Note: This bibliography is necessarily selective, and is designed as complement to the essays in this special two-issue volume on the theme of women, gender and religion in premodern China. The contributors to this volume focus primarily (although not exclusively) on women and gender in non-Confucian religious traditions, and when they do discuss Confucianism, it is in terms of its influence on or interaction with these other traditions. This bibliography does much the same. This list also includes unpublished MA and Ph.D. theses, in both Chinese and Western languages. I am greatly indebted to Yanning Wang for her invaluable assistance in the compilation of this bibliography. I also profited immensely from Harriet Zurndorfer’s editorial expertise and experience.


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