Friday, November 12

5:00pm-6:00pm  209 Main Building, University of Kentucky
Dr. Donald Harper, Centennial Professor of Chinese Studies and Director of the Chicago Center for East Asian Studies at the University of Chicago
“Finding Religion in an Ancient Chinese Occult Miscellany”

7:00pm  Dinner with meeting participants

Saturday, November 13

9am-10:30am  Panel 1: Stewards Room, Bingham-Davis House
““In Far Off Gushe, there lives a spirit man’: Cave Experiences of Early Daoist Masters”
Ronnie Littlejohn, Belmont University

“Health in a Nutshell: Analyzing Daoist Dietary Ingredients”
Shawn Arthur, Appalachian State University

“Entering the Nine Rooms: Isolated Contemplation as described in Taishang hunyuan zhenlu and Taiping jing chao”
Stephen Eskildsen, University of Tennessee – Chattanooga

10:30am-10:45am  Coffee break

10:45am-12:15pm  Panel 2: Stewards Room, Bingham-Davis House
“The Classic of Go (碁經) as evidence of past and present globalizations”
Robert Foster, Berea College

“Unearthing the Ancient Craft: A Technical Study of Gold Head Ornaments in Chinese and Xianbei Tombs of the Third to Fifth Centuries CE”
Sarah Laursen, University of Pennsylvania

“The Early Chinese Roots of Shintō”
Jeffrey Richey, Berea College
12:15-2:15  Gaines Center for the Humanities: Deli buffet lunch

2:15pm-4:00pm  Panel 3: Stewards Room, Bingham-Davis House

"Severing Grandma’s Phallus: Tang Xuanzong’s Symbolic Reclamation and Reassertion of Normative Patriarchal Confucian Values”
N. Harry Rothschild, University of North Florida

“Posted to the Provinces: Expectations of Local Governors during the Southern Dynasties”
Cynthia Chennault, University of Florida

“Daughter-in-law, there is a Maggot in my Soup: Early Medieval Accounts of Unfilial Children”
Keith N. Knapp, The Citadel

4:00pm-6:00pm  Break

4:15  Gratz Park Inn: SEECR Business Meeting

6:00pm  Dinner with meeting participants

Sunday, November 14

10am-12:15pm  Panel 4: Stewards Room, Bingham-Davis House

“Confucius, History, and the Problem of Meaning”
Jim Peterman, Sewanee: The University of the South

“Behind the Name: An Etymological History of Wudai shiguo”
Hongjie Wang, Armstrong Atlantic University

11:00am-11:15am  Mid-panel coffee break

“Should I Rescue My Sister-in-law?” A Mencian Argument for Humanitarian Intervention
Xiaofei Tu, Appalachian State University

“The Problem with History in the Early Legalist Writings”
Vincent Leung, Harvard University

12:15pm-2:00pm  Box Lunch and departure (as needed)