《神學與教會》投稿須知

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【神學與敎會】

《神學與教會》為具備審稿制度之期刊,旨在提倡以服務教會與社會為目標的處境化神學研究以及裝備基督徒做合宜信仰見證的研究。本刊所探討的內容廣泛,包括聖經研究、神學與文化、實踐神學及不同基督教傳統的對話等。另外,本刊也涵蓋廣義神學探討、社會工作及教會音樂相關領域之學術研究。

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- 3) 書評:見下文【書評投稿須知】。

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