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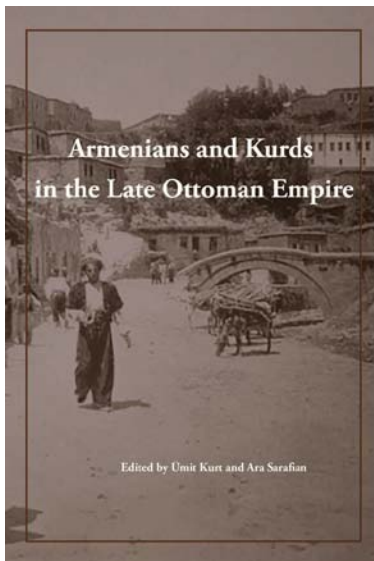
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# **ARMENIANS AND KURDS IN THE LATE OTTOMAN EMPIRE: A SOCIAL HISTORY**

A Discussion of a New Publication with

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In this online presentation Dr. Ümit Kurt will discuss the new publication *Armenians and Kurds in the Late Ottoman Empire* (The Press at California State University, Fresno, 2020), co-edited with Ara Sarafian. The volume, which is the 9<sup>th</sup> in the press's Armenian Studies series, explores new avenues of research and analysis for understanding modern Armenian and regional history in the late Ottoman Empire, including the Hamidian massacres of 1894-96, the interaction of the Ottoman state and Armenian political activists and revolutionaries, and the methodical exclusion of Kurds in mainstream historiographies of the Middle East, among other issues.

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