



# THE CENTENNIAL OF PERSIAN CONSTITUTIONAL MOVEMENT 1906-2006

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**September 16-17, 2006**  
**PLACE: 237 Kennedy Hall**  
**BOOK EXHIBITION: 233 Kennedy Hall**  
**Chapman University, Orange, California**

***FREE AND OPEN TO THE PUBLIC***  
**[Limited Seating, please arrive early]**

**Saturday, September 16, 2006**

**9:00-9:30 a.m. Registration**

**9:30-10:00 a.m. Welcoming Remarks**  
**Dr. A. Kamron Jabbari, Iranica Institute**  
**Dr. Daniele C. Struppa, Chapman University Provost**  
**Dr. Thomas Klammer, Dean of School of Humanities & Social Sciences, Cal-State, Fullerton**

**Session One: 10:00- 12:15 p.m**

**Prof. Elton L. Daniel, University of Hawaii**  
**“Iranian Constitutional Revolution in Comparative Perspective”**

**Prof. Hafez F. Farmayan, University of Texas at Austin**  
**“Reflections Upon Persian Constitutional History”**

**Prof. Ali Gheissari, University of California, San Diego**  
**“Iranian Constitutional Revolution: Democracy or State-Building?”**  
**Moderator: Dr. A. Kamron Jabbari**

**LUNCH BREAK**

**Session Two: 1:30-3:45 p.m.**

**Prof. Hamid Dabashi, Columbia University**  
**“The Role of Expatriate Intellectuals in the Making of the Constitutional Revolution of Iran.”**

**Dr. James Clark, American Institute of Iranian Studies**  
**“The ‘War of the Quarters’ in Tabriz”**

**Prof. Evan Siegel, New Jersey City University**  
**“The Evolution of Ahmad Kasravi’s views on the Iranian Constitutional Revolution”**  
**Moderator: Dr. James Coyle**

**SHORT BREAK**

**Session Three: 4:00 – 5:30 p.m.**

**Dr. Willem Floor, World Bank**  
**“Modern Theater and the Diffusion of the Ideas of the Constitutionalist Movement”**

**Dr. Hasan Javadi, George Washington University**  
**“The Journal Mulla Nasreddin and the Constitutional Revolution”**  
**Moderator: Prof. William Cumiford**

**Sunday, September 17, 2006**

**Session Four: 10:00-12:00 a.m.**

**Prof. Hourii Berberian, California State University, Long Beach**  
**“Children of the Same Country: Reflections on the Causes of Armenian Participation in the Iranian Constitutional Revolution.”**  
**Moderator: Dr. Robert Bamban**

**Prof. Nader Hashemi, North Western University**  
**“Religious Disputation and Democratic Constitutionalism: The Enduring Legacy of the Constitutional Revolution on the Struggle for Democracy in Iran”**

**LUNCH BREAK**

**Session Five: 1:30-3:30 p.m.**

**Prof. Majid Tehranian, TODA Institute**  
**“The Iranian Constitutional Revolution in Historical Perspective”**

**Prof. Morad Eghbal, University of Baltimore**  
**“Lasting Truths: Revisiting Constitutional Thought and Human Rights from the Code of Hammurabi, the Edict of Cyrus the Great, and the Iranian Constitutional Revolution of 1906.”**  
**Moderator: Dr. Ron Steiner**

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