



religions

an Open Access Journal by MDPI



Religion and the Atomic Age

Guest Editors:

Dr. Yuki Miyamoto

Religious Studies, DePaul
University, Chicago, IL 60614, USA

Prof. Dr. Susumu Shimazono

Graduate School of Applied
Religious Studies, Sophia
University, Tokyo 102-8554,
Japan

Deadline for manuscript
submissions:

closed (28 February 2022)

Message from the Guest Editors

Dear Colleagues,

Reflecting a complex and discursive discourse, the editors eschew defining what we consider “religion” as well as the dichotomies of the secular/religious or religion/not-religion as a working concept. Instead, this project attempts to illuminate “religion” by examining how “religion” functions and interacts with various actants in our individual and collective lives. To magnify such functions and interactions more effectively, we think it useful to employ a context representing another mighty agent in modern times: atomic power. Not excluding disciplines that have been conventionally viewed in the purview of religious studies, such as theology, philosophy of religion, religious ethics, and so on, we also intend to invite disciplinary and methodologically diverse investigation that will enable us to view religion in light of the atomic age, which will offer new insights into the definition of religion, and in turn, the atomic age will be better understood through various approaches of religious studies.



mdpi.com/si/73515

Special Issue



an Open Access Journal by MDPI

Editors-in-Chief

Prof. Dr. Arndt Büssing

Professorship Quality of Life,
Spirituality and Coping, Faculty
of Health, Witten/Herdecke
University, Gerhard-Kienle-Weg 4,
58313 Herdecke, Germany

Prof. Dr. Klaus Baumann

Caritaswissenschaft und
Christliche Sozialarbeit,
Theologische Fakultät, Albert-
Ludwigs-Universität Freiburg,
Platz der Universität 3, D-79098
Freiburg, Germany

Message from the Editorial Board

Fresh developments in the disciplines that consistently make significant contributions to our understanding of religious personality, authority, devotion, and community - disciplines ranging from psychology, sociology, and anthropology to history, art history, philosophy, literary criticism, and political science – fuel general, as well as scholarly, interest in the world's religions.

Religions is inviting innovative and comparative contributions. Please consider Religions as an exceptional, exciting enterprise ready to reward your trust, attention, and participation.

Author Benefits

Open Access: free for readers, with [article processing charges \(APC\)](#) paid by authors or their institutions.

High Visibility: indexed within [Scopus](#), [AHCI \(Web of Science\)](#), [ATLA Religion Database](#), [Religious and Theological Abstracts](#), and [other databases](#).

Journal Rank: CiteScore - Q1 (*Religious Studies*)

Contact Us

Religions Editorial Office
MDPI, St. Alban-Anlage 66
4052 Basel, Switzerland

Tel: +41 61 683 77 34
www.mdpi.com

mdpi.com/journal/religions
religions@mdpi.com
[X@Religions_MDPI](#)