



Jewish Museum & Tolerance Center



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Centre of Oriental Literature of the Russian State Library

# Thought on Music in the Abrahamic Traditions – 2017

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Moscow

### 7 November

Jewish Museum & Tolerance Center, Obraztsova St., 11, build. 1A

Chairs - Evgeny Vorobyov, Arkady Kovelman, Uri Gershowitz

10.30-11.00	REGISTRATION
11.00-11.45	Opening ceremony
<b>PRESENTATION</b> Augustine of Hippo	<b>Six Books on Music.</b> Translated, commented and investigated by E. Dvoskina. Moscow, 2017.
11.45-12.00	Coffee break
12.00-13.30	
Lidia Chakovskaya	The Role and Function of Music in Jerusalem Temple
Evgenia Khazdan	Cantillation Marks in Traditional Jewish Culture
Simon Parizhsky	Conjuring the Spirits: Contemporary Musical Performance of Medieval Hebrew Poetry
13.30-14.30	Dinner
14.30-16.00	
Uri Gershowitz	"And All the People Saw the Noise" (Exodus 20:15): on the Relationship Between Image and Sound, Seeing and Listening in the Language and World Perception of the Talmud Sages
Guzel Sayfillina	The Word of the Qur'an in the Discussions on Permissibility of Music in Islam
Aleksandr Semenovich	Between the Spirit of Music and the Letter of the Law
16.00-16.15	Coffee break

16.15-17.45	
Arkady Kovelman	Praise and Wail, Nature and Human Being: Musical Themes of the Faustus Legend
Avery Gosfield	A Fire, a Fight and a Knight: Elye Bokher in Verse and Music
Ekaterina Fedorova	"Science of music" in Medieval Muslim Treatises
18.00-19.00	<b>Jewish Museum</b> The permanent exposition

### 8 November

Centre of Oriental Literature of the Russian State Library, Mokhovaya-6

Chairs – Guzel Sayfullina, Lidia Chakovskaya, Valery Petroff

10.30-11.30	<b>Opening of Exhibition. Music and Book in Abrahamic</b> <b>Traditions:</b> from the collection of the Centre of Oriental Literature of RSL
PRESENTATION	
Sarakan	<b>Canons and Hymns of the Armenian Church.</b> Translated from Classical Armenian, prefaced and commented by Levon Hakobian. Yerevan: Sargis Khachentz, Printinfo, 2017
11.30-11.45	Coffee break
11.45-13.15	
Valery Petroff	Cithara and psaltery: Their Historical Appearance and Allegorical Representation in the Early Commentaries on the Book of Psalms
Maria Moiseeva	The Sacral Significance of Organ in Spain's Golden Age
Svetlana Ivanova	The Shofar in Christian Art
13.15-14.15	Dinner

14.15 - 15.45

Marina Reisner	Sounding Word in Classic Persian Ghazal: Musical Accordance
Leyla Lahuty	The Thought on Music in 'Attar's Sufi Poems
Mais Nazarli	A Mystery of Frozen Melodies of Islamic Culture. Questions for an Imaginary Round-Table Discussion
15.45-16.00	Coffee break
16.00-17.30	
Vladimir Vekshin, Svetlana Kovaleva	Logic of Imagination in Science and Art
Rimma Kurenkova	Models of the Philosophy of Music Education, or the path from the Utilitarianism to Phenomenality
Darya Nikitina	Text and Meaning: Phenomenological-Hermeneutical Methodology in the Analysis of Musical Compositions
17.30-18.00	Round Table

#### 9 November

**State Institute for Art Studies,** Kozitsky pereulok-5

Chairs – Levon Hakobian, Evgenia Khazdan, Simon Parizhsky

#### 10.30 - 11.30

Evgeny Gertzman	Ancient Notation and Christian Liturgy – Lecture
Jacomien Prins	Marsilio Ficino's Timaeus Commentary: Musical Speculations of a Renaissance Interpreter – Lecture
11.30-11.45	Coffee break

11.45-13.15	
Elena Dvoskina	Scientia bene modulandi from Augustin to Losev
Andrey Bogomolov	The Problem of Musical Space Construction in Musical Theories of Antiquity and Modern Age
Alexandra Kulpina	<b>Sounds and Music in the Bible</b> : a Medieval Interpretation (Based on the Latin Derivational Vocabularies, 11 <sup>th</sup> –15 <sup>th</sup> Centuries)
13.15-13.30	Coffee break
13.30-15.00	
Evgeny Vorobyov	Cross-Confessional Contacts and Composing Music for East Slavic Church Service of European Tradition in the Second Half of the 17th Century
Natalya Katonova	<b>On the History of Instrumental Dialogue</b> (in the Context of Studies of Early Christian Instrumental Practice)
Giula Shamilli	Art of Maqam: an Extra-Musical Meaning in the Mirror of the Abrahamic Traditions
15.00-16.00	Dinner
16.00-17.00	
Jacomien Prins	Marin Mersenne on the Power of David's Lyre, Kabbalah and Sympathetic Vibration
Ovanes Akopyan	The World as Musical Structure in Francesco Zorzi's De harmonia mundi
17.00-18.00	
Moshe Idel	Concepts of Music in Abrahamic Traditions – Lecture
18.15-19.30	<b>Concert of "Le Troubadour Moderne" ensemble.</b> In the program music of the French, English and Italian composers of the XVI—XVII centuries
20.00-21.30	Lecture of Moshe Idel under the "Eshkolot" programme