



# ACU/IRCI Biblical and Early Christian Studies 2021 Global Seminar Series

**Gerhard Van den Heever (University of South Africa)**

‘Do Religions, in Fact, Die? And How Do They Die? On the Christianisation of the Late Antique Mediterranean World: Reflections from Where We Are.’

26 Aug

**Respondent: Dawn LaValle Norman, ACU**

**Time:** 5:00-6:00pm (Melbourne) / 8:00-9:00am (London) /  
3:00-4:00am (New York)

**Jens Schröter (Humboldt University of Berlin)**

‘Why did Christians Write Apocalypses: Reflections on the Developments of a Genre’

23 Sept

**Respondent: Kylie Crabbe, ACU**

**Time:** 5:00-6:00pm (Melbourne) / 8:00-9:00am (London) /  
3:00-4:00am (New York)

**Michael Champion (ACU)**

‘Emotions and Education in Late Antique Asceticism’

21 Oct

**Respondent: Yannis Papadogiannakis**

**Time:** 5:00-6:00pm (Melbourne) / 7:00-8:00am (London) /  
2:00-3:00am (New York)

**Janet Spittler (University of Virginia)**

‘The Acts of John by Prochorus: The most Popular Late Antique Text that You’ve Never Heard Of’

18 Nov

**Respondent: Ben Edsall, ACU**

**Time:** 9:00-10:00am (Melbourne) / **17 Nov** 10:00-11:00pm  
(London) / **17 Nov** 5:00-6:00pm (New York)

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