Winter Semester 23/24 (Oct.-Feb.)

"Doing Theology in the German Context"

16.11.2023 16.15 h - 17.45 h CET - online

"Aspects of Law and Religion in Germany and Europe. A Comparative Approach"

Doing Theology in the German context always has something to do with the very special relationship of State and Religion in Germany. This special relationship has developed over centuries. The current mutual relationship between the state and the established churches is also linked to this, as is the relationship between the state and the new religions that have emerged in the 20th and 21st centuries. Above all, the migration flows of the last decade pose new challenges to the relationship between the state and religions, and thus also to the academic debate on the questions of religion and law. The lecture is intended to provide an insight into the complexity of the science of law and religion, which is by its nature religious neutral and which strives to provide both legally and theologically sound answers to important contemporary questions in this special relationship.



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