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Reimagining a History of Islam in Africa (South of the Sahara)

Message from the Guest Editor

The history of Islam in Africa, since its spread in the 7th century, has always been in the “process of negotiation and adjustment”, through its interaction with multiple traditions – African cultures, the colonial experience, African responses, and African Muslim diasporic experiences. Papers should focus on the study of the spread, growth and impact of Islam in Africa, particularly in areas South of the Sahara. Scholars are encouraged to examine connections between regions, the impact of external forces, such as colonial encroachment diasporic experiences, on these areas, or the varied African responses to these phenomena. I look forward to receiving your submissions.

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