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London exhibition titled 1001 Inventions: Discover the Muslim Heritage in Our World

The debt European scholars owe their Muslim counterparts – everything from water pumps and theories of blood circulation to engineering and map-making - was unveiled in a London exhibition titled 1001 Inventions: Discover the Muslim Heritage in Our World' on January 21. At the London's Science Museum. The exhibition will be open till April 25.

The organizers hope to illuminate 1,000 years of neglected science from North Africa to China, thereby providing a bridge between Classical and Renaissance scholarship.

In doing so, organizers expressed hope that the show would help improve understanding between the Muslim world and the West.

"If you neglect the contributions of other cultures [to contemporary civilization], then it gives you a sense of having cultural superiority, which is dangerous," observed Professor Salim T. S. al-Hassani, who masterminded the exhibition. You find the original post here peacetimes.net/2010/ ... | Jackson