

# Contents

*Acknowledgments* ix

*Notes on Dates and Transliteration* xiii

*Dramatis Personae* xv

*Map* xxiv

INTRODUCTION. The Shadow of Nationalism i

PART I. PLACE 29

1. Landscapes 34

2. Remembering, Lamenting 55

3. Place-Making and Proximity 76

PART II. ORIGIN 97

4. Lineages and Their Places 104

5. Kinship Without Ethnicity 122

6. Naming and Its Affiliations 146

7. Commemorating Persianate Collectives, Selves 163

CODA. Memories and Multiplicity (Lost and Lingering) 195

*Notes* 205

*Bibliography* 265

*Index* 295

*This page intentionally left blank*