

Special Issue

Colonial Intimacies: Families and Family Life in the British Empire

Message from the Guest Editor

This Special Issue seeks to connect histories of Empire attentive to family with family histories attentive to Empire. It is interested in papers of all kinds relating to families and colonialism, and it is particularly interested in the interface between history, genealogy and empire. How can family stories expand our understandings of colonialism? In what ways and through what mechanisms did Empire impact upon families and the idea of 'The Family'? Does understanding the history of Empire provide us with fresh and exciting ways of understanding family as a concept, as well as families as lived experience?

As such, this Special Issue invites papers on any aspect of family and the British Empire in the eighteenth to twenty-first centuries.

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