

Seminar of Mongolian and Tibetan Studies cordially invites you to the series of lectures to be delivered by

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### **1. The 17<sup>th</sup>-18<sup>th</sup> Century Intellectuals of Mongolia: the First Khalkha Jetsundampa Zanabazar, Khalkha Zaya Pandita Luvsanprinlei and Lamyn Gegeen**

**(Mon 11. 5., Jindřišská 27, room No. 1, 12:30)**

The three great Buddhist scholars of Khalkha Mongolia of the 17th-18th centuries, the First Khalkha Jetsundampa Zanabazar, Khalkha Zaya Pandita Luvsanprinlei and Lamyn Gegeen, influenced greatly Buddhism in Mongolia. During the lecture their biographies will be presented briefly and their impact on different aspects of Buddhism will be demonstrated.

### **2. Mongols and Bon**

**(Tue 12. 5., Jindřišská 27, room No. 1, 10:50 am)**

The Tibetan Bon religion influenced not only the Tibetan culture. In the present lecture some connections between Mongols and Bon religion will be shown. Also the Mongolian translation of the well known Tibetan text on propitiation *naga* deities, so called "Klu 'bum dkar po" will be discussed, as well as Bon in modern Mongolia.

### **3. Expedition of the Polish Mongolist Prof. W. Kotwicz to Mongolia in 1912 and Its Impact on Mongolian and Turkic Studies**

**(Tue 12. 5., Jindřišská 27, room No. 1, 2:00 pm)**

In summer 1912 the eminent Altaist Professor Władysław Kotwicz organized an expedition to Khalkha Mongolia with aim to study ancient Turkic and Mongolian inscriptions. The lecture will present Kotwicz as a scholar, his expedition in Mongolia and its findings.

### **4. Tibeto-Mongolica: Past and Present – a seminar**

**(Wed 14. 5., Celetná 20, room No. 208, 3:50 pm)**

This seminar will start from the short presentation of Tibeto-Mongolian contacts. It will be followed by a discussion in which such questions as "do Tibetans and Mongols need each other in the modern world" and "how Tibetologists and Mongolists react to the Tibeto-Mongolian relations" will be addressed.