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The David Patterson Lectures  
Week 1

Professor Ruth von Bernuth  
(University of North Carolina,  
Chapel Hill)

## 'Luther in Yiddish: Translating Biblical Literature in Early Modern Europe'

**Ruth von Bernuth** teaches in the Department of Germanic and Slavic Languages and Literatures of the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, where she also was the director of the Carolina Center for Jewish Studies between 2013 and 2022. She holds a PhD in medieval and early modern German literature and has received several fellowships, including from the YIVO Institute, the Rothschild Foundation (Yad Hanadiv), the Alfried Krupp Wissenschaftskolleg and the Maimonides Centre for Advanced Studies. She is author of *Wunder, Spott und Prophetie: Natürliche Narrheit in den 'Historien von Claus Narren'* (2009) and *How the Wise Men Got to Chelm: The Life and Times of a Yiddish Folk Tradition* (2016).

Thursday, 13 October 2022  
6-7pm (UK time)

**This lecture will be a hybrid session which will be accessible both online (see below) and in person in the Catherine Lewis Lecture Room (refreshments to follow)**

No need to register if attending in person.

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