

Buddhist Manuscript Culture: Textuality and Materiality

Workshop at the Faculty of Asian Middle Eastern Studies,
Cambridge

12th–13th April 2013

Rooms 8 & 9

12th April

09.55–10.00 Welcome Address: Vincenzo Vergiani

10.00–10.45 **Keynote speech**

Cristina Scherrer-Schaub

The poetic of the page to beat time on the template. Inquiry into a form adopted in Indian/Indic manuscripts outside India

Codicology and History of the Book

10.45–11.30 Martin Delhey

On the date and provenance of North-East Indian and Nepalese Buddhist manuscripts: with special reference to the Indian monastery Vikramaśīla

11.30–11.45 Coffee Break

Chairperson: Camillo Formigatti

11.45–12.30 Harunaga Isaacson

Scattered leaves: on some Buddhist Tantric prakīrṇapattraṇi in Cambridge University Library

12.30–13.15 Hildegard Diemberger and Michela Clemente

Tibetan book printing: tradition and technology

13.15–14.45 Lunch Break

Chairperson: Daniele Cuneo

14.45–15.30 Camillo Formigatti
*Buddhist Nepalese manuscripts in the Cambridge University Library
collections: towards a typological classification*

15.30–16.15 Arlo Griffiths
*The transmission of Buddhist scriptures to ancient Indonesia as witnessed by
manuscripts preserved on Bali and inscriptions discovered throughout the
archipelago*

16.15–16.30 Tea Break

16.30–17.15 Vincent Tournier
*Protective verses for travellers: notes on a leather fragment of the
*Diśāsauvastikā-gāthā*s recovered from the Bāmiyān region*

13th April

Philology and Textual Transmission

Chairperson: Eivind Kahrs

10.00–10.45 Margaret Cone
Reading Pali and Pali readings

10.45–11.30 Francesco Sferra
*Apropos of some Buddhist Tantric manuscripts: Add. 1108, Add. 1708.1,
Or. 158*

11.30–11.45 Coffee Break

Chairperson: Hugo David

11.45–12.30 Lata Deokar
Subhūticandra's Amarakośaṭīkā

12.30–13.15 Péter-Dániel Szántó

Revisiting lists of Tantric Buddhist trespasses

13.15–14.45 Lunch Break

Chairperson: Hildegard Diemberger

14.45–15.30 Gergely Hidas
A new look at the Mahāśītavatī

15.30–16.30 Round Table

16.30–17.00 Tea Break

19.00 Conference Dinner