Imperial Radiance: Solar Imagery and Cosmic Order

A Public Lecture by

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This public lecture will explore through texts and images the place of the emperor within the Byzantine heliocentric world order. Appearance and self-presentation in literal as well as symbolic terms will be discussed, especially his association with light and its effects on perception.