DIGITAL TEXT ANALYSIS WORKSHOP FOR CHINESE STUDIES

Do you want to know how to consult language and biographical dictionaries, maps, and other references sources all in one platform while reading Chinese texts on your computer? Do you want to learn how to mark up different kinds of information in Chinese texts? Do you want to learn how to create maps and other visualizations based on what you have found in your materials? You can learn how to do the above and hear how digital methods have been used in Chinese social, political, and medical history in the workshop "Digital Text Analysis for Chinese Studies."

In the second part of the workshop Michael Stanley-Baker shows how questions such as how drugs travelled across medieval Chinese communities and how they were differently construed in different communities can be answered through a digital analysis of drug names, drug properties, geographic locations and persons in various genres of drug writing in medical, Daoist and Buddhist sources.

TIME: 13 November 2015 (Friday) 12:00 ~ 17:00

PLACE: University of Birmingham, Winterbourne Garden

CHAIR: Naomi Standen

Time	Activity
12:00	Registration and Lunch
13:00	Word of Welcome (*Naomi Standen*)
13:15	Demonstration of MARKUS (*Hilde De Weerdt* and *Brent Ho*)
14:45	Coffee
15:00	Case Study: Mapping Drugs across Epistemic and Geographic Domains in Early Medieval China (*Michael Stanley-Baker*)
16:00	Practice session (Poynting P09)
17:00	End of Workshop

There is a limited number of seats for participants. If interested please RSVP to Brent HO (did.acte.contact@gmail.com) by **Friday, 30 October 2015** and briefly explain why you would like to attend. We will notify you by **Friday, 6 November 2015**.