

# Colonial Religion: Recognition and Resistance

Presenting excerpts from her book “Before Recognition: How the Politics of Religion shaped the International Order”, Maria Birnbaum centers ‘religion’ as a node through which governing practices as well as resistance was mobilized during the decades leading up to the partition of Palestine and British India and their subsequent establishment as states.

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