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BOOK LAUNCH EVENT

Ronald Kroeze, Pol Dalmau and Frédéric Monier (eds.),
CORRUPTION, EMPIRE AND COLONIALISM IN THE MODERN ERA
A global perspective (Singapore: Palgrave Macmillan, 2021)

Friday July 2nd, 2021 | 14:00-15.00 hrs CET

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ABSTRACT

Answering the calls made to overcome methodological nationalism, this volume is the first examination of the links between corruption and imperial rule in the modern world. It does so through a set of original studies that examine the multi-layered nature of corruption in four different empires (Great Britain, Spain, the Netherlands and France) and their possessions in Asia, the Caribbean, Latin America and Africa. It offers a key read for scholars interested in the fields of corruption, colonialism/empire and global history.

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PROGRAM:

14:00-14:10 Opening by editors Ronald Kroeze (Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam) and Pol Dalmau (Pompeu Fabra University).

14:10-14:30 Presentations by two contributors:

* Tanja Bühner (University of Bern), *Corruption, Empire and State-Building: An Entangled History of the British and French "Imperial Nation States" and Hyderabad, c.1760-1800.*

* Jonathan Saha (University of Durham), *Paperwork as*

Commodity, Corruption as Accumulation: Land Records and Licences in Colonial Myanmar, c.1900.

14:30-14:40 Bartolomé Yun-Casalilla (Universidad Pablo de Olavide), *Reflections of an Early Modern Historian on the Modern History of Corruption and Empire.*

14:40-14:50 Comments by discussant Alicia Schrikker (Leiden University).

14:50-15:00 Concluding remarks by editors Ronald Kroeze (Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam) and Pol Dalmau (Pompeu Fabra University).

