



Treasures of the Silk Road

10am 19th March 2018

2 sessions of 45 minutes at
The Newcastle Club, 40 Newcomen Street, Newcastle
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The Silk Road extended over 8,000 kms from China through Central Asia to the Mediterranean. With the Greek invasion of Alexander the Great, early Persian routes spread East towards India, until stability finally allowed the Chinese to trade silk, jade and ceramics in exchange for horses, pearls and gold. Silk was just one of the many products traded for 1,400 years, but the route also acted as a highway for beliefs, ideas, inventions and art.

First session: China, the East and Central Asia
 Second session: Iran, the Levant and Near East



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