

# **Bibliographical Database of Islamic and Middle East Studies in Japan 1868-2016 (BDIMEJ)**

## **About this database**

This database was created to provide information about research trends in the field of Islamic and Middle Eastern studies in Japan from 1868 to 2016. The database was financially supported by 2014-2015 Grants-in-Aid for Scientific Research (KAKENHI) (Database) in cooperation with the Documentation Center for Islamic Area Studies, Toyo Bunko (The Oriental Library) and the Japan Association for Middle East Studies. The data was extracted edit from the Japanese version: the database includes only books and articles that are written in a non-Japanese language, or that has non-Japanese abstracts or subtitles.

Research theme is divided into 12 categories and 56 sub-categories reflecting present academic interests in the Japanese humanities, social science and natural science communities.

## **How to search**

1. When you enter multiple search words separated with blank spaces, the search becomes a logical AND operation. You cannot do a logical OR operation search.
2. Be sure to specify as many search words as possible. (This will narrow the search. If you specify only a few search words, the number of hits becomes huge and the search takes much more time.)
3. For wildcard searches, add an asterisk (\*) at the end of a word or a partial word.

### **<Keywords>**

If search is performed using numerals or roman letters, only the record that includes the word or number entered as a first part of a word will be retrieved.

### **<Title>**

If the word entered is found in any part of the record in the relevant field, that record will be retrieved.

<Author, Translator>

If a personal name is entered, given name, surname and combined forms of given and surname will be retrieved.

Example: (Author) If the name "MIURA" is entered, such forms as ,"MIURA TORU", "miura toru", and the like will be retrieved.

<Year Published>

Please enter a publication year in single-byte numerals and roman letters. You cannot enter more than one year at the same time.

<Publisher>

<Theme, Area, and Language>

Please check the box of theme, area, and language lists.

### **Notes**

1. Search results for the names of authors will be displayed in alphabetical order. Search results that list several works by the same author will be displayed in chronological and title order.
2. Any title preceded by # indicates that the item includes an abstract in the language of the title.
3. To get the publication data of periodicals and other materials, please make use of the CiNii holding data form the universities in Japan. (CiNii is a system for searching the general catalog database for books and materials in the library collections of national universities and other institutions). See also URL: <http://ci.nii.ac.jp/>.

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