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Arabic Emotions in the Premodern Period. Reflections on the State of the Field and Challenges

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The History of Emotions is a well-established field of research in Western historiography. However, it is only in the last ten years that approaches borrowed from this discipline have been considered also in Arabic and Islamic Studies. This presentation reviews the current state of knowledge and discusses the challenges faced by historians of precolonial Islamicate societies. A focus on anger(s) (ghaḍab), then, will help address some of these methodological and conceptual questions.



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