

Call for Proposals

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The theme for the next conference will be “Revisiting Desire in a Globalized World.” To be considered, a proposal must be of a comparative nature and involve a non-Western religion.

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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