

The Bible in a Secularized Setting: Dutch Contexts and Biblical Interpretation
8-12 July 2019 (schedule subject to change)

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Monday, 8 July		
Time	Activity	Description
10-12 h		Orientation and introduction, prof. dr. Klaas Spronk (PThU), experiences from teaching the Bible interculturally (with Gijsbert Steenbeek, program facilitator Bridging Gaps program in intercultural biblical interpretation)
12:00-13:00	Lunch break	
12-14 h		The Bible in Dutch Society: Surprising Results of a Recent Survey, Dr. Anne-Mareike Schol-Wetter (Bible Society of the Netherlands)

Tuesday, 9 July		
Time	Activity	Description
10:00-12:00		Making Sense at the Margins I: The Bible's return in earthquake-plagued Groningen, Jacobine Gelderloos, MA
12:00-13:00	Lunch break	
14:00-16:00	Seminar	Making Sense at the Margins II: Surprises with the Bible in Pioneering Ministry in Amsterdam, Rev. Willemien van Berkum

Wednesday, 10 July		
Time	Activity	Description
10:00-12:00	Lecture	It is the Context, silly! Contextual Biblical Interpretation as a Method: Introduction, Rev. Inge Landman, Kerk in Actie.
12:00-13:00	Lunch break	
14:00-16:00	Excursion	Hands on! Contextual Biblical Interpretation: Workshop, Rev. Inge Landman, Kerk in Actie.

Thursday 11 July		
Time	Activity	Description
10:00-12:00	Excursion	Excursion: The Bible in Religious Art – Museum Catharijneconvent
12:00-13:00	Lunch break	

14:00-16:00	Lecture	But What About the Text I? Exegetical Insights From a Secularized Context, the Case of Philippians, prof. dr. Peter-Ben Smit, VU/UU.
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Friday, 12 July		
Time	Activity	Description
10:00-12:00	Lecture/Seminar	But What about the Text II? Exegetical Insights from a Secularized Context, the Case of the Book of Judges, prof. dr. Klaas Spronk, PThU
12:00-13:00	Lunch break	
14:00-16:00 (ca.)	Seminar	Concluding Seminar, prof. dr. Peter-Ben Smit