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CORE LIST/ REFERENCE WORKS
Basic Reference Works for University Libraries

Library Catalogues of Arabic Manuscripts

Catalogues of the National Library (Bibliothèque Générale) , Rabat, set of 6 volumes, 1997-2002

Catalogue des manuscrits arabes conservés à la Bibliothèque Nationale du Royaume du Maroc, Volume 8: fonds Mohamed El Hajwi, 2010

Al Fihris Al Mujaz li Makhtutat Khizanat ' AllalAl Fasi (4 vols). Manuscripts Catalog of 'Allal al Fasi's private library in Rabat, 1992-1997

Fihris Khizanat Al Qarawiyin (4 vols.), 1980. Catalog of the Arabic manuscripts kept at the Qarawiyin, one of the oldest university libraries in the Islamic world (rare). Volumes 3 and 4 out of print

Fihris Makhtutat Khizanat Ibn Yusuf bi Murrakush (Catalog of Arabic ms. at the most important library of Marrakesh)

Dalil Makhtutat Dar Al Kutub Al Nasiriya, 1985 (Catalog of the Nasiri zawiya in Tamagrut)

Dalil Al Khizanat Al Hubusiya (Catalog of manuscripts found in the zawiya and mosque libraries throughout Morocco), 2 volumes, 2001

Al MasadirAl 'Arabiya li Tarikh Al Maghrib (Sources of Moroccan history by Muhammad Al Mannuni , 3 vols. , 1990- 2002

Dalil Makhtutat Al Jami' Al Kabir bi Taza (manuscript catalog of the great mosque library in Taza), 2002, 2 volumes

Fihris Makhtutat Al Jami' Al Kabir bi Maknas (manuscript catalog of the great mosque in Meknes), 2004

Al-Fihris Al Wasfi li Makhtutat Khizanat Al Zawiya Al Hamzawiya, 4 volumes, 2009.

Al-Fihris Al Wasfi li Makhtutat Khizanat Al Masjid Al 'A'dham bi Wazzan, 3 volumes, 2008.

Fihris Maktabat 'Abdallah Gannun (Tangier), Ministry of Islamic Affairs, 1996
Catalogue of history manuscripts at the Royal Library (Fihris Makhtutat Al Tarikh), Rabat, 2 volumes, 2002

Maghreb Index: CD ROM, 2005, more than 100,000 items covering the countries of the Maghrib

Répertoire des thèses universitaires soutenues à la faculté des lettres et des sciences humaines de Rabat, 1964-2007, 259 pages

Thèses marocaines (1956-2007), Theses in the humanities and social sciences defended in Moroccan universities between 1956 and 2007, 1 CD Rom
The Royal (Hasaniya) Library and the General (National) Library in Rabat have recently published a series of ms. catalogs (details upon request).

Encyclopaedias / Dictionaries

Ma'lamat al Maghrib (Encyclopaedia of Morocco, 24 vols. published until now). 1989-2010, Luxury binding. Contributions by leading academics in Morocco on every aspect of Moroccan history, society and culture.

Al Mu'jam Al 'Arabi Al Amazighi (Arabic-Berber dictionary) by Muhammad Shafiq (3 vols, but volume 1 has become rare), 1990-2000. The most authoritative dictionary of its kind by the director of the Royal Institute for Amazigh Culture in Morocco. Rare.

Dictionnaire Colin de l'Arabe Marocain (8 vols.), 1993. This is the most authoritative and comprehensive dictionary of Moroccan Arabic by a leading French orientalist. The result of years of compilation. Rare.

Biographical Dictionaries

Al 'lam biman halla Murrakush min Al A'lam (biographies of Marrakesh) by Ibn Ibrahim al Murrakushi (11 vols., including index volume), 1974-2002. Rare.

A'lam al Maghrib Al 'Arabi (Maghrebi biographies) by A. Benmansour, 1979-2005, 8 vols.

Azhar al Riyad fi Akhbar al Qadi 'Ayyad (biography of the famous Maliki scholar 'Ayyad, by Shihab al Din al Maqqari (5 vols.), 1978-1980. Rare.

Nashr al Mathani by Muhammad al Qadiri (4vols.). Chronicles of the Fez in the 17th & 18th centuries, 1977-1982, volume 1 is out of print.

Al Rawda al Maqsuda fi Ma'athir Bani Suda by Sulayman al Hawwat (2vols.), 1994,

Mawsu'at A'lam al Maghrib, Muhammad Hajji, editor (10 vols.). Luxury binding. Biographies of eminent 'ulama and sufis from Morocco over 13 centuries! 1997

Jadhwat al Iqtibas fi Dhikr man halla min al A'lam Madinat Fas by Ibn al Qadi (2vols.). Biographies from Fez in the Medieval period, 1974. Rare.

A'lam al Fikr wa al Thaqafa fi al Jaza'ir by Yahiya Buaziz (2 vols.). Algerian biographies, 1995

Ithaf al Mutali' bi Wafayat A'lam al Qarn al Thalith 'Ashar wa al Rabi' by A. Ibn Suda (2 vols.). Moroccan biographies from the 19th & 20th centuries, 1997

Tarajim al Mu'allifin al Tunisiyin by Muhammad Mahfud (5 vols.), 1982-1986 (Biographies of Tunisian writers)

Athar al Imam al Muhammad al Bashir al Ibrahim (5 vols.). Works of the famous Algerian scholar, 1997

Abd Al Kabir Al Kattani, *Zahr al As fi Buyutat Fas*, 2 vols. (the families of Fez), 2001, Rare.

A. Brochier, *Livre d'Or du Maroc: dictionnaire des personnalités passées et contemporaines du Maroc (1935-1936)*, reprint, 2005

Marthe et Edmond Gouvion, *Kitab A'yane Al Maghrib Al Aqsa*, 2 volumes, reprint, 2001, 914 pages

Gérard Flandry, *La bibliographie du Maroc: Ouvrages parus depuis les origines jusqu'aux années 1950* (5, 830 items), 2004 (reprint).