



Telling Histories

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New lecture series at the Netherlands Institute at Athens

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This academic year, the Netherlands Institute at Athens organizes a series of 5 lecture sessions under the general title “Telling Histories: images, memories, narrations”, as a prelude to two Colloquia that will take place in 2016. The aim of both the lectures and the Colloquia is to bring together scholars from Greek and Dutch Universities working on the elaboration of “difficult pasts” (such as the Holocaust, collaboration during World War II and colonialism), in order to contribute to the understanding of recent history from various historical and anthropological perspectives.

With this initiative, the Netherlands Institute hopes to contribute to the development of a Dutch-Greek academic network and to broaden the perspectives by integrating the views from individual countries into a wider international context. The lecture series is also intended to construct a core audience for next year’s Colloquia.