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Bio

BIO

Anna Bigelow is Associate Professor of Islamic Studies in the Department of Religious Studies at Stanford University. She received her MA from Columbia University (1995) and PhD in Religious Studies from UC Santa Barbara (2004) with a focus on South Asian Islam. Her book, *Sharing the Sacred: Practicing Pluralism in Muslim North India* (Oxford University Press, 2010) is a study of a Muslim majority community in Indian Punjab and the shared sacred and civic spaces in that community. Bigelow's current projects include a comparative study of shared sacred sites in India and Turkey and an edited volume on material objects in Islamic cultures.

ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

- Associate Professor, Religious Studies

Teaching

COURSES

2020-21

- Exploring Islam: RELIGST 61 (Win)
- Freedom Fighters, Terrorists, and Social Justice Warriors: Protest and Decolonization in South Asia: RELIGST 118 (Spr)
- Theories and Methods: RELIGST 304A (Win)

2019-20

- Exploring Islam: RELIGST 61 (Aut)
- Islam and Material Culture: RELIGST 234, RELIGST 334 (Win)
- Religion and Conflict: RELIGST 119 (Win)

STANFORD ADVISEES

Doctoral Dissertation Reader (AC)

jem Jebbia, Saad Lakhani

Publications

PUBLICATIONS

- **Defending Muhammad in Modernity. (Book Review)** *JOURNAL OF ASIAN STUDIES*
Book Review Authored by: Bigelow, A.
2020; 79 (4): 1049–50

- **Lived Secularism: Studies in India and Turkey** *JOURNAL OF THE AMERICAN ACADEMY OF RELIGION*
Bigelow, A.
2019; 87 (3): 725–64