Demir, Kaos GL: Religion and the Queer Movement in Turkey

13.30 Break

14.30 Format: Forum Discussion (open for participation from the audience)

LGBTI Rights Activism and Religion - New ways for a progressive approach

The third part of the workshop will host an interactive discussion panel where the audience can interact with our experts from different countries to discuss how religious actors and LGBTI activists can build bridges for more inclusiveness in the future.

16.00 End of conference