



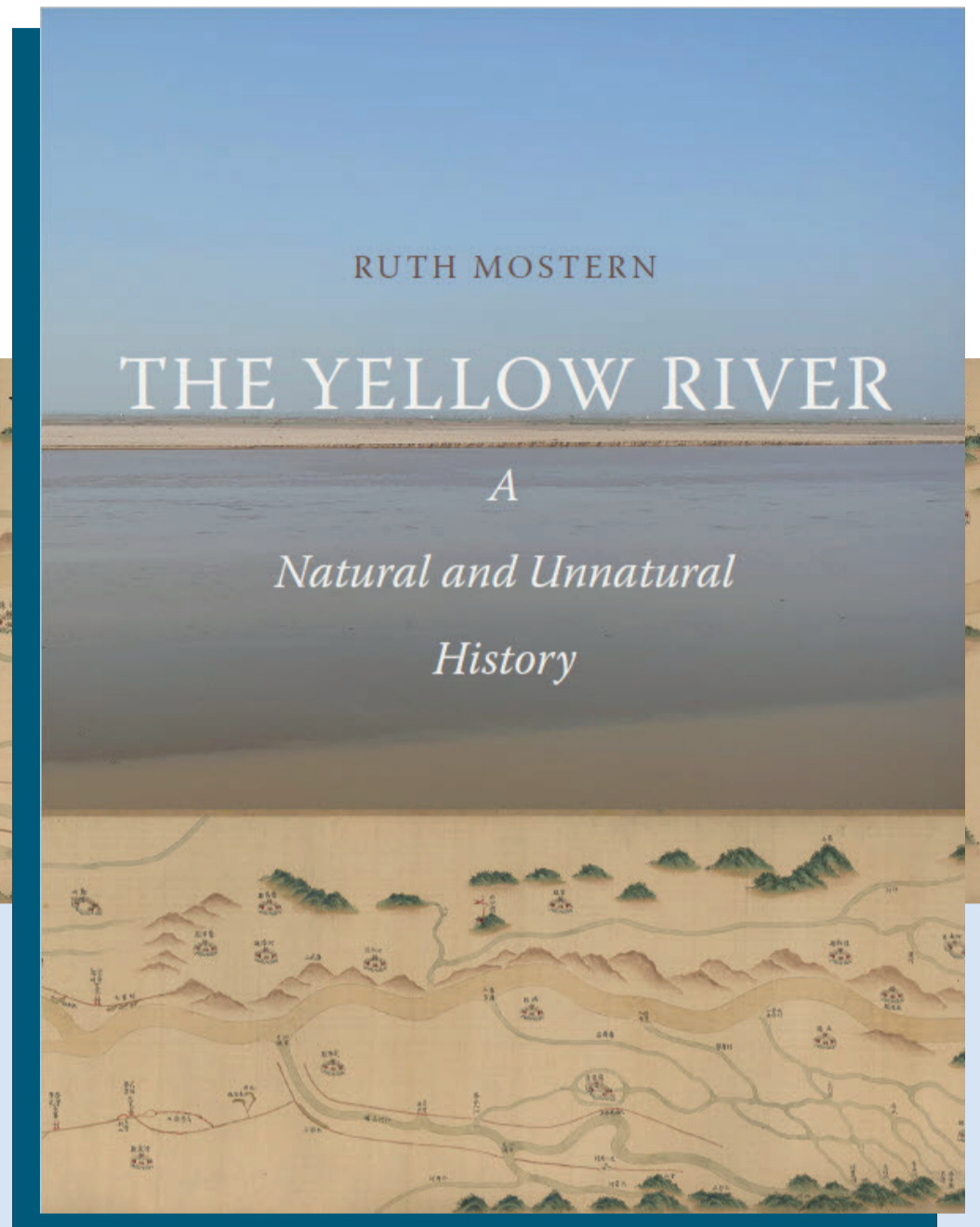
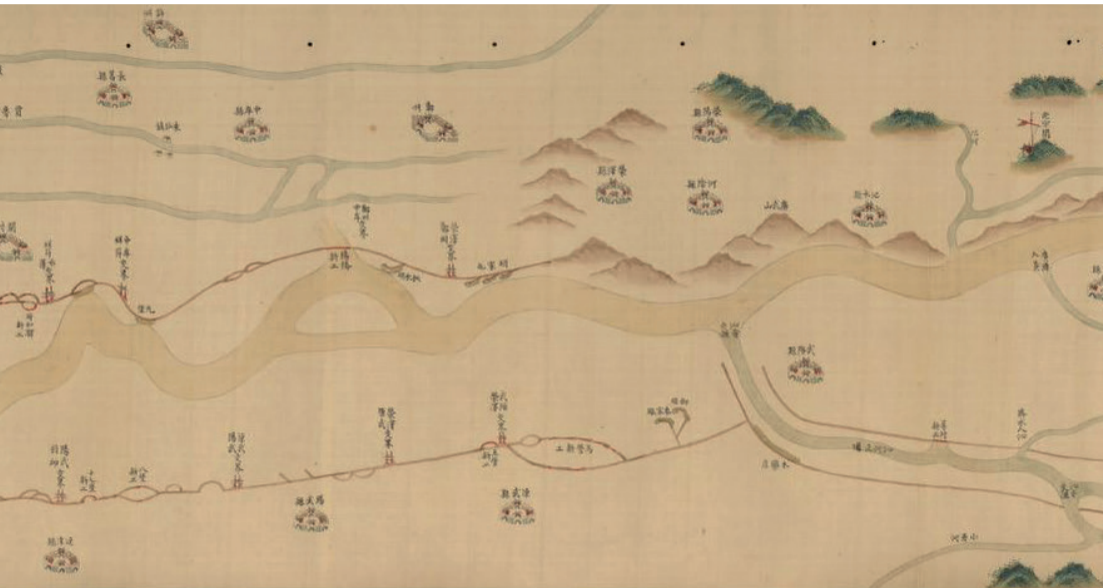
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The Yellow River: A Natural and Unnatural History

Ruth Mostern
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November 12th, 4 pm

The event will be held on Zoom.

Participants can register here:

https://unive.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZUpfuyuqTkpEtO-eWfPkjIDl49de4Eulg_m

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