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# **Rethinking Reformation**

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#### **DESCRIPTION**

The topic invites critical reviews of the legacy of the Reformation. The special focus of the issue will be the reflection of the ongoing theological, philosophical, sociological and political reception of ideas coming from the Lutheran Reformation, as well as other branches of Reformation.

The topical issue explores two major themes:

The first theme is devoted to theological and philosophical questions concerning the relation between humanity, God, and the non-human world. Articles will, *inter alia*, be concerned with the phenomenology of gift and givenness; the relationship between God, Self, and the Other; Løgstrup's and/or Kierkegaard's Protestantism; the ethical demand; humanism/anti-humanism; creation, cosmology and the ontological status of the world etc.

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