

ESSENTIALS OF PURE LAND BUDDHISM

NEMBUTSU, SHINJIN AND BIRTH IN THE PURE LAND

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In the seminar, Professor Arai will cover an English translation of the Saihō Shinan-shō, or A Guide to the Pure Land in the West (tr. Arai), which Shinran compiled. Only recently have more researchers of Shinran's thought paid attention to this voluminous work. Essential topics of Shin understanding such as nembutsu, shinjin (faith/trusting) and attaining birth in the Pure Land will be discussed.

Please join us to encounter the gem-like words of Honen and Shinran.