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**Tue, October 10, 2023**

**Dinner Program**

## **Crescit cum Religione Civitas: Why the Study of Religion Matters**

### **Esther Chung-Kim, Gary Gilbert, Daniel Michon, and Jamel Velji**

Join members of the CMC's Religious Studies Department for a discussion of the study of religion at the Claremont Colleges. This roundtable includes experts on Reformation Christianity, ancient Judaism, Hinduism, and Islam, all of whom use a variety of methods, from archival research to archaeology and digital technology to study both ancient and modern religion. The discussion will highlight the ways in which the study of religion contributes to our understanding of cultures past and present.

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