

Special Issue

Christian Theology Across Non-European Cultures: Local Wisdoms and Cross- Philosophical Approaches

Message from the Guest Editors

This Special Issue aims to explore how Christian theology can be expressed and developed using philosophical and wisdom traditions originating outside of European intellectual heritage. We seek to gather articles that:

- Analyze the integration of local philosophical and religious concepts into Christian theology: for instance, how concepts from Taoism, Buddhism, or African traditions are employed to articulate Christian dogmas.
- Examine the impact of language and translation on the theology: how terminology from different cultures influences the understanding and communication of the Christian message.
- Evaluate pastoral practices in non-European contexts: how local traditions and practices are integrated into the life of Christian communities.

We hope that this Special Issue will stimulate new research, raise awareness among theologians of the importance of integrating local philosophical and religious traditions into Christian theology, and systematize existing dispersed reflections. We encourage critical and scholarly evaluation of these phenomena, fostering constructive theological discourse.

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