

# Political Theology: The Liberation of the Postsecular?

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July 10<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> 2015, Liverpool Hope University.

A conference organised by the Association for Continental Philosophy of Religion

### Keynote speakers

• Saba Mahmood • Catherine Keller • Katharine Sarah Moody • Richard Seymour

### Conference Description

Political theology names a key site where contemporary philosophical engagement with religion takes place. Through notions such as sovereignty, messianism, apocalypse, hope and fidelity, a thinking of political grounds and transformations is never far from the theological. The nature of that relationship is, however, sharply contested.

Is the postsecular a way back to retrieving traditional sources for political sovereignty, or the opening of new possibilities for religion and politics to interact? Does it represent a further victory for Eurocentric understandings of religion and politics, or a way to undermine and move beyond them? The conference will invite critical and constructive interventions in this debate.

### Further Details

Call for papers due September 2014

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