Invitation to participate in conference publication

Dear Conference Participants,

We are happy to announce that a conference publication will be edited on the basis of presentations given at the conference "The Role of Theory in Folkloristics and Comparative Religion" in Turku/Åbo. Selected papers will be published as a special issue of the e-journal Approaching Religion, which is published by the Donner Institute for Research in Religious and Cultural History (one of the organisers of the conference).

Professors Pekka Hakamies and Ulrika Wolf-Knuts will act as guest editors for this special issue of AR. You find the journal website at: http://ojs.abo.fi/index.php/ar/index

AR is an open access journal and has a wide readership among academia (download rate between 500-800 per article). It is also indexed in some of the largest scientific databases in the world (DOAJ and EBSCO), as well as Google Scholar. Thus, the journal articles are searchable at more than 90 % of the world’s universities.

We hope that you will keep this publication option in mind while preparing your papers for the conference and kindly invite you to submit your article for peer-review. You find guidelines for authors at the following address: https://ojs.abo.fi/index.php/ar/about/submissions#authorGuidelines

Schedule:
Article submission: September 30, 2013.
Responses from the peer-review process: November 30, 2013.
Final submission: January 31, 2014.
Publication: May 2014.

Please do not hesitate to contact us in advance if you have any questions or comments. We look forward to meeting you all in Turku and wish you all the best for the summer.

With kind regards,

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