

Program of the International Conference on  
**Feminist Re-Interpretations of Islam**

Organized by: The Oriental Institute of the Czech Academy of Sciences

Venue: The Czech Academy of Sciences, Národní 3, Praha 1, Room 205

Date: November 23, 2018

09:30-10:00 Registration and Coffee

10:00-10:15 Welcoming speech by Bronislav Ostránský and Gabriela Özel Volfová, Oriental Institute (CAS)

10:15-11:45 **Panel I: Islamic Feminism: Justice and Equality**

**Ziba Mir-Hosseini, School of Oriental and African Studies (SOAS), UK**

Who Gave Men Authority over Women? Rethinking a Legal Construct in Muslim Family Laws

**Zora Hesová, Centre for Global Studies, Czech Academy of Sciences**

Muslim, Islamic or Islamist Feminism? The Places of Religion

**Selma Muhič Dizdarevič, Charles University, Czech Republic**

Islamophobia and Women's Attitude Towards Islam, Women's Rights and Feminism in the Czech Republic

11:45-13:00 Lunch break

13:00-14:30 **Panel II: The State of the Art of Islamic Feminism in Morocco, Turkey and Iran**

**Raja Rhouni, Mohammed V University, Rabat, Morocco**

Fatima Mernissi, Islamic Feminism and the *Vivre Ensemble*

**Fatma Tutuncu, Abbant Isset Baysal University, Turkey**

Women and Religious Authority in Turkey

**Nafiseh Sharifi, University of Tehran, Iran**

Romanticising *tamkin* and the Control of Female Sexuality in Iran

14:30-15:00 Coffee break

15:00-16:30 **Panel III: Islamic Feminism: Identity, Faith and Activism**

**Nadia Jones-Gailani, Central European University (CEU), Hungary**

Who's Afraid of Islamic Feminism? Teaching at the Intersection of Faith and Feminism

**Zahra Ali, Rutgers University, USA**

Feminism and Islam(s): Decolonial and Transnational Perspectives

**Sherin Khankan, Exitcirklen, Denmark**

Institutionalization of Islamic Feminism or Women are the Future of Islam

16:30 Closing remarks



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