



Council for British Research in the Levant

To be held at the British Academy, Wolfson Lecture Theatre,
10-11 Carlton House Terrace, London SW1Y 5AH

Wednesday 25th March 2015, 6.00pm



On the occasion of a launch of the new book *Travels to Jerusalem and Mount Athos* by Petre Konchoshvili, translated by Mzia Ebanoidze & John Wilkinson (author of *Egeria's Travels* and *Jerusalem Pilgrims*, and former Director of the British School of Archaeology in Jerusalem, now the Kenyon Institute) published by Gorgias Press and in the presence of the Georgian Ambassador, Professor Revaz Gachechiladze

The Council for British Research in the Levant (CBRL), in association with the Friends of Academic Research in Georgia (FaRiG), invite you to a lecture:

Revisiting Jerusalem Pilgrims: debates for the coming generation

given by Dr Daniel Reynolds, British Academy Postdoctoral Fellow, Centre for Byzantine, Ottoman and Modern Greek Studies, University of Birmingham & Dr Peter Darby, Lecturer in Medieval History, University of Nottingham.

This lecture will present the approach of their work on Jerusalem pilgrimage. The history of Christian pilgrimage in Syria-Palestine has captivated scholarly and public audiences since the first waves of research in the region in the nineteenth century. This subject continues to generate vibrant debate among scholars of Late Antiquity and the early Middle Ages.

The lecture will be followed by a short talk introducing pilgrimage from Georgia to Jerusalem:

From Bodbe to Sion: Pilgrimage and Holy Places?

by the Rt Revd Dr Stephen Platten, Rector of St. Michael, Cornhill, Assistant Bishop in the Diocese of London.

This event will then be followed by a reception where copies of the book *Travels to Jerusalem and Mount Athos* will be available to view along with the opportunity to purchase copies at a special launch price.

All welcome. Free admission.

Please register online to attend the event and ensure your place:

<https://travels-to-jerusalem-and-mount-athos.eventbrite.co.uk>



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