

Call for Proposals

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- What have Hindus and Jews to do with each other? — comparison as critical interrogation
- Esotericism and eroticism in Kabbalah and Tantra
- Cosmograms and mandalas — mapping cosmologies and divinities
- Authority and hermeneutics in Hindu and Jewish law
- Women's purity practices and other ritual disciplines

Proposals on other topics are also welcome. We strongly encourage prearranged session proposals in the form of thematic paper sessions or roundtables.

Mission

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Anonymity of Review Process

Proposer names are **visible** to Chairs but **anonymous** to Steering Committee members.

Questions?

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