

Special Issue

Queer Theologies in the Contemporary Global South

Message from the Guest Editors

The focus of this Special Issue is queer theologies in the context of different religions, including Christianity, Islam, Buddhism, and Judaism. Primarily considering the context of the Global South, inclusive churches, and emerging contextual queer theologies, the articles featured in this Special Issue will offer a range of rich perspectives and insights. Our aim is to span different contexts in which, transversally, we observe the agency of people and communities of faith in deconstructing spirituality, sacred texts, and beliefs. This Special Issue aims to demonstrate the Divine's relationalities with all people in different spiritual paths and contexts. Every article will draw from various sources, experiences, and realities to analyze how queer believers theologize and counter the discourses that aim to ostracize them from faith communities. We will obtain an enriching global perspective beyond the traditional focus on experiences rooted in the Global North.

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