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**ABSTRACT** At the very start of a remarkable study of an “anti-god”Rahu, Ranajit Guha (1985) declared that religion is the richest archive in South Asia. Far from being a neo-orientalist assertion about the irreducible “religiosity” of India, Guha’s declaration was gesturing towards the imperatives and the rewards of exploring this embarrassment of riches, rather like D D Kosambi (1956) had suggested three decades earlier. Yet, questions of religion—particularly, faith, piety and belief—have remained domains of relatively benign neglect amongst feminist scholars.**Economic and Political Weekly - Vol.52, Issue No.42 – 43, Oct 28, 2017*** [Inhabiting or Interrogating Faith : Piety among Muslim Women in Mumbai](http://www.epw.in/journal/2017/42-43/review-womens-studies/inhabiting-or-interrogating-faith.html), By – Tanvi Patel-Banerjee, Rowena Robinson

**ABSTRACT**Against the growing literature on Muslim piety movements, this paper analyses the practices of faith among a young generation of educated middle-class Muslim women in Mumbai in the context of a liberalising economy, which offers them greater employment opportunities and draws them out of the ghettos to work and interact with people of different social and religious backgrounds. The paper shows that these women question and reason with their faith, while the earlier generation abides by a quieter piety**Economic and Political Weekly - Vol.52, Issue No.42 -43, Oct 28, 2017*** [Inter-caste Marriage and Shakta Myths of Karnataka, By – Rahamath Tarikere](http://www.epw.in/journal/2017/42-43/review-issues/inter-caste-marriage-and-shakta-myths-karnataka.html), By – Rahamath Tarikere

**ABSTRACT**The annual jatras or fairs conducted for certain female deities like Maramma and Dyamavva in Karnataka include the ritual of buffalo sacrifice. There is an accompanying myth that explains this sacrifice as symbolising the punishment meted out to a Dalit boy who had married an upper-caste girl by concealing his caste identity.**Economic and Political Weekly – Vol.52, Issue No. 42 – 43, Oct 28, 2017*** [Women and Customary Spiritual Authority : The Case of the Khonds, By – Bhanumathi Kalluri](http://www.epw.in/journal/2017/42-43/review-womens-studies/women-and-customary-spiritual-authority.html)

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**ABSTRACT**Two recent mobilisations of women in Mumbai expose the tension between Muslim patriarchies and women’s rights in contemporary Islam. The first case refers to a petition in the Bombay High Court filed by the Bharatiya Muslim Mahila Andolan that challenged the prohibition of women in the inner sanctum of the Haji Ali Dargah. In 2016, the Supreme Court ruled against the governing trust of Haji Ali Dargah and restored women’s right to enter the inner sanctum.**Evaluation Journal – Vol.23, Issue No.3, 2017*** [Governing Policy Evaluation? Towards a new typology, By – Jonas Schoenefeld & Andrew Jordan](http://journals.sagepub.com/doi/full/10.1177/1356389017715366)

**ABSTRACT**As policy evaluation matures, thoughts are turning to its governance. However, few scholars have combined insights from the evaluation and governance literatures to shed new light on this matter. In order to address this important gap, this article develops a new typology of ways to comprehend and perhaps ultimately govern *ex-post* policy evaluation activities.**Evaluation Journal – Vol.23, No.3, 2017*** [Evaluating Complex Interventions : A theory-driven realist-informed approach, By – Boru Douthwaite, John Mayne & Cynthia McDougall](http://journals.sagepub.com/doi/full/10.1177/1356389017714382)

**ABSTRACT** There is a growing recognition that programs that seek to change people’s lives are intervening in complex systems, which puts a particular set of requirements on program monitoring and evaluation. Developing complexity-aware program monitoring and evaluation systems within existing organizations is difficult because they challenge traditional orthodoxy. Little has been written about the practical experience of doing so. This article describes the development of a complexity-aware evaluation approach in the CGIAR Research Program on Aquatic Agricultural Systems.**Evaluation Journal – Vol.23, No.3, 2017*** [Intersecting Social-Capital and perceived –efficacy perspectives to explain underperformance in community-based monitoring, By – Sara Dewachter, Nathalie Holvoet](http://journals.sagepub.com/doi/full/10.1177/1356389017716740)

**ABSTRACT**While community-based monitoring is becoming increasingly commonplace, evidence as to its functioning remains inconsistent. Based on Ugandan village network and survey data, this article studies community-based monitoring from a social-capital and perceived-efficacy perspective. From a social-capital perspective, the prospects for community-based monitoring look promising as there is a high social-capital stock and an efficient information-sharing network galvanizing information for a few key individuals. **Feminist Economics – Vol.23, No.4, Oct, 2017*** [Gender based Occupational Choices and Family Responsibilities : The Gender Wage Gap in Italy, By – Andrea Cutillo & Marco Centra](http://www.tandfonline.com/doi/full/10.1080/13545701.2017.1285041)

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