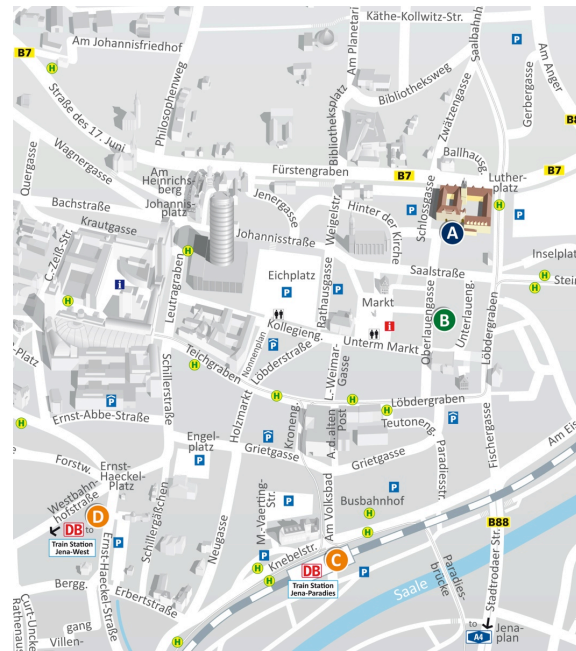


This symposium explores the latest inner-biblical revisions affecting the conception of the history of the early monarchy in Israel.

The focus will be on the books of Samuel and 1 Chronicles. Can 1 Chr be understood as a “relecture” of 1/2 Sam? If so, did its existence as a parallel account of 1/2 Sam give rise to literary feedback into its source? And, finally, how can these presumable “post-chronistic” traces be identified?

During the meeting general questions of the relationship between 1/2 Sam and 1 Chr are addressed as well as methodological issues which are challenged by a number of case studies.



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Rereading the Relecture? The Question of (Post)chronistic Influence in the Latest Redactions of the Books of Samuel

Symposium

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Monday, August 27

3.30 pm | Opening |
“Rereading the Relecture?” |
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I SAMUEL AND CHR – GENERAL ASPECTS

4.00 pm |
The Core Source(s) of the Parallel Texts between
Samuel-Kings and Chronicles |
Isaac Kalimi – Chicago/USA

5.00 pm |
Early and Late in Samuel: Some Questions |
Graeme Auld – Edinburgh/UK

6.00 pm |
Chronicles and Samuel:
Two Aspects of One Mnemonic System |
Ehud Ben Zvi – Edmonton/Canada

7.00 pm |
Welcome Address by the Dean of the Theological
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Tuesday, August 28

9.00 am |
Samuel, Chronicles and “Postchronistic” Revisions:
Methods and Issues |
Christophe Nihan – Lausanne/Switzerland

II SAMUEL AND CHRONICLES – CASE STUDIES

10.00 am |
Von Eli zu Zadok |
Georg Hentschel – Erfurt

11.00 am |
Postchronistic Traces in the Narratives about the Ark |
Peter Porzig – Göttingen

12.00 pm | *Lunch Break*

14.00 pm |
Excursion to Erfurt
„(Re)Constructing History Built of Stone:
Erfurt’s Old Synagogue and the Dominican Church as
Documents of the 1348 Pogrom“ |

Wednesday, August 29

9.00 am |
Wiping out the Memory of Baal: Post-Chronistic Changes
in the Proto-Masoretic Text of Samuel |
Reinhard Müller – Munich

10.00 am |
Reworking the Image of King Saul in Sam from Chr |
Hannes Bezzel – Jena

11.00 am |
The Inauguration of the Monarchy in I Sam 8-12:
Latest Editorial Stages |
Uwe Becker – Jena

12.00 pm | *Lunch Break*

2.00 pm |
Hidden Polemics Against Saul in I-II Sam. Considerations
Concerning the Literary Character, the Ideology and the
Date of Origin of I Sam 22,6-23 and II Sam 21,1-14 |
Jürg Hutzli – Lausanne/Switzerland

3.00 pm |
II Sam 21,1-17 and II Sam 23,1-7 as Possible Post-Chr
Additions to the Samuel Scroll |
Cynthia Edenburg – Ramat Gan/Israel

4.00 pm | *Coffee Break*

4.30 pm |
About Some Post-Chronistic Textual Reshaping of the
David Story in II Samuel |
Philippe Hugo – Fribourg/Switzerland

5.30 pm |
Späte Bearbeitungen in der Davidüberlieferung |
Thilo Rudnig – Göttingen

6.30 pm | Final Discussion |
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