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IAS SCHOLARS IN NEAR AND MIDDLE EASTERN STUDIES, PAST AND PRESENT: A DIRECTORY

This directory has been compiled on the basis of various sources. For the early years, *The Institute for Advanced Study: Publications of Members 1930–1954* (Princeton: Princeton University Press, 1955) proved to be an excellent source. For the period 1933 through 1980, the publication *A Community of Scholars: The Institute for Advanced Study, Faculty and Members 1930–1980* (Princeton: Institute for Advanced Study, 1980) has been consulted. For the period from 1980 through 1990, lists of members, visitors, and assistants in the Institute’s annual reports include information on the respective disciplines of the scholars, as do the annual photo directories of the School of Historical Studies that have been produced for the academic year 1987–1988 and from 1990–1991 onwards on an annual basis. The School of Social Science lists all of its past members and visitors, including their topics of research, on its website at https://www.sss.ias.edu/people/past-scholars, and its current scholars at https://www.sss.ias.edu/current-scholars-2017-18. Past members in Near Eastern and Islamic Studies in the School of Historical Studies since 1990 are listed at https://www.hs.ias.edu/islamic_past_members. In addition, the database that includes all IAS scholars, past and present, at https://www.ias.edu/scholars/all-scholars has been regularly consulted.

Kazim Abdullaev, member in the School of Historical Studies, 2004 (Archaeology and Art of the Hellenistic and Post-Hellenistic Period in Central Asia)

Firouza Abdullaeva, member in the School of Historical Studies, 2002 (Iranian Philology, Persian Art, Persian Language and Literature, and Islamic Studies)

Lila Abu-Lughod, member in the School of Social Science, 1987–1988 (Feminist Theory and Middle East Ethnography)

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Rodrigo Adem, visitor to the School of Historical Studies (Shii Studies Research Program), 2017 (Shii Studies)

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Magda Al-Nowaihi, member in the School of Historical Studies, 1999–2000 (Classical and Modern Arabic Literature)

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Lalaie Ameeriar, member in the School of Social Science, 2016–2017 (Saving Muslim Women: Forced Marriage and Honor Killing among Muslim Immigrants in London, UK)

Lisa Anderson, member in the School of Social Science, 1993–1994 (Political Liberalization in the Arab World)

Nathanael Andrade, member in the School of Historical Studies, 2012–2013 (Syriac Studies)

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John Baines, member in the School of Historical Studies, 2009–2010 (Egyptology)
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Alexander Bauer, member in the School of Historical Studies, 2017 (Near Eastern Archaeology)
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Paul-Alain Beaulieu, member in the School of Historical Studies, 2000–2001 (Assyriology and Ancient Near Eastern Languages and History)
Adam Beaver, member in the School of Historical Studies, 2014–2015 (Spanish-Egyptian Relations in the Late Middle Ages and Renaissance)
Aditya Behl, member in the School of Historical Studies, 2007–2008 (Islamic Studies and South Asia, Muslim Poetry and Sufi Thought)
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Robert N. Bellah, member in the School of Social Science, 1972–1973 (Islamic Religions)
Jonathan Berkey, member in the School of Historical Studies, 1994–1995 (Medieval Islamic History)
Paul Bernard, member in the School of Historical Studies, 1971–1972 (Iranian Archeology and Epigraphy)
Alan Bernstein, member in the School of Historical Studies, 2001–2002 (Comparative History of Belief in Hell in the European Middle Ages, including Christian, Jewish, and Muslim Beliefs)
Michal Biran, member in the School of Historical Studies, 2001–2002 (Inner Asian Muslims and China and the Muslim World)
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Antoine Borrut, member in the School of Historical Studies, 2016–2017 (Early Islamic History and Historiography)
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torical Studies, since 2006 (Greek, Roman, and Near Eastern History and Culture)

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Yuri Bregel, member in the School of Historical Studies, 1977–1978 (History of the Muslims in Central Asia)

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Robert I. Burns, member in the School of Historical Studies, 1972 (Islam under the Crusaders: Colonial Survival in the Thirteenth-Century Kingdom of Valencia)

Guillaume Calafat, member in the School of Historical Studies, 2017–2018 (Corsican Families in Southern Europe and Ottoman North Africa, 1550s–1650s)

Matthew Canepa, member in the School of Historical Studies, 2015–2016 (Ancient Iranian Art and Archaeology)

Steven C. Caton, member in the School of Social Science, 1998–1999 (“Anger be now thy song”: The Study of and Event of War and Mediation in Yemen)

Ranabir Chakravarti, member in the School of Historical Studies, 2005–2006 (History of Maritime Trade of India in the Indian Ocean in the Light of the Geniza Documents)

Michael Chamberlain, member in the School of Historical Studies, 1994–1995 (Medieval Islamic History)

Eric Chaney, member in the School of Social Science, 2012–2013 (Ethnic Cleansing and the Long-Term Persistence of Exploitative Institutions: Evidence from the Expulsion of the Moriscos)

Alexey Chernetsov, member in the School of Historical Studies, 1998–1999 (Archaeology and Cultural History of Medieval Russia and Muslim Culture)

Jamsheed K. Choksy, member in the School of Historical Studies,
1993–1994 (Near Eastern Civilization and Islamic Culture)

Vassilios Christides, member in the School of Historical Studies, 1996–1997 (Greco-Arabic and Greco-African Studies)

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Graeme Clarke, member in the School of Historical Studies, 1997–1998 (Near Eastern Archaeology)

Amnon Cohen, member in the School of Historical Studies, 1982–1983 (Ottoman Studies)

Michael J. Cohen, member in the School of Historical Studies, 1998–1999 (Middle Eastern Politics during the Twentieth Century)

Olivia Remie Constable, member in the School of Historical Studies, 1999–2000 (History of Medieval Near East and Mediterranean World)

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Alexandra Cuffel, member in the School of Historical Studies, 2009–2010 (Shared Saints and Festivals among Jews, Christians, and Muslims in the Mediterranean, 1000–1650)

Edward Dabrowa, research assistant in the School of Historical Studies, 1991–1992 (Near Eastern Archaeology)

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Israel Gershoni, member in the School of Historical Studies, 2011–2012 (Islam and Middle Eastern History)

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Sebastian Günther, member in the School of Historical Studies, 2017–2018 (Classical Islam and Arabic Studies)

Ulrich W. Haarmann, member in the School of Historical Studies, 1986–1987, 1992 (Medieval Islamic History)

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Abdellah Hammoudi, member in the School of Social Science, 1984–1985 (Moroccan Rituals and View of Christianity)

Feras Hamza, research assistant in the School of Historical Studies, 2000–2001 (Scripturalism versus Traditionism in Early Islam)

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Will Hanley, member in the School of Historical Studies, 2017 (Islamic Legal History and Digital History)

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Kimberly Hart, member in the School of Social Science, 2010–2011 (Rural Islam, State Power, and the Efficacy of Practice)

Jane Hathaway, member in the School of Historical Studies, 1999–2000, 2016–2017 (Ottoman History)

Gerald Hawting, member in the School of Historical Studies,
Bernard Haykel, member in the School of Historical Studies, 2000–2001 (Islamic Law and Modernist Islamic Thought)

Thomas Hegghammer, member in the School of Historical Studies, 2009–2010 (Middle Eastern Studies)

Wolfhart Heinrichs, member in the School of Historical Studies, 1998–1999 (Medieval Arabic Literary Theory and Islamic Legal Theory)

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Ernst Herzfeld, faculty in the School of Humanistic Studies, 1936–1944; emeritus in the School of Humanistic Studies, 1944–1948 (Near Eastern Archeology, from Prehistoric to Islamic Times)

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Almut Hintze, member in the School of Historical Studies, 1996–1997 (Indo-Iranian Studies)

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Benjamin Isaac, member in the School of Historical Studies, 1997–1998 (Ancient History and the Roman and Byzantine Near East)


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Edward Jabra Jurji, research assistant to the School of Humanistic Studies, 1936–1938 (Arabic and Islamic Studies and Islamic Mysticism)


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nities and Multiculturalism in the Middle East)

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Dalenda Largueche, member in the School of Social Science, 2009–2010 (Behind the Veil of History, Muslim Women in Action)

Margaret Larkin, member in the School of Historical Studies, 2010–2011 (Arabic Literary History)

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Adam Lukasiewicz, member in the School of Historical Studies, 1991–1992 (Ancient Egypt and Papyrology)

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Roxani Margariti, member in the School of Historical Studies, 2005–2006 (Social and Economic History of the Medieval Middle East and the Western Indian Ocean)

Louise Marlow, member in the School of Historical Studies, 2012 (Classical Arabic and Persian Prose Literature)

Shaun E. Marmon, member in the School of Historical Studies, 1991–1993 (Islamic History)

Kevin Martin, member in the School of the Historical Studies, 2017–2018 (Cultural History of Syria)

Tomoko Masuzawa, member in the School of Social Science, 2010–2011 (Promise of the Secular:
William Robertson Smith and the Historical Constitution of Biblical Studies

Edward G. Mathews, Jr., member in the School of Historical Studies, 2001–2002 (Early Armenian and Syrian Christianity)

Rudolph Matthee, member in the School of Historical Studies, 2002–2003, 2016–2017 (Islamic Middle East, Iran in the Sixteenth–Nineteenth Centuries)

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Michaël Meeker, member in the School of Social Science, 1991–1992 (Social Reformation in Provincial Turkey: The Reworking of Ottomanist and Islamist Tradition in the Republic of Turkey)

Christopher Melchert, member in the School of Historical Studies, 1999–2000 (Islamic History)

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Afsaneh Najmabadi, member in the School of Social Science, 1994–1995 (Female Sun and Male Li-
on: The Gendered Tropes of Iranian Modernity)

Yitzhak Nakash, member in the School of Historical Studies, 1998–1999 (Near Eastern Studies)

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