Disrupting Buddhist circular economies: excess and abandonment in contemporary Japan

Fact Sheet

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Project description

Tackling excess and abandonment of Buddhist circular economies in contemporary Japan

Buddhism and anti-materialism may go hand in hand for many, but the EU-funded REFUSE project will establish that Buddhist materiality drives Buddhist circular economies. REFUSE will explore how material exchanges, particularly with local temples, result in excess and abandonment practices in contemporary post-growth Japan and how Buddhist giving can challenge the viability of the circular economy ideal by generating waste. The project will shed light on the connection between contemporary Buddhism and Buddhist practices for processing accumulation and abandonment of Buddhist gifts and the waste-making impacts of religious activity.
Fields of science

social sciences > economics and business > economics > sustainable economy

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Topic(s)

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