



# KLANICZAY TIBOR EMLÉKELŐADÁS-SOROZAT

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“While traditional images somehow set forward the theological patterns from Reformation times, after World War II a shift took place in research: though confessional prejudices did not vanish, only changed, social history received a more significant role in Reformation history. It has developed into the theory of confessionalization during the 1980s. Thus Reformation history became a part of the intellectual history of political thinking, depicting the Reformation era as a kind of first step to modern times. This approach enriched the concepts of Early Modern Studies, but somehow it distanced Reformation history from general history of religion. Yet, a recent change has brought to the fore the issue of spirituality as part of Reformation history. In light of this development Reformation cannot be regarded anymore as a radical rupture with the Middle Ages, but as a slight and gradual transformation.”

**Speaker: Prof. Dr. VOLKER LEPPIN**  
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**THURSDAY, October 17, 2019**

**Venue of the public lecture:**

Library and Information Centre of the Hungarian Academy of Sciences  
H-1051 Budapest, Arany János street. 1.  
2<sup>nd</sup> floor, Conference room

**PROGRAMME**

**17:00–17:15 Welcome Address**

Zsombor Tóth (Institute for Literary Studies,  
Research Centre for the Humanities)

**17:15–18:15 Volker Leppin: *Reformation between Middle Ages and Early Modern Times. Concepts in Recent Research.***

**18:15–18:50 Discussion**

**18:50–18:55 Concluding remarks, closing of the event**



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