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propounded and to his model way of life, he is perceived as one of the pivotal figures in the history of Islam and a revered hero to this day.

The ninth-century juror Ahmad Ibn Hanbal was a central figure in early Islam whose influence on succeeding generations is widely recognized. Drawing on historical anthropology and micro-history, this study moves beyond conventional biography