

TUESDAY 13 JUNE, 5-6PM WOLFSON COLLEGE, LEVETT ROOM

THE TIBETAN AND HIMALAYAN STUDIES CENTRE AT WOLFSON COLLEGE

Professor Georgios Halkias

will give a talk on

The Secret Path to the Copper-Colored Mountain:

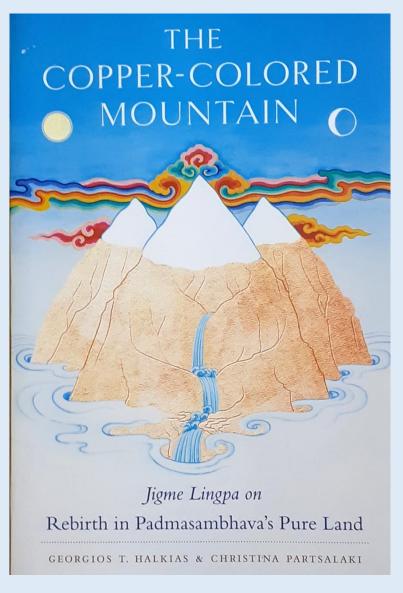
Jigme Lingpa on Rebirth

in Padmasambhava's Pure Land

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Jigme Lingpa



Abstract

The Copper-Colored Mountain is the pure land of the famous 8th century tantric master Padmasambhava. One way Buddhist practitioners may be reborn in this pure land is by making aspiration prayers. This lecture will introduce one of the most famous of these aspiration prayers, composed by the 18th century treasure revealer Jigme Lingpa.

About the speaker

Georgios Halkias is Associate Professor of Buddhists Studies at the University of Hong Kong. After studying philosophy at the University of Hawai'i, he completed a doctorate in Tibetan Studies at the University of Oxford. His book publications include Luminous Bliss: A Religious History of Pure Land Literature in Tibet (2017) and, most recently, The Copper-Colored Mountain: Jigme Ling-pa on Rebirth in Padmasambhava's Pure Land (co-authored with Christina Partsalaki, 2022).