



CRL FY21 PURCHASE PROPOSAL ITEMS APPROVED FOR ACQUISITION

Arabic Manuscripts on Islamic Law

12th - 20th century manuscripts, 2,795 fiche - \$26,058

The original collection includes Islamic law manuscripts from three collections: the SOAS collection in London; the Yahuda collection of the JNUL in Jerusalem; and the Mingana Collection in Birmingham. As CRL already owns the material from the SOAS collection, only the Yahuda and the Mingana collections will be purchased. The collection covers all four major Schools of Islamic Law, manuscripts on the *usul al-fiqh*, and collections of fatwas.

Asian Law - Southeast Asia

1850 through 1945, 3,588 fiche - \$24,146

The original collection includes almost a hundred years of law titles covering the general Southeast Asia area along with the following countries: Burma, French Indochina, Indonesia, Philippines, Singapore, Thailand, Timor, and Vietnam. It also includes a sub-set of materials, *Dissertations on Netherlands Indies Law 1850-1945*, which CRL already owns. CRL will purchase the titles not owned.

Karaite Printing

16th Century to World War I (1914), 468 fiche - \$6,215

The Karaites are a Jewish sect known for their rejection of the Talmud and rabbinic oral law, as they recognize the Torah alone as the authority for religious law. Their works were never widely published, nor in large runs. As a result their works are rarely held. This collection includes prayer books, biblical commentaries, philosophical works, halakhic treatises, works on astronomy, the calendar, and textbooks.

Zhongguo fang zhi cong shu: Shaanxi Province, Third Series 中國方誌叢書 陝西 (Collection of Local Gazetteers: Shaanxi Province, Third Series)

1080-1948, 308 volumes - NTD1,015,960 (= \$35,033)

This collection of reprinted gazetteers from the Shaanxi province in northern China covers the tenth to the early twentieth centuries. Descriptive gazetteers provide scholars with important primary source information. The Chengwen Publishing Company has supplied a list of volumes [here](#):

Total Estimated List Price: \$91,452