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Area Impossible: Sexuality and Geopolitics



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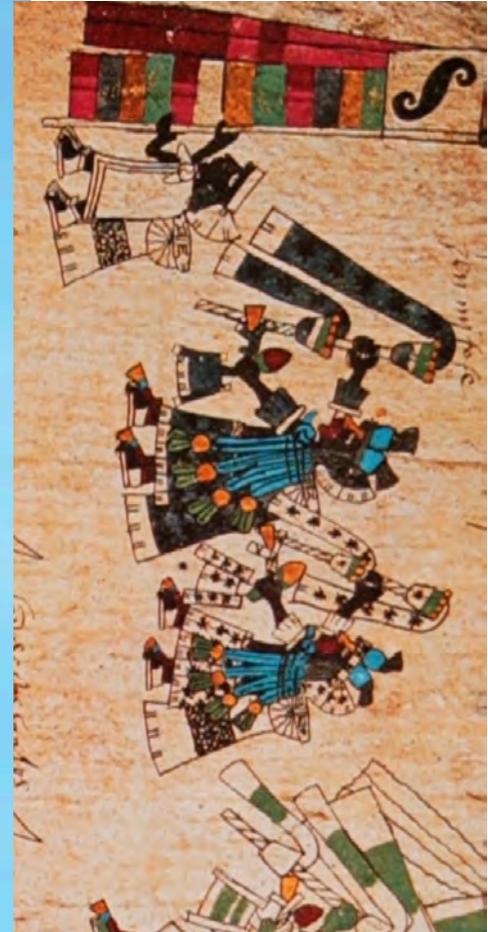
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Thinking with Trash: Nahua Knowledge and Queer Being

How do postcolonial voyeurism, interracial sex, and sadomasochism link with trash? How do these linkages allow us to understand modes of queer being? The Nahuas of central Mexico help us to see how indigenous meaning-making relates to the intellectual enterprise that we now call queer theory.

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