

Global Mormon Studies

"THIS PRISON . . . OF A CROOKED, BROKEN, SCATTERED, AND IMPERFECT LANGUAGE"



Call for papers for the Global Mormon Studies 2023 Online Conference

CALL FOR PAPERS

Throughout Mormonism's scriptural canon, individuals struggle with what Joseph Smith lamented was "this prison... of a crooked, broken, scattered, and imperfect language". Contemporary scholars, too, struggle with "imperfect language", hemmed in by disciplinary boundaries, language barriers in sources and publication outlets, and a mismatch between terms and definitions native to academic study and religious movements. Many diverse voices remain largely absent from global Mormon studies.

Suggested paper topics may include, but are not limited to:

- Cultural constraints
- History of translation
- Negotiations between 'human' and 'divine' influences
- Marginalised voices in global Mormon history

SUBMISSION GUIDELINES

Submissions should include:

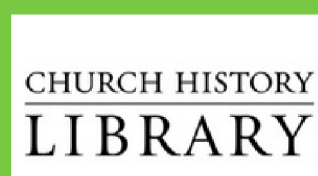
- Paper Title
- 250-300 word paper proposal
- max. 150 word bio of yourself
- Submit to:

globalmormonstudies@gmail.com

IMPORTANT DATES

24TH FEBRUARY 2023	15TH MARCH 2023	1ST APRIL 2023	2ND-3RD JUNE 2023
Paper submission deadline	Acceptance notification; conference registration for presenters begins	Conference registration for presenters ends	Conference date

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