

## *Upcoming events*

### **Of Prophets and Saints: Literary Traditions and “convivencia” in Medieval and Early Modern Iberia**



This international workshop will be held in Madrid on Thursday and Friday, February 22 and 23, 2018 to explore religious literature that originated under the particular conditions of “convivencia” in the societies of medieval and early modern Iberia. The participants will employ comparative and interdisciplinary approaches to open new perspectives on how the coexistence of Jewish, Christian and Muslim communities on the Iberian Peninsula is reflected in their respective literary traditions.

For more information:

<https://researchblogs.cul.columbia.edu/islamicbooks/mashqi/>



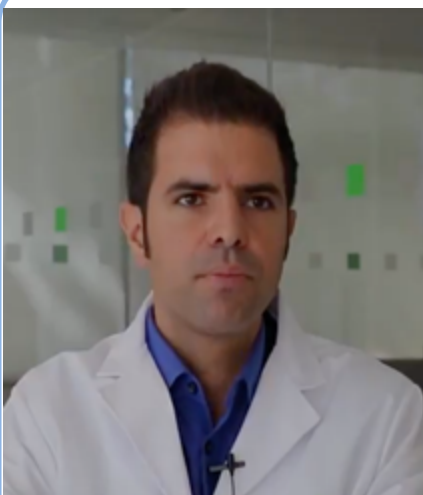
The first call for applications for the Program Stimulus to Scientific Employment of the Portuguese Foundation of Science and Technology is open until the 16<sup>th</sup> of February. This call is destined to PhD holders of all nationalities and career stages that wish to develop a science project up to 6 years in one Portuguese higher education research institution. For further information: [https://www.fct.pt/apoios/contratacaodoutorados/empregocientifico/ci\\_dez2017.phtml.en](https://www.fct.pt/apoios/contratacaodoutorados/empregocientifico/ci_dez2017.phtml.en)

## Meet the Fellows



**Daniel Curto-Millet** is a Marie Curie Research Fellow at the Spanish National Research Council (CSIC) where he studies the sustainability of open source. He recently completed his PhD at the London School of Economics and Political Science (LSE). His theoretical background is STS, Deleuze and Guattari's work on immanence, becoming, and process theory. His research interests include open source phenomena, development processes, and the collaborative economy. He is affiliated with the UAM-Accenture Chair at the Universidad Autónoma de Madrid (UAM). Before that, he was a Research Fellow for Stars4All, an international project funded by the European Union's H2020 programme under the CAPS2020 call for advancing collective social innovation platforms. He has published in Journal of Information Technology and has a number of publications under review in other top-tier journals

**Bhavna Rani** is a Post-Doctoral Fellow in Spain. Her research interests are in the field of Oncology, Regenerative medicine, Translational research and Liver regeneration, pathology and diseases. She was a Ph.D. Marie Curie Fellow and worked in the field of liver cancer in collaboration with University hospitals in Spain and Germany and published many research articles. She's an active member of Italian chapter, CWG editorial, and publishing group, Bridging Business and Science group, Gender Equality and Diversity for Mobile Researchers in Science. She has been awarded with several scholarships including HSP Scholarship from Dutch government, Oncology Research fellowship (Sweden), Marie Curie fellowship (ITN actions) during her various stages of studies and have lived in different countries including Amsterdam (the Netherlands), Sweden, Germany, Italy and Spain for her studies and research work. She was the Supervisory board member in the IT-Liver consortium under Marie Curie actions.



**Stavros Skouras** is a cognitive neuroscientist at the Barcelonaβeta Brain Research Center, specializing in network science. He is currently working in the field of Alzheimer's prevention, through the development of innovative technology fusing neurofeedback and virtual reality. He holds a BSc in Artificial Intelligence and Psychology (University of Edinburgh), a MSc in Cognitive Science (National and Kapodistrian University of Athens) and a PhD in Affective Neuroscience (Freie Universität Berlin). He is a member of the Organization for Human Brain Mapping and of the editorial board of the Clinical Medical Image Library. Since 2007, he has been teaching in numerous universities around the world, including Freie Universität Berlin, Universität Zürich, Universitat Pompeu Fabra, the University of Sussex and the University of Hong Kong. In 2017, Stavros was selected for the MEP-scientist pairing scheme at the European Parliament and he has recently joined the MCAA Policy Working Group with the aim of increasing public awareness on the value of science for the society.