Ibadi Islam: A Critical Examination of Sources

JUNE 24 - 28
Simon Fraser University, Harbour Centre
515 West Hastings Street
Welcome you to the 3rd Ibadi Summer School
held at the Harbor Centre, SFU, Vancouver.

The Summer Schools on Ibadism examine and present the fundamentals of Islam and Ibadism through a historical, juridical, literary and religious overview. They aim at discussing the essentials and the pacifistic dimension of Ibadism within the framework of North Africa and Middle East historical and geo-political context.

This 3rd summer school will survey and critically examine Ibadi sources, from the early period until the present. Students and researchers will become familiar with these sources, and understand the context in which they have developed and have been used.

From this perspective, the Summer School will address, in a comparative and multidisciplinary perspective, the following issues:

- Presentation of Ibadi Source, Past and Present
- Ibadi Sources in the Context of the Broader Islamic Historiography
- Ibadi Historical Narratives and Identity Construction
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| 10 - 10:30 AM| WELCOME AND INTRODUCTION  
Amal Ghazal, Director, Centre for Comparative Muslim Studies, SFU  
Ersilia Francesca, University of Naples “L’Orientale”  
Angeliki Ziaka, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki |
| 10:30 - 11:30 AM| ORIGINS OF THE IBADIYYA I – THE KHARJITE CONNECTION  
Adam Gaiser, Florida State University |
| 11:30 - 12 PM| COFFEE BREAK                                                            |
| 12 - 1:30 PM| IBADI THEOLOGY  
Valerie Hoffman, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign |
| 1:30 - 2:30 PM| LUNCH BREAK                                                            |
| 2:30 - 4 PM| STUDENT PRESENTATIONS  
Salah Bahmani, The revolt of Abū Yazīd al-Nuqṭārī through Ibadī  
Jana Newiger, Teaching Ethics in Early Ibadism |
| 4 - 4:30 PM| STUDENT PRESENTATIONS  
Enki Baptiste, Theories and Practices of Power in Medieval Omani Ibadism (8th-10th centuries)  
Mohammad Shabeer, Concept of Masalik al-Din in the historical Progress of Imamate: a Study on Ibadiyya in 600s and 700s C.E |
| 4:30 - 6 PM| STUDENT PRESENTATIONS  
Ziyad al-Malawi, College of Shari’a Sciences, Muscat, Sultanate of Oman, Globalizing Ibadism: E-learning degrees at Sharia Institute |
| 6 PM       | DINNER                                                                 |

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| 10 - 11:30 AM| EARLY IBADI LAW: DISCUSSING SOURCES AND CASE STUDIES  
Ersilia Francesca, University of Naples “L’Orientale” |
| 11:30 - 12 PM| COFFEE BREAK                                                            |
| 12 - 1:30 PM| ORIGINS OF THE IBADIYYA II – COMPETING NARRATIVES OF IBADI ORIGINS  
Adam Gaiser, Florida State University |
| 1:30 - 2:30 PM| LUNCH BREAK                                                            |
| 2:30 - 4 PM| STUDENT PRESENTATIONS  
Jawad Qureshi, Will discuss how the summer program informs his teaching and research on Islamic theology and kalam schools  
AbulBaisit Zafar, Will discuss how the summer program informs his research on the essence of the human being in Mutazilite thought. |
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Adam Gaiser, Florida State University |
| 11:30 - 12 PM| COFFEE BREAK                                                            |
| 12 - 1:30 PM| IBADISM AND POLITICS IN THE 19TH AND 20TH CE  
Valerie Hoffman, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign |
| 1:30 - 2:30 PM| LUNCH BREAK                                                            |
| 2:30 - 4 PM| IBADIS AND REASONING THROUGH THE EARLY SOURCES  
Angeliki Ziaka, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki |
| 4 - 4:30 PM| COFFEE BREAK                                                            |
| 4:30 - 6 PM| TBD                                                                      |
| 6 PM       | DINNER Hosted by the Dean’s Office, PASS SFU                             |
Acknowledgments

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