

## Call for Proposals

This Consultation, in its third year, seeks to foment new methodologies and new subjects of study in the interdisciplinary analysis of Latina/o religions, keeping pace with the vibrant developments within the religious traditions of the Americas. We are interested in the following topics:

- The year “2012,” which has become a contested discursive arena of myths and histories
- The (re)emergence of indigenous epistemologies of the Americas (for a possible joint session with the [Indigenous Religious Traditions Group](#) )
- Drawing the connections between Indigenous, Chicana/o, Latina/o, identities
- Days of the Dead in California

## Mission

This is a new Consultation, founded in 2009, fostering interdisciplinary and theoretically innovative analyses of Latina/o religiosities and spiritualities in the Americas. Our goal is to advance knowledge and ways of knowing that expand traditional areas of religious studies with respect to Latina/o communities, mindful of transnational and global realities. Thus, we encourage studies that explore non-Western beliefs and practices, including indigenous, African-diasporic, Buddhist, and Islam, as well as those that advance more complex understanding of culturally-hybrid Christianities. We wish to foster dialogue that is respectful of the culturally different theological understandings of the sacred within different traditional or emerging spiritualities. We encourage feminist- and queer-centered perspectives, as well as thought rooted in community experience.

## Anonymity of Review Process

Proposer names are visible to Chairs but anonymous to Steering Committee Members.

## Questions?


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