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Abbasid Belles Lettres 1990-03-30 this volume of the cambridge history of arabic literature covers artistic prose and poetry produced in the heartland and provinces of the abbasid empire during the second great period of arabic literature from the mid eighth to the thirteenth centuries ad

Oxford, Cambridge 1895 the first volume in a three volume set this is a study of the rise of persian sufi spirituality and literature in islam during the first six muslim centuries this collection of 24 essays covers the key achievements of the muslim intellectual and cultural tradition in history mysticism philosophy and poetry it demonstrates the positive role played by sufi thinkers during this period the subjects covered include sufi masters and schools literature and poetry spiritual chivalry divine love persian sufi literature rumi and attar

Literary Gazette and Journal of Belles Lettres, Arts, Sciences, Etc 1820 a major translation achievement this anthology presents a rich assortment of classical arabic poems and literary prose from pre islamic times until the eighteenth century with short introductions to guide non specialist students and informative endnotes and bibliography for advanced scholars both entertaining and informative classical arabic literature ranges from the early bedouin poems with their evocation of desert life to refined urban lyrical verse from tender love poetry to sonorous eulogy and vicious lampoon and from the heights of mystical rapture to the frivolity of comic verse prose selections include anecdotes entertaining or edifying tales and parables a fairy tale a bawdy story samples of literary criticism and much more with this anthology distinguished arabist geert jan van gelder brings together well known texts as well as less familiar pieces new even to

scholars classical arabic literature reveals the rich variety of pre modern arabic social and cultural life where secular texts flourished alongside religious ones this masterful anthology introduces this vibrant literary heritage including pieces translated into english for the first time to a wide spectrum of new readers an english only edition

The Heritage of Sufism 2018-04-30 great statesmen and gentlemen men of honor and rank seem to be phenomena of a bygone aristocratic era aristocracies which emphasize rank and value difference quality beauty rootedness continuity stand in direct contrast to democracies which value equality autonomy novelty standardization quantity utility and mobility is there any place for aristocratic values and virtues in the modern democratic social and political order this volume consists of essays by political theorists historians and literary theorists that explore this question in the works of aristocratic thinkers both ancient and modern the volume includes analyses of aristocratic virtues interpretations of aristocratic assemblies and constitutions both historic and contemporary as well as critiques of liberal virtues and institutions essays on tacitus hobbes burke toqueville nietzsche as well as some lesser known figures such as henri de Boulainvilliers John Randolph of Roanoke Louis de Bonald Konstantin Leontiev Jose Ortega y Gasset Richard Weaver and the eighth duke of Northumberland explore ways of preserving and adapting the salutary aspects of the aristocratic ethos to the needs of modern liberal societies Moreana 1963 the 13th century sufi poet Farid al-Din Attar is renowned as an author of short lyrics written in the persian language dealing with themes of love passion and mysticism this book presents the english versions of Attar's poetry it also offers an analysis of Attar's poetic language and thought

Classical Arabic Literature 2012-12-01 this book focuses on the complex ways in which architectural practice theory patronage and experience became modern with the rise of a mass public and a reconfigured public sphere between the end of the seventeenth century and the french revolution presenting a fresh theoretical orientation and a large body of new primary research this book offers a new cultural history of virtually all the major monuments of eighteenth century parisian architecture with detailed analyses of the public debates that erupted around such parisian monuments as the east facade of the louvre the place louis xv the place de la concorde and the church of sainte genevieve the pantheon depicting the passage of architecture into a mediatized public culture as a turning point and interrogating it as a symptom of the distinctly modern configuration of individual society and space that emerged during this period this study will interest readers well beyond the discipline of architectural history

Aristocratic Souls in Democratic Times 2018-05-07 avery explores the psychology of altered states among the early sufis it examines samâ listening to ritual recitation music and certain other aural phenomena and its effect in inducing unusual states of consciousness and behaviours the focus is on the earliest personalities of the islamic mystical tradition as mediated by texts from the tenth to the twelfth centuries c e these unusual states are interpreted in the light of current research in western psychology and also in terms of their integration into historical islamic culture a psychology of early sufi samâ provides new insights into the work of five sufi authors and a fresh approach to the relation between historical accounts of altered states and current psychological thinking

The London Literary Gazette and Journal of Belles Lettres, Arts, Sciences, Etc

1826 the expression the zola of sculpture was coined in the circles of the royal academy in the 1880s as a term of abuse rodin the zola of sculpture reveals how the appraisal of rodin in british culture was shaped by controversies around the literary models of zola and baudelaire in a period when negative notions about french culture were being progressively transformed into positive expressions of modern sculpture embedded within this collaborative book is the editor s proposition that rodin came to play an important role in the cultural politics of the entente cordiale at a critical juncture of european history encompassing new scholarship in several disciplines drawn from both sides of the channel rodin the zola of sculpture offers the first in depth account of rodin s career in britain in the period 1880 1914 and weaves this historical trajectory into a complex investigation of the interactions between french and british cultures the authors examine the cultural agencies in which conceptions of rodin s practice played a defining role dealing in turn with artists professional associations art criticism private and public collectors and the education of women sculptors

Fifty Poems of Attar 2007 in cities from boston to charleston elite men and women of eighteenth century british america came together in private venues to script a polite culture by examining their various texts conversations letters newspapers and privately circulated manuscripts david shields reconstructs the discourse of civility that flourished in and further shaped elite society in british america

Architecture, Print Culture and the Public Sphere in Eighteenth-Century France 2007 paramount in the shaping of early byzantine identity was the construction of the church of hagia sophia in constantinople 532 537 ce this book examines the edifice from the

perspective of aesthetics to define the concept of beauty and the meaning of art in early byzantium byzantine aesthetic thought is re evaluated against late antique neoplatonism and the writings of pseudo dionysius that offer fundamental paradigms for the late antique attitude towards art and beauty these metaphysical concepts of aesthetics are ultimately grounded in experiences of sensation and perception and reflect the ways in which the world and reality were perceived and grasped signifying the cultural identity of early byzantium there are different types of aesthetic data those present in the aesthetic object and those found in aesthetic responses to the object this study looks at the aesthetic data embodied in the sixth century architectural structure and interior decoration of hagia sophia as well as in literary responses ekphrasis to the building the purpose of the byzantine ekphrasis was to convey by verbal means the same effects that the artefact itself would have caused a literary analysis of these rhetorical descriptions recaptures the byzantine perception and expectations and at the same time reveals the cognitive processes triggered by the great church the central aesthetic feature that emerges from sixth century ekphraseis of hagia sophia is that of light light is described as the decisive element in the experience of the sacred space and light is simultaneously associated with the notion of wisdom it is argued that the concepts of light and wisdom are interwoven programmatic elements that underlie the unique architecture and non figurative decoration of hagia sophia a similar concern for the phenomenon of light and its epistemological dimension is reflected in other contemporary monuments testifying to the pervasiveness of these aesthetic values in early byzantium

A Psychology of Early Sufi Samâ` 2004-08-05 eric j goldberg traces the long history of

early medieval hunting from the late roman empire to the death of the last carolingian king louis v in a hunting accident in 987 he focuses chiefly on elite men and the changing role that hunting played in articulating kingship status and manhood in the post roman world while hunting was central to elite lifestyles throughout these centuries the carolingians significantly altered this aristocratic activity in the later eighth and ninth centuries by making it a key symbol of frankish kingship and political identity this new connection emerged under charlemagne reached its high point under his son and heir louis the pious and continued under louis s immediate successors indeed the emphasis on hunting as a badge of royal power and frankishness would prove to be among the carolingians most significant and lasting legacies goldberg draws on written sources such as chronicles law codes charters hagiography and poetry as well as artistic and archaeological evidence to explore the changing nature of early medieval hunting and its connections to politics and society featuring more than sixty illustrations of hunting imagery found in mosaics stone sculpture metalwork and illuminated manuscripts in the manner of the franks portrays a vibrant and dynamic culture that encompassed red deer and wild boar hunting falconry ritualized behavior female spectatorship and complex forms of specialized knowledge that united kings and nobles in a shared political culture thus locating the origins of courtly hunting in the early middle ages

Rodin 2017-07-05 second edition of the history of islamic political thought that traces its roots from early islam to the current age of fundamentalism 622 ad to 2010 ad

Civil Tongues and Polite Letters in British America 1997 includes part 1 number 1 books and pamphlets including serials and contributions to periodicals january june

Hagia Sophia and the Byzantine Aesthetic Experience 2014-11-28 an exploration of the thought of Gilles Deleuze and its relevance to theology

In the Manner of the Franks 2020-10-16 Suleiman's book considers national identity in relation to language the way in which language can be manipulated to signal political cultural or historical difference as a language with a long recorded heritage and one spoken by the majority of those in the Middle East in various dialects Arabic is a particularly appropriate vehicle for such an investigation it is also a penetrating device for exploring the conflicts of the Middle East this is a well-crafted well-organized and eloquent book Karin Ryding Georgetown University

History of Islamic Political Thought 2011-07-19 an accessible introduction to Arabic literature from the fifth century to the present

Catalog of Copyright Entries. Third Series 1963 how did Iran remain distinctively Iranian in the centuries which followed the Arab conquest how did it retain its cultural distinctiveness after the displacement of Zoroastrianism state religion of the Persian Empire by Islam this latest volume in the Idea of Iran series traces that critical moment in Iranian history which followed the transformation of ancient traditions during the country's conversion and initial Islamic period distinguished contributors who include the late Oleg Grabar Roy Mottahedeh Alan Williams and Said Amir Arjomand discuss from a variety of literary artistic religious and cultural perspectives the years around the end of the first millennium CE when the political strength of the Abbasid Caliphate was on the wane and when the eastern lands of the Islamic Empire began to be taken on a fresh Persianate or Perso-Islamic character one of the paradoxes of this era is that the establishment

throughout the eastern islamic territories of new turkish dynasties coincided with the genesis and spread into central and south asia of vibrant new persian language and literatures exploring the nature of this paradox separate chapters engage with ideas of kingship authority and identity and their fascinating expression through the written word architecture and the visual arts

Deleuze and Theology 2012-11-22 vol 30 includes the first half century of the essex institute and list of present members

A Bibliographical Guide to the Romance Languages and Literatures 1946 adam smith in his the theory of moral sentiments largely left his readers to develop his argument s full implications many philosophers famously did so including mary wollstonecraft thomas paine and john millar among others but less known are sophie de grouchy s own contributions presented here alone in translation grouchy 1764 1822 published her letters on sympathy in 1798 together with her french translation of the theory of moral sentiments while grouchy s letters mainly engage critically with smith s philosophical analysis of sympathy they offer valuable perspectives and original thoughts about the relationship of emotional and moral development to legal economic and political reform in particular grouchy sought to understand how the mechanisms of sympathy could help the development of new social and political institutions after the revolution her letters further contain profound reflections on the dangers of demagoguery the nature of tragedy and the roles of love and friendship though ostensibly a commentary on smith the letters stand in their own right as significant and original contributions to political philosophy this new translation by sandrine bergès of a text by a forgotten female philosopher illuminates new

inroads to enlightenment and feminist thought and reveals insights that were far ahead of their time the volume includes a critical introduction explanatory notes and a glossary of terms to provide critical and historical analysis for the novice reader

A War of Words 2004-06-10 how did muslims of the classical islamic period understand their past what value did they attach to history how did they write history how did historiography fare relative to other kinds of arabic literature these and other questions are answered in chafe f robinson s islamic historiography an introduction to the principal genres issues and problems of islamic historical writing in arabic that stresses the social and political functions of historical writing in the islamic world beginning with the origins of the tradition in the eighth and ninth centuries and covering its development until the beginning of the sixteenth century this is an authoritative and yet accessible guide through a complex and forbidding field which is intended for readers with little or no background in islamic history or arabic

An Introduction to Arabic Literature 2000-07-13 what are the relevant conceptualities and terminologies marking the coupling of religion and medical interpretations of illness in different religions such as judaism islam buddhism and christianity how do religious orientations influence courses of a disease how do experiences of illness change images of the divine in late modernity this collection of essays from a symposium held at the international research institute of the university of heidelberg examines connections between religious and medical interpretations of illness in different cultures in order to suggest criteria for coupling religion and medicine in ways that enhance rather than diminish life by discerning which relationships between religion and medicine appear to

be beneficial and which harmful the book as a whole proposes criteria that are not limited to a single scientific approach cultural tradition or time period such as the present the book has four parts which deal with islamic medicine chinese medicine and the relationship between religion and medicine in both jewish and christian traditions all chapters cover from antiquity to the present

Va Lettre Va 1995 insights into power spectacle and performance in the courts of middle eastern rulers in recent decades scholars have produced much new research on courtly life in medieval europe but studies on imperial and royal courts across the middle east have received much less attention particularly for courts before 1500ad in the presence of power however sheds new light on courtly life across the region this insightful exploratory collection of essays uncovers surprising commonalities across a broad swath of cultures the pre modern period in this volume includes roughly seven centuries opening with the first dynasty of islam the umayyads whose reign marked an important watershed for late antique culture and closing with the rule of the so called gunpowder empires of the ottomans and safavids over much of the near east in the sixteenth century in between this volume locates similarities across the western medieval byzantine and islamicate courtly cultures spanning a vast history and geography to demonstrate the important cross pollinations that occurred between their literary and cultural legacies this study does not presume the presence of one shared courtly institution across time and space but rather seeks to understand the different ways in which contemporaries experienced and spoke about these places of power and performance adopting a very broad view of performances in the presence of power includes exuberant expressions of love in arabic stories shadow

plays in mamluk cairo byzantine storytelling religious food traditions in christian cyprus
advice and political and ethnographic performances of power

Early Islamic Iran 2011-11-08 spatial variation and patterning in the distribution of artefacts are topics of fundamental significance in balkan archaeology for decades archaeologists have classified spatial clusters of artefacts into discrete cultures which have been conventionally treated as bound entities and equated with past social or ethnic groups this timely volume fulfils the need for an up to date and theoretically informed dialogue on group identity in balkan prehistory thirteen case studies covering the beginning of the neolithic to the middle bronze age and written by archaeologists conducting fieldwork in the region as well as by ethnologists with a research focus on material culture and identity provide a robust foundation for exploring these issues bringing together the latest research with a particular intentional focus on the central and western balkans this collection offers original perspectives on balkan prehistory with relevance to the neighbouring regions of eastern and central europe the mediterranean and anatolia balkan dialogues challenges long established interpretations in the field and provides a new contextualised reading of the archaeological record of this region

Bulletin of the Essex Institute 1879 the oxford handbook of late antiquity offers an innovative overview of a period c 300 700 ce that has become increasingly central to scholarly debates over the history of western and middle eastern civilizations this volume covers such pivotal events as the fall of rome the rise of christianity the origins of islam and the early formation of byzantium and the european middle ages these events are set in the context of widespread literary artistic cultural and religious change during the period

the geographical scope of this handbook is unparalleled among comparable surveys of late antiquity arabia egypt central asia and the balkans all receive dedicated treatments while the scope extends to the western kingdoms and north africa in the west furthermore from economic theory and slavery to greek and latin poetry syriac and coptic literature sites of religious devotion and many others this handbook covers a wide range of topics that will appeal to scholars from a diverse array of disciplines the oxford handbook of late antiquity engages the perennially valuable questions about the end of the ancient world and the beginning of the medieval while providing a much needed touchstone for the study of late antiquity itself

Annual Survey of Education in Canada 1926 centres of learning deals with the relation between learning and the locations in which that learning is carried out it is the editors belief that the character and in part the content of a particular aspect of learning is determined or at least influenced by the circumstances in which the learning process takes place the contributions in this book deal with various aspects of learning in a broad historical and geographical perspective which ranges from ancient babylon via classical greece and rome and the middle east both christian and islamic through to the latin and vernacular cultures of the christian west in the middle ages and the early renaissance

Sophie de Grouchy's Letters on Sympathy 2019-06-17 accessible exploration of the noteworthy scientific career of james smithson who left his fortune to establish the smithsonian institution james smithson is best known as the founder of the smithsonian institution but few people know his full and fascinating story he was a widely respected chemist and mineralogist and a member of the royal society but in 1865 his letters

collection of 10 000 minerals and more than 200 unpublished papers were lost to a fire in the smithsonian castle his scientific legacy was further written off as insignificant in an 1879 essay published through the smithsonian fifty years after his death a claim that author steven turner demonstrates is far from the truth by providing scientific and intellectual context to his work the science of james smithson is a comprehensive tribute to smithson s contributions to his fields including chemistry mineralogy and more this detailed narrative illuminates smithson and his quest for knowledge at a time when chemists still debated thing as basic as the nature of fire and struggled to maintain their networks amid the ever changing conditions of the french revolution and the napoleonic wars

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