LIBRARIES & COLLECTIONS

KING'S College LONDON

Find Yourself In Our Collections

Libraries and Collections is working towards creating and maintaining collections in which everyone can see themselves. Though extensive, our collections are predominantly Western-centric and from the English-speaking world. We are committed to growing our collections to include a broader range of ideas, perspectives, cultures, and formats. Find Yourself in Our Collections is a living project and one of the ways that we seek to address this imbalance.

We are inviting you to engage with and assess our existing collections and to suggest new works that transform current understanding. We need your help to think reflectively about our collections and to recommend titles from a range of formats. For example, physical, digital, and multimedia content from communities and groups that have been historically marginalised in society, higher education, and in the Western publishing landscape. Through this endeavour, we seek to create new centres of knowledge.

With your suggestions we can find works that offer global perspectives and address historical under-representations of:

- Disability
- 'Race', caste, ethnicity
- Nationality, geographical location
- Gender or gender identity
- Sexual orientation
- Class, socioeconomic status

Find Yourself in Our Collections is a way to embolden the King's community and to make our Library more representative and inclusive. With this in mind, we'd like you to choose a work that you feel should be in our collection, to do this, simply fill in our form.

We anticipate receiving more suggestions than we can purchase, and when making our selections we will always aim to ensure that our libraries contain a broad range of authors and subject matter.

Find Yourself in Our Collections seeks to support the UN Sustainable Development Goals:

- **Goal 4**: Ensure inclusive and equitable quality education and promote lifelong learning opportunities for all
- **Goal 16**: Promote peaceful and inclusive societies for sustainable development, provide access to justice for all and build effective, accountable and inclusive institutions at all levels

For more information, go to sdgs.un.org/goals

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