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Understanding Shari'a: Perfect Past, Imperfect Present

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Uses of the Past in Islamic Law

27th – 29th September 2018
Institute of Arab and Islamic Studies
University of Exeter

Draft Programme

Wednesday 26th - Thursday 27th September – Participants arrive

Thursday 27th September

1200 Lunch

1400 Panel 1

Welcome Panel: Understanding Shari'a: Past Perfect, Imperfect Present

Robert Gleave and Omar Anchassi – *University of Exeter*

Irene Schneider and Nijmi Edres – *Gottingen University*

Leon Buskens and Mahmood Kooria – *University of Leiden*

Knut Vikor and Eirik Hovden – *University of Bergen*

1530 Tea/Coffee

1600 Panel 2

Uses of the Past and the Methodology of Islamic Legal Studies (Chair: Rob Gleave)

1800 Close



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Friday 28th September

0900 Panel 3

Gender, Islamic Law and Uses of the Past (1) (Chair: Irene Schneider)

1100 Tea/Coffee

1130 Panel 4

Gender, Islamic Law and Uses of the Past (2) (Chair: Nijmi Edres)

1300 Lunch

1400 Panel 5

Maşlaḥa and Uses of the Past (Chair: TBC)

1600 Tea/Coffee

1630 Panel 6

Sex, Sexual Violence and Uses of the Past (Chair: Omar Anchassi)

1800 Close



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Saturday 29th September

0900 Panel 7

Customising the Sharia: Matrilineal Muslims and their Uses of Islamic Legal Past (Chair: Mahmood Kooria)

1100 Tea/Coffee

1130 Panel 8

Uses of the Past and Imamate Traditions (Chair: Knut Vikor)

1300 Lunch

1400 Panel 9

The Invention and Uses of Customary Law (Chair: Leon Buskens)

1600 Tea/Coffee

1630 Panel 10

Jihad and Uses of the Past (Chair: Rob Gleave)

1800 Closing Remarks: The Project Team



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