

# Balzan Prizewinners Interdisciplinary Forum 2017

Thursday, 16 November 2017 | 2.15 pm  
Yehudi Menuhin Forum, Helvetiaplatz 6, 3005 Bern

## Programme



14.15 h Opening | Welcome  
· Maurice Campagna  
· Salvatore Veca

Chair: Maurice Campagna

### LECTURE 1 - "Immunological Approaches in Cancer Therapy"

14.30 h Presentation of the Balzan Prizewinners 2017  
· Peter Suter

14.40 h "Immunological Approaches in Cancer Therapy"  
· James P. Allison and Robert D. Schreiber

15.05 h Questions and discussion

### LECTURE 2 - "The Sun's Planetary System and Exoplanets"

15.20 h Presentation of the Balzan Prizewinner 2017  
· Bengt Gustafsson

15.30 h "The Sun's Planetary System and Exoplanets"  
· Michaël Gillon

15.55 h Questions and discussion

16.10 h Coffee break

Chair: Markus Zürcher

### LECTURE 3 - "International Relations – History and Theory"

16.40 h Presentation of the Balzan Prizewinner 2016  
· Salvatore Veca

16.50 h "International Relations – History and Theory"  
· Robert O. Keohane

17.15 h Questions and discussion

### LECTURE 4 – "Gender Studies"

17.30 h Presentation of the Balzan Prizewinner 2017  
· Marjan Schwegman

17.40 h "Gender Studies"  
· Bina Agarwal

18.05 h Questions and discussion

### LECTURE 5 – "Collective Memory"

18.20 h Presentation of the Balzan Prizewinners 2017  
· Thomas Maissen\*

18.30 h "Collective Memory"  
· Aleida and Jan Assmann\*

18.55 h Questions and discussion

19.10 h Closing remarks  
· Alberto Quadrio Curzio

Farewell  
· Enrico Decleva

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by 12.11.2017

\* Presentation in German, English translation