Reviving the Past:
Rethinking the Abrahamic Faiths in the Arabian Nights
With Dr. Mostafa Hussein

The region that used to be home to followers of all Abrahamic religions is spoken of today as a site of estrangement and separation rather than a place for acceptance and tolerance. Texts from the pre-Modern Islamic world, however, indicate the presence of Jews, Christians, and Muslims living side by side. But what might these texts have meant for modern scholars engaged with reading works like the Arabian Nights? Join Dr. Hussein as he discusses Hebraic renderings of the Arabian Nights in modern times.

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