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***Lecture in Persian**

Mohammad Navid Bazargan is an Assistant Professor of Persian Literature at Azad University and has been a member of the academic board of the *Great Encyclopedia of Islam* since 2004. He has contributed entries for *Encyclopedia of Persian Language and Literature* and is the senior editor of *Journal of Culture and Literature* at Azad University. His most recent responsibility as Academic Secretary of two international conferences for Mowlana and Ferdowsi have enriched and broadened his perspective about Persian literature in the contemporary world.

During the 2003-2004 academic year he was granted a research fellowship at the Center for Middle Eastern Studies at Harvard University. Dr. Bazargan came to the US in 2013 as a visiting scholar at California State University, Northridge, to continue his studies with the Middle Eastern and Islamic Studies Program.

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