

THE GLOBAL CHURCH LEADERSHIP JUNIOR PROFESSORSHIP: A THINK TANK FOR THE CATHOLIC CHURCH

The Global Church Leadership seeks to focus on issues relevant to the life and ministry of each local Church in its particular context and to the universal Church as such.

The symposium brings together professors and researchers from different fields of competence, and from different geographical areas. Its aim is twofold:

- To carry out a brainstorming with experts on the idea of Global Church Leadership so as to propose something useful for science and for the Church.
- Constitute research groups/units that will focus on some issues of relevance for the particular Churches or for the universal Church.

The end result is to arrive at a precise profile of the study of Church Leadership and to get it to work at different levels.

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→ 10 minutes' walk from Munich's Central Station

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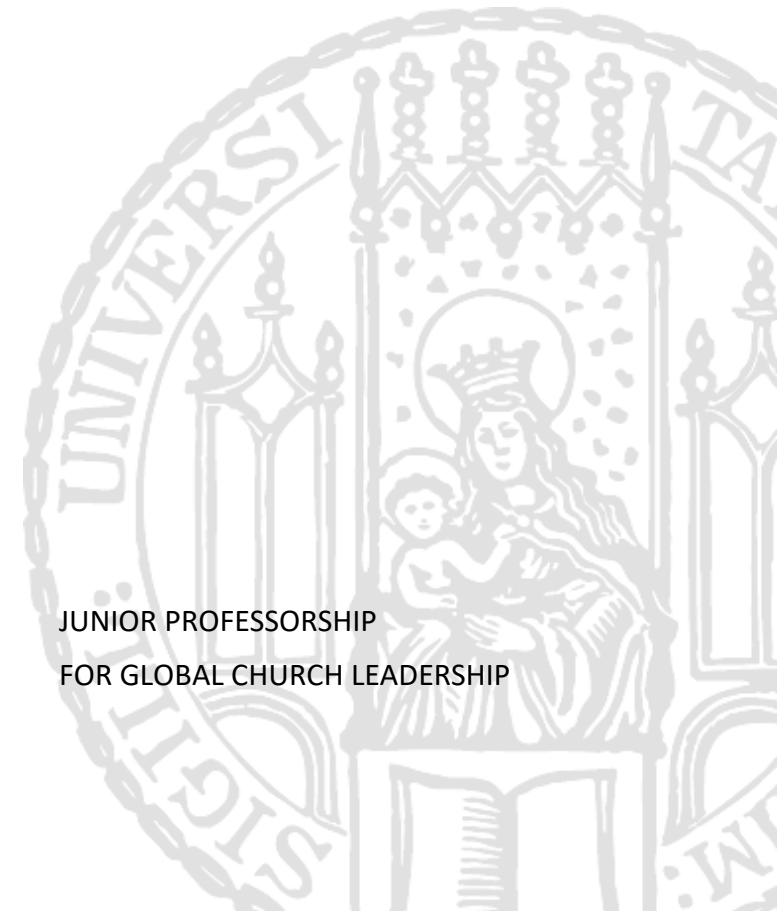


SYMPOSIUM OF THE GLOBAL CHURCH LEADERSHIP

31. JANUARY 2025

MUNICH

JUNIOR PROFESSORSHIP
FOR GLOBAL CHURCH LEADERSHIP



- Programme -

9.00 SHORT WELCOME AND ESSENTIAL INFORMATIONS

9.15 Word from Cardinal Reinhard Marx

Archbishop of Munich

9.30 First Session: Identity and vision of the study of Global Church Leadership

- Presentation of a *mission statement* of the GCL with regard to its identity and vision
- Detailed and structured discussion of the mission statement

11.00 Coffee Break

11.30 Second Session: Getting the Global Church Leadership to work

Presentation and discussion of the main working structures:

(a) Working groups:

1. Fundamental assessment of the identity of the Church, of challenges, and possible strategies
2. Data collection, statistics, and empirical analysis
3. Continental groups
4. Canon law group

(b) Yearly Academy and symposium

(c) Research units

(d) Licentiate and fellowships for doctoral students and visiting scholars

(e) Yearbook of the Global Church Leadership

13.00 Lunch

14.30 Third Session: Teaching offer in Global Church Leadership

- Proposal of the licentiate and other teaching opportunities (doctorate, ...)
- Discussion
- Possible participation in the licentiate

15.30 Coffee Break

16.00 Research Groups

We split in the proposed working groups (s.a.: a) with the aim of exploring the first steps of cooperation in research projects, electing a speaker and a speaker-substitute, and brainstorming on plausible research-projects.

At the end, a brief account of the results/proposals of each of working group

17.30 Closing remarks

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