

CONFERENCE

IBN TAYMIYYA'S THOUGHT: CORPUS, RECEPTION AND LEGACY

AIX-EN-PROVENCE
9TH -10TH NOVEMBER 2022



Programme

Day 1

Opening

9:00: Words of welcome

9:05: Introduction

Ibn Taymiyya and Theological and Philosophical Issues

9:15 – 10:45 Chairman: Arjan Post

- **Jon Hoover** (University of Nottingham)
Reflections on Ibn Taymiyya and God as a spatial-temporal existent
- **Safaruk Chowdhury** (Cambridge Muslim College)
Foreknowledge, Causality and Destiny: Ibn Taymiyya (d. 728/1328) on the Problem of Petitionary Prayers
- **Adrien Candiard** (Dominican Institute for Oriental Studies, Cairo)
Ibn Taymiyya et le Dieu des philosophes : la réfutation de Talḥīṣ de la Métaphysique d'Aristote de Ṭābit Ibn Qurra (m. en 288/901)

10:45-11:00 Coffee Break

Ibn Taymiyya and Jihad

11:00-12:30 Chairman: Sarah Van Eyken

- **Mehdi Berriah** (Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam)
An important and neglected epistle by Ibn Taymiyya on jihad: Qā`ida fī al-inghimās fī al-`aduww
- **Farid Bouchiba** (École Pratique des Hautes Études, Paris)
Pour quel motif les infidèles doivent-ils être combattus ? Une relecture de la théorie du ḡihād chez Ibn Taymiyya
- **Yaser Ellethy** (Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam)
Ibn Taymiyya's exegetic view of naskh and his theory of jihad

12:30– 14:00: Lunch

Reception of Ibn Taymiyya in Pre-Modern and Modern Times

14:00 – 16:00 Chairman: Mehdi Berriah

- **Nadjet Zouggar** (University of Aix-Marseille)
Ibn Taymiyya était-il hostile à l'imam `Alī (nāṣibī) ? aspects de la polémique contemporaine sur cette question

- **Sarah Van Eyken** (KU Leuven)

The legacy of Ibn Taymiyya in the theology of Muḥammad b. Aḥmad al-Saffārīnī al-Ḥanbalī (d. 1188)

- **Daoud Riffi** (Sciences Po Lille)

Du šayḥ al-islām à l'intellectuel : Réception et fonctions d'Ibn Taymiyya dans la littérature francophone

- **Kadir Gombeyaz** (Kocaeli University)

Ibn Taymiyya between Fact and Fiction in Modern Turkey -A Special Reference to the Perception of Necip Fazıl Kısakürek (1905-1983) on Ibn Taymiyya-

19:00 Diner at the restaurant Le Maharaja (16 Rue des Tanneurs, 13100 Aix-en-Provence)

Day 2

Controversy and Refutation

9:00 – 10:30 **Chairman: Nadjet Zouggar**

- **Caterina Bori** (University of Bologna)

al-Siyāsa al-sharʿiyya: a concept in history and its applications. Ibn Farḥūn al-Malikī (d. 1397) and his book for judges

- **Arjan Post** (KU Leuven)

No Peace Under Mamluk Rule: How Post-Taymiyyan Ḥanbalīs Continued to Oppose the Mutakallimūn

- **Livnat Holtzman** (Bar-Ilan University)

The Prophet's Finger: A New Perspective on Ibn Taymiyya's Trials in Damascus and Cairo

10:30-10:45 Coffee Break

Tafsīr and Hermeneutics in Ibn Taymiyya

10:45-12:00 **Chairman: Jon Hoover**

- **Pieter Coppens** (Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam)

Ibn Taymiyya's Take on Muʿāwiyya and the Making of 20th-Century Salafi Hermeneutics

- **Ahmed Oulddali** (Université Lyon 2)

Herméneutique et « contre-herméneutique » dans l'œuvre d'Ibn Taymiyya

Conclusion

12:00-12:30

Publishing process information and timeline

12:30 Lunch