Nomadic ruler mirror in the steppe sources – lecture

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external and internal qualities had been expected from them, what tasks had been assigned to the ruler, and how a clan society had to be organized. The lecture will also discuss



[3]the special clan characteristics of the clans mentioned in the source.

Orientalists in NSZL
Main aim of the lectures, discussions and book presentations, to be held once in a month and starting at 5 p.m. on Wednesdays, is to provide the general public with state-of-the-art knowledge on issues covering various fields and periods, and on the latest research results by lectures delivered by internationally renowned Hungarian researchers.
Lectures of the previous seasons [4]

Date: February 21, 2018, 5 p.m.
Venue: National Széchényi Library, Wing "F" of Buda Royal Palace, 4–5–6 Szent György Square, H-1014 Budapest
Admission is free.

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