

Transnational circulations of devotional objects through religious orders

Giovanni Battista Falda, Plan de Rome, détail de la Via dei Coronari, 1676, eau-forte, Amsterdam, Rijksmuseum

Research workshop

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As the epicenter of the Catholic world, Rome occupied a powerful place in the imaginary of the Early Modern Age on a global scale. In turn, Rome was also recipient of ideas, people, and objects. Although these are commonplaces in the historiography, this workshop aims to analyze a specific kind of circulation within this context that has been less explored. It will focus on the religious agents who connected Rome materially with the Iberian world through the acquisition and distribution of a wide range of "travelling objects", most by nature physically "small" which have failed to draw the attention of traditional art history.

Tuesday February 4, 10h10

[Anne Lepoittevin](#),

Rome and the Market for Portable Works of Canonization (XVI-XVIII): from Agnus Dei to Devotional

Medals

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José de Páez (attributed), Allegory of the Virgin of the Refuge (Detail), mid-18th century.
Museo Regional de Guadalupe, Zacatecas. INAH, México.



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