

American Missionaries in the Middle East: Women, Children and Social Welfare

AGENDA

Friday, October 1, 2004

Organized by **Beth Baron** (Graduate Center, CUNY)

9:30-10:00

Breakfast/Introductions

10:00-12:00

Eleanor Doumato (Brown University)

*Joyful Death: The Bizarre Tale of an American Mission and its Martyrs
(Mosul, 1841)*

Ellen Fleischmann (University of Dayton)

*Creating Female Citizens of the Nation: American Protestant
Missionaries and Women of Greater Syria, c.1900-1950*

Discussant: **Mandana Limbert** (Queens College)

12:00-1:00

Lunch (Dinning Commons, 8th floor)

1:00-2:00

Heather J Sharkey (University of Pennsylvania)

*American Mission, Egyptian Church: The Making of a Coptic
Evangelical Community*

Discussant: **Robert Tignor** (Princeton University)

2:00-2:20

Coffee/tea Break

2:20-4:20

Barbara Merguerian (AIWA –Information & Archives)

*"Missions in Eden": American Educational and Social Programs for
the Armenians in Eastern Turkey, 1855-1915*

Hilmar Kaiser (Independent Scholar, Germany)

*The American Board of Foreign Missions (ABFM)
and Adana Massacre Relief in 1909*

Discussant: **Elena Frangakis-Syrett** (Queens College)

4:20-4:30

Break

4:30-5:30

Concluding Remarks

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