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THE TRANS- NATIONAL POLITICS OF CHRISTIAN PERSECUTION



Miray Philips is an Assistant Professor in Sociology at the University of Toronto. Her work explores the transnational politics, meaning, and memory of violence and suffering between the United States and the Middle East. Her current book focuses on claims-making by various transnational actors on behalf of Christians in the Middle East, and specifically Copts in Egypt. Her collaborative projects examine knowledge production and collective memories of mass violence, specifically in Syria. Her research is published in scholarly journals such as the *American Journal of Cultural Sociology*, *Memory Studies*, and the *Minnesota Journal of International Law*. Philips also engages in public-facing work and currently sits on the Board of Advisors of the Tahrir Institute for Middle East Policy.

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