

VIRTUAL BOOK LAUNCH

All Things Arabia: Arabian Identity and Material Culture

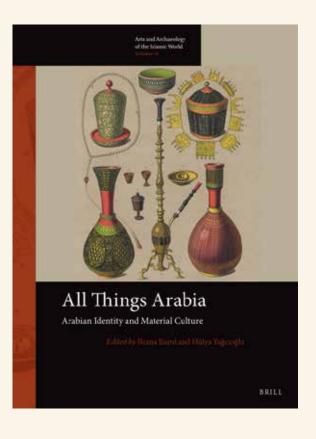
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The editors of the book, Ileana Baird and Hulya Yagcioglu, invite the ZU community to a roundtable discussion of the collection of essays, *All Things Arabia: Arabian Identity and Material Culture,* recently published by Brill in their Arts and Archeology of the Islamic World series.

This event will be attended by some of the contributors to the collection who will speak about the role that material objects, both real and imaginary, have played in creating an "Arabian" identity over time. Involving the combined experience of scholars from diverse fields of study (anthropology, history, ethnography, museology, literary and film studies, and art history), this conversation aims to dispel existing stereotypes about the Arabian Peninsula and stimulate new thinking about a culture whose patterns of trade and cosmopolitanism have pollinated the world with lasting myths, knowledge, and things of beauty.



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