Hu Sanxing’s (1230-1302) Historiography

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Hu Sanxing 胡三省 (1230-1302)

- The First Ancestor: Hu Chen 胡琛 (late Tang – Five Dynasties)
- Father: Hu Yao 胡鑰 (?-1245; did not pass the Civil Examinations)
Hu Sanxing’s Commentaries

- The assumed audience
- The content of the commentaries
  - The beginning to the end of events
  - The variations of place names
  - The changes of prefectures and counties
  - The changes of government institutions
- Hu’s Restraint of providing historical interpretation
- The importance of “human mind”
Literati Famous for Historical Studies During the Late Southern Song

- Hu Sanxing 胡三省 (1230-1302)
  - 《通鑑胡注》
- Wang Yinglin 王應麟 (1223-1296)
  - 《通鑑答問》，《通鑑地理通釋》，《困學記聞》
- Ma Duanlin 馬端臨 (ca.1254-ca.1323)
  - 《文獻通考》
- Jin Lüxiang 金履祥 (1232-1303)
  - 《資治通鑑前編》