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Preview

Temple Treasures of a Sacred Mountain

Daigo-ji - the Secret Buddhism in Japan

25 April - new: 24 August 2008

On display in Germany for the first time is the magnificent temple treasure from one of the most ancient monasteries in Japan: Daigo-ji. The exhibition shows 160 outstanding works, including large sculptures, valuable paintings and scrolls, exquisite ritual objects, artistic calligraphy, sutras the sacred writings of Buddhism and historical documents, of which an hitherto unseen contingent of national treasures and important cultural property. The exhibition offers viewers an introduction to the esoteric Buddhism of Japan and showcases the mountain monastery Daigo-ji as a first-class culture bearer, also a UNESCO World Heritage Site since 1994. The Daigo-ji monastery south of Kyoto with a history reaching back more than 1100 years was founded in 874 B.C. The monastery has been preserved up to our day as one of the most influential religious centres and pilgrimage site.

Rome and the Barbarians

Europe during the Migration Period

22 August - 7 December 2008

Gandhara The Buddhist Legacy of Pakistan

Legends, Monasteries, and Paradise

21 November 2008 - 15 March 2009

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