ZHUANG Fan (University of Macau)

Bio:

Zhuang Fan is currently a PhD candidate from the Department of History, University of Macau. He obtained his master's and bachelor's degree from Sun Yat-sen University. From April 2022 to August 2023, he was a research student at Kyoto University, Japan. Zhuang's research interests include the intellectual history of modern China, and the history of Sino-Japanese relations. His doctoral dissertation focuses on Luo Zhenyu and Wang Guowei, who were precursors to the modern historical studies and archaeology in China, to re-contextualize their scholarship in a global perspective.

Project:

During his stay at Göttingen, Zhuang Fan will learn the history of European scholarship, specifically philology, antiquarianism, and historiography, to explore further for the global intellectual context in the late 19th and early 20th century. With a comparative perspective, he will particularly examine Wang Guowei's views on German philosophy and Japanese sinology, to analyze underlying conceptual and methodological connections in Wang's scholarship.

Period of stay:

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