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The present issue of AETHIOPICA, like the preceding one, is partly monographic, with a section containing the proceedings of the Panel on Islamic Literature in Ethiopia: New Perspectives of Research, from the ‘19th International Conference of Ethiopian Studies’, held in Warsaw, Poland, on 24–28 August 2015.

Starting from this issue, the annual bibliography on Ethiopian Semitic and Cushitic linguistics held from its inception in 1998 for eighteen years by Rainer Voigt is handed over, on Voigt’s own will, to a pool of younger scholars, with the substantial support of the AETHIOPICA editorial team. I would like on this occasion to express the deep gratitude of the editorial board of AETHIOPICA and of all scholars in Ethiopian Semitic and Cushitic linguistics to Rainer Voigt for his fundamental and valuable contribution.

Bibliographical abbreviations used in this volume

AÉ	<i>Annales d’Éthiopie</i> , Paris 1955ff.
ÄthFor	Äthiopistische Forschungen, 1–35, ed. by E. HAMMERSCHMIDT, 36–40, ed. by S. UHLIG (Stuttgart: Franz Steiner (1–34), 1977–1992; Wiesbaden: Harrassowitz (35–40), 1994–1995).
AethFor	Aethiopistische Forschungen, 41–73, ed. by S. UHLIG (Wiesbaden: Harrassowitz, 1998–2011); 74–75, ed. by A. BAUSI and S. UHLIG (<i>ibid.</i> , 2011f.); 76ff. ed. by A. BAUSI (<i>ibid.</i> , 2012ff.).
AION	<i>Annali dell’Università degli studi di Napoli ‘L’Orientale’</i> , Napoli: Università di Napoli ‘L’Orientale’ (former Istituto Universitario Orientale di Napoli), 1929ff.
CSCO	Corpus Scriptorum Christianorum Orientalium, 1903ff.
EAe	S. UHLIG, ed., <i>Encyclopaedia Aethiopica</i> , I: A–C; II: D–Ha; III: He–N; in cooperation with A. BAUSI, eds, IV: O–X (Wiesbaden: Harrassowitz, 2010); A. BAUSI in cooperation with S. UHLIG, eds, V: Y–Z, <i>Supplementa, Addenda et Corrigenda, Maps, Index</i> (Wiesbaden: Harrassowitz, 2003, 2005, 2007, 2010, 2014).
EI ²	<i>Encyclopaedia of Islam</i> , I–XII (Leiden: E.J. Brill, 1960–2005).
EMML	Ethiopian Manuscript Microfilm Library, Addis Ababa.
JES	<i>Journal of Ethiopian Studies</i> , Addis Ababa 1963ff.
JSS	<i>Journal of Semitic Studies</i> , Manchester 1956ff.
NEASt	<i>Northeast African Studies</i> , East Lansing, MI 1979ff.
OrChr	<i>Oriens Christianus</i> , Leipzig–Roma–Wiesbaden 1901ff.
PICES 9	A.A. GROMYKO, ed., 1988, <i>Proceedings of the Ninth International Congress of Ethiopian Studies, Moscow, 26–29 August 1986</i> , I–VI (Moscow: Nauka Publishers, Central Department of Oriental Literature, 1988).
RSE	<i>Rassegna di Studi Etiopici</i> , Roma, 1941–1981, Roma–Napoli 1983ff.
ZDMG	<i>Zeitschrift der Deutschen Morgenländischen Gesellschaft</i> , Leipzig–Wiesbaden–Stuttgart 1847ff.