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Thus Spoke Zarathustra: The Zoroastrian Tradition from Ancient Iran to Modern India

Week 2, Lecture 2 (09/20/12): The Study of the Zoroastrian Tradition

Terms to Remember

1. Mazdayasnian (Avestan *mazdaiiasna-* / *daēnā-* *mazdaiiasnī-*)
2. Behdin (Avestan *daēnā-* *vaŋhuuī-* / Pahlavi *wehdēn* / Persian *behdīn*)
3. Pliny the Elder (23 CE - 79 CE)
4. Thomas Hyde (1636-1703)
5. Abrahame-Hyacinthe Anquetil du Perron (1731-1805)
6. Henry Creswicke Rawlinson (1810-1895)
7. Martin Haug (1827-1876)
8. James Darmesteter (1849-1894)