

# Seoul National University, Seoul in South Korea

Shinyang Hall, Building 4, 4th floor Room 302  
(International conference room)

## 5<sup>th</sup> - 6<sup>th</sup> September 2019

## 2<sup>ND</sup> INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE OF ROMA SINICA STUDIES Empire and Politics in the Eastern and Western Civilizations

### 5<sup>th</sup> September

9.00 Opening address  
& Official presentation Speakers:

#### First session

- 9.30 Keynote lecture 1  
**Maurizio Riotto** (Napoli - L'Orientale)  
*Empires, Kingdoms and Nomads:  
Real and Imaginary Characters between  
Ancient Korea and the Silk Road*
- 10.20 **Gościwit Malinowski** (Uniwersytet Wrocławski)  
*Imperator, huang di, cakravartin  
The Idea of the Highest Universal Divine Ruler  
in the West, China and India*
- 11.00 Pause
- 11.20 杨巨平 - **Yang, Juping** (Nankai University - 南开大学)  
*The Coexistence of Four Empires  
and the Opening of the Maritime Silk Road*
- 12.00 Discussion
- 12.30 Lunch

#### Second session

- 14.00 **Stéphane Mercier** (Université catholique de Louvain)  
*To Serve or Not to Serve? Seneca and Confucians  
between Involvement in Politics and Scholarly Retreat*
- 14.40 **Andrea Balbo** (Università di Torino)  
*Politics in ancient Rome and its reception. Cicero,  
Seneca and the words of politics in the ancient  
learning and in the Confucius Sinarum Philosophus*
- 15.20 Pause
- 15.40 **Philippe Rousselot** (The President of SIAC)  
*Ubi solitudinem inveniunt, imperium appellant:  
The French Empire in Rome's Mirror*
- 16.20 Ermanno Malaspina (Università di Torino)  
*From "Zero Tolerance" to "Turn the Other Cheek"  
and back: the Graeco-Roman Roots  
of a Modern Transcultural Dilemma*
- 17.30 Discussion

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#### Third session

- 9.00 Keynote lecture 2  
**Mortimer Sellers**  
(University of Baltimore School of Law)  
*Empire and Politics  
in Eastern and Western Civilizations*
- 9.50 **Michele Ferrero** (Beijing Foreign Studies  
University - 北京外国语大学)  
*The Latin Translations of Confucian Terminology  
on Government and Rule  
in Early Jesuit's Manuscripts*
- 10.30 Pause
- 10.50 安西真 - **Anzai, Makoto**  
(Hokkaido University - 北海道大学)  
*Socrates' Dream and His Decision in Plato's Crito*
- 11.30 **Aldo Setaioli** (Università degli Studi di Perugia)  
*Androcles in China*
- 12.10 Discussion
- 12.40 Lunch

#### Fourth session

- 14.00 **Francesco Stella** (Università degli Studi di Siena)  
*Empire and politics in Carolingian Poetry*
- 14.40 안재원 - **Ahn, Jaewon**  
(Seoul National University - 서울대학교)  
*Does pax mean truly peace?:  
focusing on The Declaration for Eastern Asian  
Peace of Ahn Jungeun (안중근)*
- 15.20 Pause
- 15.40 Keynote lecture 3  
이성원 - **Lee, Sung-Won**  
(Seoul National University - 서울대학교)  
*Liberal Imperialism Reconsidered.*
- 16.30 Discussion
- 17.00 Closing of the Conference