## Fall Public Lecture Series: "Buddhist Cultural Heritage Past and Present"

This series is part of the celebrations for the 60th anniversary of the establishment of the Department of Religious Studies at the University of California, Santa Barbara.

## **Presentations**

October 8, 2024 – 5:00 pm – Michael Como (Tōshū Fukami Associate Professor of Shinto Studies, Columbia University, NY): "Buddhism, Written Language, and the Religious Revolution in Eight Century Japan"

**October 29, 2024 – 5:00 pm – Vesna A. Wallace (Distinguished Professor, Department of Religious Studies, UCSB): "Text, Image, and Imagination in Mongolian Buddhism"** 

**December 12, 2024 – 5:00 pm – Sunmin Yoon (Assistant Professor, School of Music, University of Delaware): "The Sacred and the Secular in the Practice of the Mongolian Buddhist Songs"** 

## **Location**

University Club of Santa Barbara 1332 Santa Barbara Street Santa Barbara, CA (805) 966-0853

## <u>Sponsorship</u>

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