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After the 1979 Revolution the translation of European thought has emerged as a central practice among Iranian thinkers and activists. This talk traces the European concept of political theology as it passes through leftist translation circles, becomes elahiāt-e sāsī, and in turn creates a space for Shi‘ī seminarians and academics to reconsider the Islamic politics of revolution and the state. Tuning into the contemporary reckonings of former revolutionaries and their children, this talk considers the relationship between translation, crises of transmission, and hope for renewal.

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