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Gas Balloons, Emperors, and Armenian Mapmakers:
A Cartographic Journey through the
Library of Congress's Collections

A Lecture by Dr. Khatchig Mouradian

Thursday, December 15, 2022

7:30 p.m. (Eastern) / 4:30 p.m. (Pacific)

NAASR Vartan Gregorian Building, 395 Concord Ave., Belmont, MA *This in-person event will also be streamed live on Zoom and on YouTube.*

Zoom Registration Link:

https://bit.ly/NAASR-Mouradian

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With over 5.5 million maps, the Library of Congress holds the world's largest cartographic collection. In this illustrated lecture, the Library's Armenian and Georgian Area Specialist Dr. Khatchig Mouradian tells the stories behind a selection of maps of Armenia or by Armenian cartographers that have made their way into this collection, taking us through a journey across the globe and over the centuries.

Dr. Khatchig Mouradian is the Armenian and Georgian Area Specialist at the Library of Congress and a lecturer in Middle Eastern, South Asian, and

African Studies at Columbia University. He serves as Co-Principal Investigator of the project on Armenian Genocide denial at the Global Institute for

Advanced Studies, New York University.

Mouradian is the author of *The Resistance Network: The Armenian Genocide and Humanitarianism in Ottoman Syria, 1915-1918*, which received the Syrian Studies



Association "Honourable Mention 2021." He is the co-editor of two forthcoming volumes *After the Ottomans: Genocide's Long Shadow and Armenian Resilience* and *Handbook of the Late Ottoman Empire: History and Legacy*. He is the editor of the peer-reviewed journal *The Armenian Review*.

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