

# 14 Dynasties and a Region: The History and Culture of the Muslim World

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•All the artworks are in the collection of the Islamic Arts Museum Malaysia.

•Works are on view throughout the exhibition period.

•Exhibition lineup may change as circumstances require.

No.	Title	Region / Culture	Period / Century
<b>Chapter 1: Timeline of the Muslim dynasties</b>			
1	"The Great Umayyad Mosque, Damascus"	Munich, Germany	1913
2	Marble capital with acanthus leaf design	Umayyad Spain	10th century
6	Scientific manuscript on astronomy	Shiraz	1347
8	Brass bottle	Ayyubid Mosul or Syria	Mid-13th century
28	Lustre-painted vase	Valencia, Spain	Early 20th century
34	Bowl with polychrome mina'i	Iran	13th century
51	Brass bowl	Mamluk Egypt or Syria	1475–1500
56	Tile with calligraphic inscription	Iran	13th century
58	Tile with turquoise glaze decorated with hexagon and star motifs	Timurid Central Asia	14th century
81	Tile with figural decoration in cuerda seca	Safavid Iran	17th–18th century
93	Table top with underglaze painting	Qajar Iran	Mid-19th century
129	Large <i>firman</i> with the <i>tughra</i> of Sultan Abdulhamid II	Ottoman Turkey	August 1896
157	A metal frame of twelve Mughal empresses' portraits on ivory	Delhi India	19th century
178	Illuminated Qur'an mushaf	East Coast, Malay Peninsula	18th–19th century
190	Incense burner with <i>cloisonné</i> decoration	China	Late 19th century
<b>Chapter 2: Early Islamic Dynasties</b>			
3	Map showing territory under the Umayyad rule 'Paradise or the Garden of Eden'	England	17th century
4	Qur'an verses in Kufic	North Africa	9th–10th century
5	Map showing parts of the 'Abbasid empire 'Persia'	Published by John Tallis in Illustrated Atlas, United Kingdom	1851
7	Qur'an verses in Kufic	Levant	8th–9th century
9	Map of Egypt and the Mediterranean Illustrating the voyage of St Paul	Amsterdam	1730–1740
10	Octagonal epigraphic stone plaque	Fatimid Egypt	10th–12th century
11	Lustre-decorated glass bowl	Fatimid Egypt	9th–11th century
12	A pair of gold earrings	Fatimid Egypt	11th–12th century
13	A pair of gold granulated earrings	Fatimid Egypt or Syria	10th–11th century
14	Gold duck figurine	Levant	11th–13th century
15	Map of the Kingdom of Persia	London	1627
16	Dish with splashed and sgraffito design	Iran	10th century
17	Bowl painted with stylised bird	Nishapur	10th century
18	Bowl painted with calligraphic inscription	Nishapur	10th century
<b>Chapter 3: The Art of the Mosque</b>			
20	Silk rug with central medallion	Iran	19th century
21	Brass Qur'an cabinet	Egypt	Late 19th–early 20th century
22	Glass mosque lamp in the name of 'Abbas Hilmi Pasha'	Egypt	Early 20th century
23	Qur'an stand	Ottoman Turkey	ca. 1800
<b>Chapter 4: North Africa and Islamic Spain</b>			
24	"The Connoisseur"	Rome	19th century
25	Gold headdress with gemstones and enamel	Morocco	ca. 1800
26	A pair of ceremonial earrings	Morocco	ca. 1800
27	"The Wool Spinners"	Austria	19th century
29	A pair of Alhambra vases with lustre glaze	Spain	19th century
30	Wooden casket	Turkey	18th century
31	Wooden micro-mosaic and marquetry cabinet	Portugal	ca. 1800
32	A set of four underglaze-decorated tiles	Toledo	1475–1525
33	Bifolio from a Qur'an in Maghribi script	Andalusia or North Africa	13th century
<b>Chapter 5: Seljuk Dynasty</b>			
19	Dish painted with Kufic inscription	Eastern Iran	10th century
35	Enamelled painted bowl with a falconer on horseback	Iran	Late 12th–early 13th century
36	Pottery bowl with lustre glaze painted with two equestrian figures	Kashan	12th century
37	Bronze mirror cast with two lionesses	Khurasan	12th century
38	Bronze mortar with associated pestle	Seljuk Iran	12th century

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39	Bronze mortar	Seljuk Iran	12th century
40	Bronze spoon	Seljuk Iran	10th–11th century
41	Bronze spoon	Seljuk Iran	10th–11th century
42	Bronze spoon	Seljuk Iran	10th–11th century
43	Brass ewer	Khurasan	Late 12th century
44	Brass basin	Khurasan	12th century
45	Bronze incense burner with openwork arabesque design	Northeast Iran	12th century
46	Brass lamp stand with openwork lattice design	Khurasan	12th–13th century
47	Qur'an section written in Eastern Kufic script	Iran	12th century
<b>Chapter 6: Mamluk Dynasty</b>			
48	"At Prayer"	Austria	1923
49	Brass tray	Mamluk Egypt or Syria	Early 14th century
50	Brass candle stand	Mamluk Egypt or Syria	1293–1341
52	Brass basin with calligraphic engravings	Mamluk Egypt or Syria	14th century
53	Five surahs of the Qur'an	Mamluk Egypt or Syria	14th or 15th century
<b>Chapter 7: Ilkhanid Dynasty and Timurid Dynasty</b>			
54	"Mendicant at the Mosque Door"	Paris	19th century
55	Monumental mihrab panel	Timurid Central Asia or Iran	14th–15th century
57	Monumental tile from an inscriptional frieze	Central Asia or Iran	14th century
59	Cobalt-painted, star-shaped tile with phoenix design and lustre glaze	Timurid Iran	13th–14th century
60	Silver bowl with calligraphic engravings	Timurid Iran	15th century
61	Dervish coco-de-mer bowl	Iran	17th–18th century
62	Copper dish with maze diaper engravings	Timurid Iran	15th century
63	Qur'anic bifolio in Muhaqqaq script	Ilkhanid Iran	13th century
64	Illustrated leaf from "Majma'al-tawarikh"	Herat, Iran	ca. 1425
65	Seal	Safavid Iran	1741
66	Seal	Safavid Iran	1711
67	Seal	Timurid and Safavid Iran	15th–18th century
68	Seal	Timurid and Safavid Iran	15th–18th century
69	Seal	Safavid Iran	1788
70	Seal	Safavid Iran	1757
71	Seal	Timurid and Safavid Iran	15th–18th century
72	Seal	Timurid and Safavid Iran	15th–18th century
73	Seal ring	Timurid and Safavid Iran	14th–17th century
74	Seal ring	Timurid and Safavid Iran	14th–17th century
75	Seal ring	Timurid and Safavid Iran	14th–17th century
76	Seal ring	Safavid Persia	1710
77	Seal ring	Timurid and Safavid Iran	14th–17th century
78	Seal ring	Safavid Iran	1738
79	Carnelian stone with talismanic inscription on silver pendant	Timurid and Safavid Iran	14th–17th century
80	Jade stone with talismanic inscription	Safavid Iran	1651
<b>Chapter 8: Safavid Dynasty and Qajar Dynasty</b>			
82	<i>Cuerda seca</i> tile painted with a centaur shooting an arrow	Safavid Iran	17th century
83	Bifolio from a " <i>Shahnameh</i> " manuscript	Safavid Iran	Late 16th century
84	Single folio from a " <i>Shahnameh</i> " manuscript	Safavid Iran	ca. 1610
85	Single Folio from a " <i>Shahnameh</i> " manuscript	Qajar Iran	18th–19th century
86	Portrait of Crown Prince 'Abbas Mirza	Qajar Iran	ca. 1818–1820
87	Qajar Order of the Imperial Effigy	Qajar Iran	1878
88	Qajar Order of the Imperial Effigy	Qajar Iran	1907–1909
89	Watered-steel <i>shamshir</i> sword	Qajar Iran	1802–1803
90	<i>Shamshir</i> sword signed by 'Ali Asghar Isfahani'	Qajar Iran	18th–19th century
91	<i>Jambiyya</i> dagger and sheath	Iran for the Arab market	ca. 1800
92	Matchlock rifle made for Mir Ghulam 'Ali Khan Talpur	India	Late 18th century
94	Moulded tile depicting the Queen Sheba with dervishes	Qajar Iran	1880
95	Dish painted with an entertainment scene	Qajar Iran	19th century
96	Rosewater sprinkler painted with floral motifs and a seated lady	Qajar Iran	19th century
97	Blue-and-white vase with floral design	Qajar Iran	19th century
98	Fritware ewer with lustre glaze	Qajar Iran	19th century
99	"Tashrih-i Mansuri" manuscript on anatomy	Safavid Iran	16th century
100	Lacquered wooden figurine in a human form	Qajar Iran	1838–1839

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101	Polychrome lacquered door panels	Qajar Persia	19th century
<b>Chapter 9: Arms and Diplomacy</b>			
102	"The Armourer's Shop"	Hungary	1893
103	Flintlock pistol set with coral stones	Algeria	19th century
104	Silver powder flask set with coral stones	Ottoman Turkey	19th century
105	Steel armguard with chiselled floral scrolls and lobed cartouches with animal figures	Qajar Iran	18th–19th century
106	Steel armguard with foliate design with silver and gold inlay	Qajar Iran	18th–19th century
107	Shield with figural and calligraphic cartouches in gold and silver inlay	Qajar Iran	19th century
108	<i>Khanjar</i> dagger with jade hilt	Mughal India	18th century
109	<i>Khanjar</i> dagger with jade horse-headed hilt	Mughal India	18th century
110	Steel double-edged <i>katar</i> dagger	Mughal India	18th century
111	Damascened <i>kilij</i> sword with silver sheath and jade hilt	Ottoman Turkey	ca. 1800
112	Silver mace with tiger head in gold inlay	Deccan	18th century
113	Silver mace with tiger head in gold inlay	Deccan	18th century
114	Gold mace	North India	19th century
<b>Chapter 10: Contemporary paintings</b>			
201	Sura al-Hadid, verses 1–6	–	2005
202	Sura Ya-Sin, verses 82–83	–	2007
203	"Labbaik"	–	2011
204	"Interior in the Exterior"	–	1977
<b>Chapter 11: Art of Calligraphy</b>			
142	A book of prayers	Persia	1715–1716
143	Jade pen rest	Ottoman Turkey	19th century
144	Ivory pen rest	Ottoman Turkey	19th century
145	Steel scissors with calligraphic handle	Turkey	20th century
146	Tortoiseshell knife with gems and gold inlay	Turkey	19th century
147	Porcelain inkwell with underglaze painting and bronze mount	China and Ottoman Empire	17th–18th century
148	Cast brass inkwell with silver inlay	Seljuk Iran	12th–13th century
149	Bronze inkwell with silver inlay	Seljuk Iran	12th–13th century
150	Penbox ( <i>divit</i> ) with the <i>tughra</i> of Sultan Mehmed IV	Ottoman Turkey	Mid-17th century
151	Silver penbox ( <i>divit</i> ) with the <i>tughra</i> of Sultan Abdul Majid I	Ottoman Turkey	19th century
152	Pen box ( <i>divit</i> ) with the <i>tughra</i> of Sultan Mahmud I	Ottoman Turkey	18th century
153	<i>Papier-mâché</i> penbox ( <i>qalamdan</i> ) with lacquered design	Qajar Iran	1713–1714
154	A collage of calligraphic ensembles	Iran	17th century
155	Alif-Ba Mufredat, manuscript	Ottoman Turkey	1735–1736
156	A studious lady, signed Muhamad Muqim	Safavid Iran	1638–1639
<b>Chapter 12: Malay World</b>			
179	Handwritten and illuminated Qur'an	East coast of the Malay Peninsula	19th century
180	Lacquered-wood Qur'an box	Malay Peninsula	19th century
181	Ceremonial batik cloth with hand-painted and stamped design	Malay Peninsula	Early 20th century
182	Silver-hilted <i>keris</i> of Tengku Mansur with wooden sheath	Malay Peninsula	19th century
183	Gold belt buckle set with gems	Malay Peninsula	Early 20th century
184	Nielloed-silver belt buckle	Malay world	19th–20th century
185	Cutlery set with gold and silver gilt and lacquered box	Malay Peninsula	1796
186	Betelnut container in silver <i>repoussé</i>	Malay Peninsula	19th–20th century
187	Cast-brass water container	Sumatra	19th century
188	Ceremonial hip or shoulder cloth in silk with gold metal threads	East coast, Malay Peninsula	19th–20th century
189	Wooden panel carved with the 99 attributes of God	Malay Peninsula	19th–20th century
<b>Chapter 13: Mughal Empire</b>			
158	Miniature painting of Nawab 'Aliwardi Khan seated with a visitor	Murshidabad, India	ca. 1750–1760
159	Miniature painting of Nawab Ghazi al-Din Haydar	Lucknow, India	19th century
160	Miniature painting of Shah Jahan embracing his son Aurangzeb	Mughal India	ca. 1750
161	Miniature painting of Shah Jahan seated with attendants	Mughal India	Early 17th century
162	Miniature painting of equestrian portrait of Emperor Aurangzeb	Delhi	Early 17th century
163	Gold armband with central cabochon	Mughal India	18th–19th century
164	A pinecone-shaped gem-set gold necklace	South India	18th century
165	Gem-set and enamel armbands (bazuband)	Mughal India	19th century
166	A pair of gold earrings set with gemstones	South India	19th century
167	Gold nose ring set with gemstones	Mughal India	19th century
168	Gold necklace with enamelling and set with gemstones	Jaipur	18th–19th century

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169	Gold necklace with enamelling and set with gemstones	Mughal India	19th century
170	Gold turban ornament in the form of a parrot with enamelling	North India	19th century
171	Child's necklace in gold set with gemstones	North India	19th century
172	Gold necklace set with gemstones	Mughal India	18th–19th century
173	Gold hair ornament set with gemstones	Mughal India	19th century
174	Gold and enamel parade necklace ( <i>khanti</i> ) set with diamonds	South India	ca. 1850–1875
175	Gold and enamel bracelet set with gemstones	North India	19th century
176	Gold bangles	Mughal India	19th century
177	Gold and enamel turban ornament set with gemstones	Mughal India	18th–19th century

#### Chapter 14: Ottoman Turkey

115	"An Ottoman Beauty"	Italy	19th century
116	Copper hand mirror with gilding	Ottoman Turkey	19th century
117	Jade mirror set with gemstones	Ottoman Turkey	17th–18th century
118	Embroidered women's silk robe	Ottoman Turkey	18th century
119	Foldable paper fan with mother-of-pearl guard-sticks	England for the Turkish market	19th century
120	Ivory pipe with gold and gemstones	Switzerland for the Ottoman market	19th century
121	Mounted casket set with gemstones	Ottoman Turkey	17th–18th century
122	A pair of gilt spoons	Ottoman Turkey	18th–19th century
123	Silver-inlaid Veneto-Saracenic incense burner	Export to the Ottoman Empire	15th–16th century
124	Copper incense burner with gilding	Ottoman Turkey	17th century
125	Silver rosewater sprinkler with gilding	Ottoman Turkey	Sultan Mahmud II, 1808–1839
126	Silver rosewater sprinkler with gilding	Ottoman Turkey	Sultan Mahmud II, 1808–1840
127	Silk barber's apron	Ottoman Turkey	18th century
128	<i>Firman</i> with the <i>tughra</i> of Sultan Mehmet I	Ottoman Turkey	1733
130	Embroidered silk banner with silver thread and the <i>tughra</i> of Sultan Mahmud II	Ottoman Turkey	19th century
131	Calligrapher's diploma ( <i>ijaza</i> ) formed as hilyeh	Ottoman Turkey	1778–1779
132	"The Nusretiye mosque"	Ottoman Turkey	19th century
133	Iznik fritware tile with underglaze-painted floral design	France	Early 17th century
134	Underglaze-painted Iznik fritware tile with floral design	Diyarbakir, Ottoman Turkey	1575–1585
135	Iznik fritware tile with underglaze-painted floral design in	Ottoman Turkey	Late 16th century
136	Iznik blue-and-white pottery dish	Ottoman Turkey	Mid-16th century
137	Underglaze-painted Iznik pottery dish	Ottoman Turkey	ca. 1580
138	Underglazed-painted Iznik pottery dish	Ottoman Turkey	ca. 1600
139	Iznik pottery dish with underglazed-painted ship design	Ottoman Turkey	16th century
140	Underglaze-painted Iznik pottery tankard	Ottoman Turkey	ca. 1575–1580
141	A brass astrolabe	Ottoman Turkey	1698–1699

#### Chapter 15: Islam in China

191	Receptacle with vegetal and calligraphic design in enamel	Qing dynasty, China	19th century
192	Cast brass container with calligraphic engraving and <i>cloisonné</i>	Qing dynasty, China	19th century
193	Bronze box and cover with Arabic inscription	Ming dynasty, China	17th–19th century
194	Underglaze-painted porcelain penbox with floral design	Ming dynasty, China	15th century
195	Famille rose cup and saucer	Canton China	1875
196	Famille rose bowl of Zill-i Sultan	Canton China	1879–1880
197	Fitzhugh-design dish	Canton China	1878
198	Famille rose dish	Canton China	Late 19th century
199	Qur'an in Sini script	Gansu, China	1546
200	Qur'an juz' in Sini script	Qing dynasty, China	17th century

