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Folklore Studies in India

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Abstract

India has a special place in the history of global folklore studies. This lecture will focus on how India's role has changed over time. Special attention will be given to the way folklore studies developed during the colonial period and the developments that occurred after the nation's independence.



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