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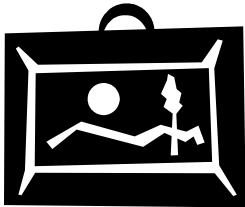
## NEW SUBMISSION OPPORTUNITY

Issue 39:1 (February 2007) inaugurated a new front section, “Quick Studies.” Our intention is to expand the academic mission and international breadth of the journal by opening its pages to discussion of ongoing research in the field of Middle East studies and by inviting reflections on some of the critical questions in our field today.

We invite senior scholars to present and comment on data and other kinds of research materials in one of three possible categories.



In “As You Read It,” the author focuses on textual sources: a court case, a poem, a letter, or virtually any excerpt from a primary written text is presented along with a commentary about how the author reads it in the context of his or her research.



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This format allows experienced researchers to draw our attention to the primary materials that underpin their analytical work and to educate us in the methods they use to interrogate these materials.

**IJMES** welcomes submissions from senior scholars in any one of the three categories for future issues. Commentary on the source should run approximately 400 words; please e-mail submissions to our editorial office, [ijmes@georgetown.edu](mailto:ijmes@georgetown.edu).