The Centre for the Study of Manuscript Cultures (CSMC) presents the following workshop:

**Consultation on the Preservation of Palm-leaf Manuscripts**

at CSMC, Warburgstraße 26, 20354 Hamburg
7-8 August 2018

**Programme**

**Tuesday, 7 August 2018**

14:00  **Welcome & Introduction**
Bidur Bhattarai, Michael Friedrich, Hamburg
Columba Stewart, Collegville

14:15  **Palm-leaf Manuscripts: Examination, Preservation and Access**
James Canary, Bloomington

15:15  **Palm-leaf Manuscripts: The Legacy of Traditional Preservation and Conservation**
Ignatius Payyappilly, Kerala

16:15  Coffee break

16:45  **Manuscript Presentations and Discussion on Problems and Techniques of the Preservation of Palm-leaf Manuscripts**

**Wednesday, 8 August 2018**

10:00  **Excursion – State and University Library Hamburg**
Monika Müller, Hamburg

12:15  Lunch break

14:15  **Further Discussion on Problems and Techniques of the Preservation of Palm-leaf Manuscripts**

15:00  **Final Discussion**
Dick van der Meij, Leiden
Columba Stewart, Collegeville