Historical Periods of Islam; Hadith: Draft for Comment by August 1, 2010

297.09 History, geographic treatment, biography
297.125 Hadith (Traditions) [formerly 297.124]

We have been working with the Arabic DDC translation team based at Bibliotheca Alexandrina (http://www.bibalex.org/Home/Default_EN.aspx) on expansions and revisions to 297 for Islam. Most of the changes will not be ready in time to affect DDC 23 (scheduled to be published in mid-2011); instead, most will be exposed in connection with the separate publication of the 200 Religion Class and in WebDewey.

One area in which we have been working with the translation team (especially with Ossama Mahmoud and Iman Khairy) is an expansion for Hadith (Traditions), now at 297.124. Since there is no way to expand for Hadith in 297.124 without immediate reuse of numbers, we propose to relocate Hadith to 297.125 Hadith (Traditions). Because of the relocation, we believe that the expansion should be included in DDC 23 if possible.

We have also been working with the Arabic translation team on revising the historical periods for Islam as a religion under 297.09 History, geographic treatment, biography, making them more specific to the history of Islam in much the same way as we did in DDC 22 for the history of Judaism under 296.09 Historical, geographic, persons treatment. The focus is on historical periods important in religious history; caliphates primarily important for political history are not used to structure the proposed development. We would like to introduce the revised development under 297.09 in DDC 23 so that the new history periods can be used with the new development for Hadith.

Notes on the draft for 297.09 and 297.125 that appears following these preliminary comments:

- The new caption for T1—09 History, geographic treatment, biography in DDC 23 is shown in the draft schedule: “History, geographic treatment, biography” instead of “Historical, geographic, persons treatment.” See this Dewey blog entry for explanation (http://ddc.typepad.com/025431/2008/08/since-late-2005.html). (Note: Additional changes have been made elsewhere in the referenced draft schedules since 2008.)
- At 297.1254–297.1259 Texts of Hadith are instructions to add from subdivisions of 297.122 Koran. The relevant subdivisions of 297.122 are given in the appendix.
- Relative Index entries are marked with the following internal codes: P (proposed new print/electronic entry), E (proposed new electronic-only entry), and N (electronic-only entry). Entries without codes are current print/electronic entries.

We seek comments on the draft:

- Does the proposed draft provide a general framework for the historical periods of Islam as a religion and for Hadith that can be used for organization of and access to diverse collections throughout the world?
- Can you help us improve the English descriptions for Arabic terms?
- If the proposed schedule is included in DDC 23, would your library use the full numbers for Hadith?
• Do the Relative Index entries provide appropriate access to the development?

Please send your comments by August 1, 2010.

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.09 History, geographic treatment, biography

Notation from Table 1 as modified below

Class here religious aspects of Islamic fundamentalism

Class political science aspects of Islam, of Islamic fundamentalism in 320

*For religious aspects of Islamic fundamentalism in a specific sect or reform movement, see 297.8*

*See also 909.09767 for Islamic civilization*

*See Manual at 320.557 vs. 297.09, 297.272, 322.1*

.090 1 To 632, Period of Prophethood

From Adam to Muḥammad

Including 500–632 [*formerly 297.09021]*

*For prophetic career of Muḥammad the Prophet, see 297.635*

[.090 12–.090 15] To 499

Numbers discontinued; class in 297.0901

.090 2 632–1499

.090 21 632–1204

500–632 relocated to 297.0901

.090 212 Period of Four Rightly-Guided Caliphs, 632–660

Class here 7th century, Rashidun Caliphate

*For 600–632, see 297.0901; for 660–699, see 297.090213*

.090 213 Period of Naissance, 660–718

.090 214 Period of Recording and Emergence of Islamic Schools of Thought, 718–912

Class here 8th–9th centuries

*For 700–718, see 297.090213*

.090 215 Period of Comprehensive Works, 912–1204

Including 10th–12th centuries

.090 22 1204–1499

Including 14th century, 1300–1399 [*formerly 297.09023*]; 15th century, 1400–1499 [*formerly 297.09024*]

Class here period of Explanations and Briefs, 1204–1495

[.090 23] 14th century, 1300–1399

Relocated to 297.09022

[.090 24] 15th century, 1400–1499

Relocated to 297.09022
.090 3–.090 5 16th–21st centuries

Add to base number 297.090 the numbers following —090 in notation 0903–0905 from Table 1, e.g., Islam in 20th century 297.0904

.092 Biography

Class interdisciplinary works on caliphs as civil and religious heads of state with the subject in 940–990, e.g., Abu Bakr 953.02092

For Muslims primarily associated with a specific religious activity, see 297.1–297.7; for founders of Sufi orders, see 297.48; for Muhammad the Prophet, see 297.63; for Muhammad’s family and companions (including religious biography of the first four caliphs), see 297.64; for Muslims primarily associated with a specific sect or reform movement, see 297.8

See Manual at 297.092
[.124] Hadith (Traditions)
   Relocated to 297.125

.125 Hadith (Traditions) [formerly 297.124]

.125 012 Classification
   Do not use for muṣṭalah al-Ḥadīth; class in 297.1252

.125 09 History, geographic treatment, biography
   As modified under 297.09

.125 1 General topics of Hadith
   Class texts of Hadith in 297.1254–297.1259

[.125 101–.125 109] Standard subdivisions
   Do not use; class in 297.12501–297.12509

.125 12 Hadith stories retold
   Including picture books

.125 16 Interpretation and criticism (Exegesis)
   Class here riwayah (study of text of Hadith)

.125 160 1 Philosophy and theory
   Class here hermeneutics, principles and methods of exegesis of Hadith

.125 161 General introductions to Hadith
   Class here sciences of Hadith
      For dirāyah (science of authenticity of Hadith), muṣṭalah al-Ḥadīth (classification of Hadith), al-jarḥ wa al-ta'dil (principles of disparagement and crediting of transmitters of Hadith), see 297.1252

.125 162 Asbāb wurūd al-Ḥadīth (Causes and circumstances of Hadith)

.125 163 Al-Nāsikh wa-al-mansūkh (Abrogation of Hadith)

.125 164 Al-Mu'talif wa-al-mukhtalif (Homographic-heterophonic terms as sources of conflicting transmitters of Hadith)

.125 18 Nonreligious subjects treated in Hadith
   Class a religious subject treated in Hadith with the subject, e.g., Islamic ethics 297.5

.125 180 001–.125 180 008 Standard subdivisions

.125 180 01–.125 189 99 Specific nonreligious subjects treated in Hadith
   Add to base number 297.12518 the notation 001–999, e.g., natural sciences in Hadith 297.125185
.125 2 Dirāyah (Science of authenticity of Hadith), muṣṭalaḥ al-Ḥadīth
(Classification of Hadith), al-jarḥ wa al-ta'dīl

Standard subdivisions are added for dirāyah, muṣṭalaḥ al-Ḥadīth,
al-jarḥ wa al-ta'dīl together, for dirāyah alone, for muṣṭalaḥ al-Ḥadīth
alone

Class texts of Hadith in 297.1254–297.1259

.125 21 Al-ṣaḥīḥ (Authentic Hadith) and al-hasan (Good Hadith)

.125 213 Al-muttaṣil (Uninterrupted Hadith)

Including al-marfūʿ (narration attributed to the Prophet
specifically), al-mawqūf (narration attributed to a Companion
of the Prophet), al-maqtūʿ (narration attributed to the tabīʿī, the
Successors of the Companions)

.125 22 Al-daʿīf (Weak Hadith)

Including al-mu'allaq (discontinuity in the beginning of
transmission chain), al-muʿdal (two or more consecutive
transmitters are dropped), al-munqatīʿ (broken Hadith, in which the
chain of transmission is disconnected at any point), and al-shadh
(irregular Hadith)

.125 222 Al-mursal (Hurried Hadith, in which transmitter between
Successor and Prophet is omitted from a given chain of
transmission)

.125 225 Al-mawḍuʿ (Fabricated Hadith)

.125 23 Al-mutawātir (Successive Hadith)

.125 24 Al-ḥāḍ (Singular narration)

Including al-mashhūr (well-known Hadith), al-ʿazīz (rare Hadith),
al-gharīb (uncommon Hadith)

.125 26 Al-jarḥ wa al-ta'dīl (Principles of disparagement and crediting of
transmitters of Hadith)

.125 261 Ṭabaqāt al-ruwāh (Classes of transmitters)

.125 262 Al-thiqāt (Trustworthy transmitters)

.125 263 Al-ṣuʿafāʿ (Untrustworthy transmitters)

> 297.125 4–297.125 9 Texts of Hadith

Class here texts of specific Hadith and compilations of Hadith, works about
specific Hadith and compilations of Hadith

Add to each subdivision identified by * as follows:
001–009 Standard subdivisions
01–08 Generalities

Add to 0 the numbers following 297.122 in 297.1221–297.1228,
e.g., criticism 06

Class comprehensive works in 297.125
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| .125 4 | *Jawāmi’ (Comprehensive compilations), šiḥāḥ (Authentic compilations), mustadrākāt
Subdivisions are added for jawāmi’, šiḥāḥ, mustadrākāt together, for jawāmi’ alone, for šiḥāḥ alone |
| .125 41 | *Al-Bukhārī, Muḥammad ibn Ismā’īl |
| .125 42 | *Muslim ibn al-Ḥajjāj al-Qushayrī |
| .125 43 | *Al-Tirmidhī, Muḥammad ibn ʻĪsā |
| .125 45 | Mustadrākāt (Compilations of Hadith meeting the conditions of other compilers but not found in their books) |

| .125 5 | *Sunan (Compilations according to Islamic law hierarchy), musannafat, muwaṭṭa’āt
Subdivisions are added for sunan, musannafat, muwaṭṭa’āt together, for sunan alone |
| .125 51 | *Abū Dā‘ūd Sulaymān ibn al-Ash‘ath al-Sijistānī |
| .125 52 | *Ibn Mājah, Muḥammad ibn Yazīd |
| .125 53 | *Al-Nasā‘ī, Aḥmad ibn Shu‘ayb |
| .125 54 | *Al-Dārimī, ʻAbd Allāh ibn ʻAbd al-Raḥmān |
| .125 56 | *Musannafat (Compilations according to topics)
Including muṣannaf of Ibn Abī Shaybah, ʻAbd Allāh ibn Muḥammad and muṣannaf of ʻAbd al-Razzāq ibn Hammām al-Ḥimyari |
| .125 58 | *Muwaṭṭa’āt (The well-trodden path of Hadith)
Class here Muwaṭṭa‘ of Mālik ibn Anas |
| .125 59 | *Ma‘ājim (Compilations arranged alphabetically according to names of the compilers’ sheikhs)
Class here al-Ṭabarānī, Sulaymān ibn Aḥmad |

*Add as instructed under 297.1254–297.1259
.125 64  *Zawā'īd (Compilations of Hadith found in one compilation but not another)

Class here Haythamī, Nūr al-Dīn ʿAlī ibn Abī Bakr

.125 7  *Mustakhrajat (Compilations containing Hadith of other compilers with different chains of transmission) and takhrījāt (Compilations that define the degree of verification of another compilation)

Subdivisions are added for either or both topics in heading

Class mustakhrajat and takhrījāt of a specific work with the work, e.g., takhrījāt of maʿājim of al-Ṭabarānī, Sulaymān ibn ʿAḥmad 297.12563

.125 8  *Al-Aḥādīth al-Qudusīyah (Sacred Hadith)

Sayings of the Prophet Muḥammad divinely communicated to him, with appropriate chain of transmission

.125 9  Texts of Hadith of sects other than Sunnites

.125 92  Hadith of Shiites

.125 921  *Twelvers (Ithna Asharites)

.125 921 1  *Kulaynī, Muḥammad ibn Yaʿqūb

.125 921 2  *Ibn Bābawayh al-Qummī, Muḥammad ibn ʿAlī

.125 921 3  *Ṭūsī, Muḥammad ibn al-Ḥasan (Abū Jaʿfar)

.125 922  *Seveners (Ismailites)

.125 924  *Zaydites

.125 93  Hadith of other sects

.125 933  *Ibadites

*Add as instructed under 297.1254–297.1259
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.122 1  Origin and authenticity

Including inspiration, revelation, commentary about historic occasions on which passages were revealed; Koranic prophecy and prophecies

Class compilation and recording of Koran in 297.1224042

.122 2  Koran stories retold

Including picture books

297.122 4–297.122 5  Texts

Class comprehensive works in 297.122

For texts accompanied by commentaries, see 297.1227

.122 4  Arabic texts

Class here textual criticism

Class Arabic texts accompanied by translations in 297.1225

.122 404  Special topics of Arabic texts

.122 404 2  Compilation and recording of Koran

.122 404 5  Recitation and readings

Standard subdivisions are added for either or both topics in heading

Class here art of melodic reading, tajwīd (adornment of recitation); qirāʿāt (science of the readings, which treats various renditions of the text according to different oral traditions)

.122 5  Translations

Class here Arabic texts accompanied by translations

Add to base number 297.1225 notation 1–9 from Table 6, e.g., the Koran in English 297.122521

.122 6  Interpretation and criticism (Exegesis)

Class art of recitation in 297.1224045

For textual criticism, see 297.1224; for commentaries, see 297.1227

.122 601  Philosophy and theory

Class here hermeneutics, principles and methods of Koranic exegesis

.122 61  General introductions to the Koran

Including general introductions to the sciences necessary to study the Koran

.122 67  Historical criticism

.122 68  Allegorical and numerical interpretations
.122 7  Commentaries
   Criticism and interpretation arranged in textual order
   Class here texts accompanied by commentaries

.122 8  Nonreligious subjects treated in the Koran
   Class a religious subject treated in the Koran with the subject, e.g.,
   Islamic ethics 297.5

.122 800 01–.122 800 09  Standard subdivisions

.122 800 1–.122 899 9  Specific nonreligious subjects treated in the Koran
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