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Humanities

Faculty of Classics

APGRD public lectures

The following lectures will take place at 5pm in the Ioannou Centre for Classical and Byzantine Studies, unless otherwise noted. Free. All welcome.

Professor Mark Fleishman, Cape Town
5.30pm, 27 Jan, Lecture Theatre: 'Reimagining tragedy from Africa: a South African perspective'

Professor David Wiles, Exeter
10 Feb, Outreach Room: 'Rhetorical acting: the classical theory of acting and its impact'

Dr Micha Lazarus, Cambridge
24 Feb, Outreach Room: 'Shakespeare's Aristotle: the poetics in Renaissance England'

Professor Luigi Battezzato
2 Mar, Lecture Theatre: 'The Dionysiac in the films of Visconti'

Faculty of English Language and Literature

Henry W & Albert A Berg Professor of English and American Literature Lecture

Professor Cliff Siskin will deliver the Henry W & Albert A Berg Professor of English and American Literature Lecture at 5pm on 27 January in Lecture Theatre 2, St Cross Building.

Clarendon Lectures 2020

THE MENTAL TRAVELLER

Professor Denise Gigante will deliver the Clarendon Lectures at 5.30pm in Lecture Theatre 2, St Cross Building.
28 Jan: 'Pilgrims and cold earth wanderers'

30 Jan: 'The lost traveller's dream: angels, spectres, shadows'

2 Feb: 'A fearful journey: lions and tygers'

4 Feb: 'Spiraling through eternity in nets and trees'

The Poet's Essay

Adam Phillips will lecture at 4.30pm on 5 February in the Pusey Room, Keble.
Subject: 'Denise Levertov'

Marilyn Butler Lecture

Professor Cliona ÓGallchoir will deliver the 2020 Marilyn Butler Lecture at 5.30pm on 5 February in the Weston Library.

Subject: '“Trap doors in private houses”: drama and theatricality in the work of Maria Edgeworth'

FW Bateson Memorial Lecture

Professor Mark Ford, UCL, will deliver the FW Bateson Memorial Lecture at 5pm on 12 February in the MBI Al Jaber Auditorium.

Subject: 'Woman much missed: Thomas Hardy, Emma Hardy and poetry'

Professor of Bibliography inaugural lecture

Professor Dirk Van Hulle will deliver his inaugural lecture at 5.30pm on 20 February in Lecture Theatre 2, St Cross Building.

Subject: 'Reading traces: on book history's digital future'

EA Lowe Lectures in Palaeography: the Hebrew-Latin manuscripts of the library of Corpus Christi

Professor Judith Schlanger will deliver the 2020 EA Lowe lectures at 5pm in the MBI Al Jaber Auditorium.

25 Feb: 'Two nations in their mother's womb - Hebrew-Latin manuscripts, their materiality and their purpose'

27 Feb: '“Take the garment of a Jew” - bilingual manuscripts, their glosses and their Jewish background'

3 Mar: 'From *superscriptio Lincolnensis* to Prior Gregory - the difficult question of manuscripts' provenance'

Professor of Poetry Lecture

Professor Alice Oswald will deliver the Hilary term Professor of Poetry Lecture at 5.30pm on 5 March in the Examination Schools.

Subject: tbc

Writers make worlds

Benjamin Zephaniah will deliver a lecture at 5.30pm on 20 March in the Gulbenkian Lecture Theatre, St Cross Building.

Subject: tbc

Lectures

Professor Peggy McCracken will lecture at 5pm on 23 January in Lecture Theatre 2, St Cross Building.

Subject: 'Animate ivory: animality, materiality and Pygmalion's statue'

Antjie Krog, **Nkosinathi Sithole** and **Chris Dunton** will lecture at 5.30pm on 28 February in the Tsuzuki Lecture Theatre, St Anne's.

Subject: 'African classics: translating texts, translated contexts'

Professor Alice Oswald and **Denise Riley** will present a reading at 6.30pm on 12 March in the Pusey Room, Keble.

Subject: 'Thinking poetry: Alice Oswald and Denise Riley - a reading and a conversation'

Faculties of English/History/History of Art/Music/Theology

The Bible in art, music and literature interdisciplinary seminar

The following seminars will take place at 5pm on Mondays at Trinity, unless otherwise noted. Convener: Dr C Joynes

Hussey seminar

Mark Cazalet

20 Jan: 'A sacramental vision: contemporary art addressing the sacred'

Dr Susanne Sklar

27 Jan: 'Transfiguring crucifixion in William Blake's *Jerusalem*' (rescheduled from Michaelmas term)

The Revd Canon Professor Alison Milbank, Nottingham

10 Feb: 'Enchanted black books: gothicising the Bible in Walter Scott and James Hogg's Reformation fiction'

Dr Sheona Beaumont, KCL

24 Feb: 'Pick and mix: the non-linear Bible as modern artists visualise it'

Biblical Art in Oxford series

An van Camp

3.45pm, 9 Mar, Ashmolean: 'Rembrandt and the Bible' (registration required: christine.joynes@regents.ox.ac.uk)

Faculty of History**Carlyle Lectures****DON'T THINK FOR YOURSELF:
AUTHORITY AND BELIEF IN MEDIEVAL
PHILOSOPHY**

Peter Adamson, Munich, will deliver the Carlyle Lectures at 5pm on Tuesdays in the Examination Schools.

4 Feb: 'Taqlid: authority and the intellectual elite in the Islamic world'

11 Feb: 'Too high a standard: knowledge and scepticism in medieval philosophy'

18 Feb: 'Testing the prophets: reason and the choice of faiths'

25 Feb: 'Using the pagans: reason in interreligious debate'

3 Mar: 'Some pagans are better than others: the merits of Plato and Aristotle'

10 Mar: 'Finding their voice: women in Byzantine and Latin Christian philosophy'

James Ford Lectures in British History**FAMILY AND EMPIRE: KINSHIP AND
BRITISH COLONIALISM IN THE EAST
INDIA COMPANY ERA, c1750-1850**

Professor Margot Finn, Royal Historical Society and UCL, will deliver the James Ford Lectures at 5pm on Fridays in the Examination Schools.

24 Jan: 'Family, state and empire'

31 Jan: 'Demography and marriage'

7 Feb: 'Race and belonging'

14 Feb: 'Property and pensions'

21 Feb: 'Material cultures and homes'

28 Feb: 'Dynasty and violence'

Oxford Centre for Global History**GLOBAL AND IMPERIAL HISTORY
RESEARCH SEMINAR**

The following seminars will take place at 4pm on Fridays in the Colin Matthew Room, History Faculty, unless otherwise noted. Tea/coffee is available in the Common Room from 3.30pm; all welcome. Conveners: Dr Erica Charters, Professor James Belich

Professor Saliha Belmessous, NSW

24 Jan: 'International treaties as imperial social contracts'

Professor Trevor Burnard, Melbourne

31 Jan: '“A pack of knaves”: the Royal African Company, large plantations and the rise of the planter class and imperial commitment to the support of slavery in British America 1672-1708'

Dr Jennifer Altehenger

7 Feb: 'Materials, design and revolution in the making of modern China'

Dr Benedetta Rossi, Birmingham

14 Feb: 'Slavery in the Nigerian Sahel: a resilient institution'

Dr Alex Middleton

21 Feb: 'Napoleon III, the invasion of Mexico and mid-Victorian liberalism'

Dr Dexnell Peters

28 Feb: 'Revolution, empire and entangled history in the Southern Caribbean'

10am-5pm, 6 Mar: Global and imperial history graduate student research presentations

10am-5pm, 13 Mar: Global and imperial history graduate student research presentations

**TRANSNATIONAL AND GLOBAL
HISTORY SEMINARS: GLOBAL
INTERSECTIONALITIES**

The following seminars will take place at 5pm on Tuesdays in the Platnauer Room, Brasenose. Wine and soft drinks provided from 4.45pm; all welcome. More information: <https://global.history.ox.ac.uk/transnational-and-global-history-seminar>. Conveners: Olivia Durand, Callum Kelly

Dr Declan Gilmore-Kavanagh, Kent

21 Jan: tbc

**Dr Faridah Zaman, Thomas C Burnham
and Huw Jones**

28 Jan: Global history graduate students workshop 1

Dr Eleanor Janega, LSE

18 Feb: tbc

Dr Sneha Krishnan; other speakers tbc

10 Mar: Global history graduate students workshop 2

**History of science, medicine and
technology research seminars**

The following seminars will take place at 4pm on Mondays in the History Faculty Lecture Theatre (coffee from 3.30pm in the Common Room). Conveners: Dr Erica Charters, Professor Mark Harrison, Dr John Lidwell-Durmin, Dr Catherine M Jackson, Dr Sloan Mahone

Dr Michael Finn, Leeds

20 Jan: 'Self-help and psychology'

Dr Taline Garibian

27 Jan: 'Proving violence: forensics and war crimes during the First World War'

Professor Marilyn Nicoud, Avignon

3 Feb: 'Some aspects of patient-doctor relationships in the middle ages: *Consilia* and *Regimina sanitatis*, a kind of individualised medicine'

10 Feb: tbc

Dr Taha Yasin Arslan, Istanbul

17 Feb: 'Astronomical instrumentation as a medium for the transmission of knowledge in the Islamic world'

Georgina Ferry, freelance writer

24 Feb: 'No lone heroes: is there a place for life stories in the history of science?'

Dr Chris Low

2 Mar: 'Historical and anthropological reflections on collapse and seizures among KhoeSan of southern Africa'

Dr Andreas Winkler

9 Mar: 'Stars, time and birth: the temple and astral science in Graeco-Roman Egypt'

**Faculties of History/Medieval and Modern
Languages/Voltaire Foundation****Enlightenment workshop**

The following seminars will take place at 5pm on Mondays at the Voltaire Foundation. Conveners: N Cronk, A Lifschitz

**Maria Florutau, Henrique Laitenberger,
Vincent Roy-Di Piazza**

20 Jan: Discussion of recent books on religion and Enlightenment

Professor Béla Kapossy, EPFL/Lausanne

27 Jan: 'Forms of federalism: Edward Gibbon's Great Republic of Europe vs Johannes von Müller's *Bundesrepublik*'

Professor Ann Thomson, EUI

3 Feb: 'Countering Islamophobia in the early 18th century'

Professor Claudia Olk, Munich

10 Feb: '“Beyond too much”: Shakespearean excesses in 18th-century Germany'

Professor George Rousseau, Bergen

17 Feb: 'What does the new history of distributed cognition do for Enlightenment Studies?'

Professor Michèle Bokobza Kahan, Tel Aviv

24 Feb: 'L'hospitalité dans les romans d'émigration/Hospitality in novels of emigration'

Professor Philip Dwyer, Newcastle
Australia

2 Mar: 'Violence and the Enlightenment'

Dr Silvia Sebastiani, EHESS

9 Mar: 'The orang-utan and the limits of humanity in Enlightenment debates'

History of Art Department

Slade Lectures

PHILIP GUSTON (1913–80): HISTORY AND THE ART OF PAINTING

Professor Karen Lang will deliver the Slade Lectures at 5pm on Wednesdays in the Mathematical Institute.

22 Jan: 'History and the art of painting'

29 Jan: 'Troubled beauty'

5 Feb: 'Fable'

12 Feb: 'Locating the image'

19 Feb: 'The little theatre of Philip Guston'

26 Feb: 'Wandering into the night'

4 Mar: 'Painting, allegory and the history of art'

11 Mar: 'In praise of hands'

Faculty of Linguistics, Philology and Phonetics

General linguistics seminar

The following seminars will take place at 5.15pm on Mondays in Room 2, Taylorian Institute. Conveners: Professor A Lahiri, Dr K Hoge, Professor W de Melo

Dr David Thomson, Durham, and Professor John Coleman

20 Jan: 'Medieval talking heads: early acoustic and articulatory phonetics in England'

Professor Gennaro Chierchia, Harvard

27 Jan: 'Number, counting and universal mass/count structures'

Dr Sam Wolfe

3 Feb: 'Syntactic change in French'

Professor Amalia Arvaniti, Kent

10 Feb: 'Intonational phonology in the light of crosslinguistic evidence of variability'

Professor David Langslow, Manchester

17 Feb: 'The business of making a Latin medical translation, and the business of making an edition of it'

Dr Christina Kim, Kent

24 Feb: 'Perceived similarity and structural convergence in dialogue'

Dr Matthew Husband

2 Mar: tbc

Professor Jane Stuart-Smith, Glasgow

9 Mar: 'Sound perspectives for inferring social meaning? Speech and speaker dynamics over a century of Scottish English'

Faculty of Medieval and Modern Languages

Taylor Lecture

Professor Jonathan Bolton will deliver the 2020 Taylor Lecture at 5.15pm on 18 February in the Taylor Institution. More information and to register: www.mod-langs.ox.ac.uk/events/2020/02/18/taylor-lecture-2020.

Subject: tbc

Faculties of Medieval and Modern Languages/Linguistics, Philology and Phonetics

Romance linguistics seminars

The following seminars will take place at 5pm on Thursdays at 47 Wellington Square. Convener: Professor Martin Maiden

Professor Delia Bentley

23 Jan: 'Breaking down the subject function: V-S constructions in Italo-Romance'

Andrew Lloyd

6 Feb: 'The discourse-pragmatics of negation in old Gallo-Romance'

Kamila Akhmedjanova

20 Feb: tbc

Anna Paradis

5 Mar: 'Catalan clitics are climbers! The clitic climbing cycle: a pan-Romance view'

Professor Adam Ledgeway, Cambridge

12 Mar: 'When Greek meets Romance: changing alignments in the Greek of southern Italy' (postponed from Michaelmas term)

Faculty of Music

Graduate research colloquia

The following series will take place at 5.15pm on Tuesdays in the Denis Arnold Hall, Faculty of Music. Conveners: Annabelle Page, George Haggart

Professor Robert Rawson, Canterbury Christ Church

21 Jan: 'Music, religion and diplomacy - a re-evaluation of Gottfried Finger's role in the triumph of the Italian style in England'

Dr William Kelly

28 Jan: 'Empty orchestras: reflections on (nearly) five decades of karaoke-singing in Japan'

Professor Stephanie Pitts, Sheffield

4 Feb: 'The art of persuasion: audience development for classical music in a time of "crisis"'

Professor Katherine Hambridge, Durham

11 Feb: 'Cross-dressing the German voice, c1800'

Dr James Cook, Edinburgh

18 Feb: 'Hearing historic Scotland'

Dr Alessandra Palidda, Oxford Brookes

25 Feb: 'On- and off-stage cultural intervention in republican Milan (1796–1802): features, issues and significance'

Dr John Croft, Brunel

3 Mar: 'Music from nowhere'

Dr Darci Sprengel

10 Mar: 'Atmosphere as biopower? Managing "the barrier of fear" through DIY music in contemporary Egypt'

Oxford seminar in music theory and analysis

The following seminars will take place at 4.30pm on Wednesdays in the Committee Room, Faculty of Music. Conveners: Professor J Cross, Dr S Wedler

Professor Martin Stokes, KCL

29 Jan: 'Translating modes and the problem(s) of cross-cultural music analysis: the case of Maqam Nahawand'

Professor Elizabeth Eva Leach

26 Feb: 'Imagining the un-encoded: analysing affect in a 12th-century love song'

Seminars in ethnomusicology and sound studies

The following seminars will take place at 5pm on Thursdays in the Barn, St John's. Convener: Professor J Stanyek

Professor John Mowitt, Leeds

23 Jan: 'Jamming'

Dr Shzr Ee Tan, RHUL

27 Feb: 'Too "hot" for East Asians? Tango, salsa and the performance of class and sex in Singapore'

Seminar in medieval and Renaissance music

The following lectures will take place at 5pm on Thursdays in the Wharton Room, All Souls. Convener: Dr M Bent

Professor Stephen Rose, RHUL

30 Jan: 'Protected publications: privileges for printed music in German-speaking lands, 1500-1600'

Professor Elżbieta Witkowska-Zaremba, Polish Academy of Sciences

13 Feb: 'Keyboard and the 15th-century *musica ficta*: on the road toward the twelve steps octave'

Professor Christiane Wiesenfeldt, Musikhochschule Weimar

27 Feb: 'Composing compassion: Pierre de La Rue's *Missa de Septem Doloribus*'

Eva Maschke, Heidelberg

12 Mar: 'Polyphony on parchment and paper: new observations on the recently discovered Ars Nova fragments from Leipzig'

Composer speaks series

Anne Dudley will give a Composer Speaks lecture at 4pm on 10 February in Lecture Room A, Faculty of Music.

Subject: 'Themes and variations in film scoring'

Faculty of Oriental Studies**Seminar on Jewish history and literature in the Graeco-Roman period**

The following seminars will take place at 2.15pm on Tuesdays in the Clarendon Institute. Convener: Martin Goodman

Dr Anna Krauss

21 Jan: 'Material aspects of reading Psalms: observations on the Dead Sea Psalms scroll'

*LXX Forum***Jelle Verburg, Tübingen**

28 Jan: '*Halakhah* in Greek: the value of motive in the Septuagint's laws on sacrifice and theft'

Dr Gil Gambash, Haifa

4 Feb: 'Rome and the Jews: genocidal perspectives'

*LXX Forum***Dr Antonella Bellantuono, Strasbourg**

11 Feb: 'Divine epithets in Jewish-Hellenistic literature'

Dr Kim Czajkowski and Dr Benedikt Eckhardt, Edinburgh

18 Feb: 'The king's man? Nicolaus of Damascus on Herod the Great'

Ursula Westwood

25 Feb: 'Josephus on Moses' constitution in light of Plutarch's *Lycurgus*'

Professor David Jacobson, KCL

3 Mar: 'The significance of the coins of Agrippa II'

Dr Daniel Schumann

10 Mar: 'The prohibitive vow in Greek and Hebrew discourse'

Centre for Hebrew and Jewish Studies**OXFORD SEMINAR IN ADVANCED JEWISH STUDIES: BETWEEN SACRED AND PROFANE: JEWISH MUSICAL CULTURES IN EARLY MODERN EUROPE**

The following seminars will take place at 4pm on Tuesdays at the Clarendon Institute. Conveners: Dr Diana Matu, Dr Deborah Rooke

Dr Enrico Fink

21 Jan: '*Piyutim* in early modern Italian liturgies'

Dr Yael Sela, Open University of Israel

28 Jan: 'Exile, and the idea of redemption in early modern Jewish culture'

Professor Suzanne Wijsman, Western Australia

4 Feb: 'Seeing the sounds: music and musicians in Jewish book art, c1500-1700'

Professor Edwin Seroussi, Hebrew

11 Feb: 'A spark of King David: the musical poetry of Rabbi Israel Najara in Europe'

Dr Piergabriele Mancuso, Medici Archive Project, Florence

18 Feb: 'The music traditions of the Jews in early modern Venice'

Matthew Austerklein

25 Feb: 'Ashkenazi cantors - a transformation of identity'

Professor Walter Zev Feldman, NYU Abu Dhabi

3 Mar: 'Ottoman musical sources as antecedents for the Ottoman stock within the klezmer music fusion'

Professor Judit Frigyes, Bar Ilan

10 Mar: 'The development and disappearance of the old practice of east-Ashkenazic prayer chant'

Concert

A concert will take place at 7.30pm on 26 February. Conveners: Diana Matu, Alexandre Cerveux

Subject: 'A celebration of French-Jewish music'

Concert and conference

The Ensemble Simkhat Hanefesh will give a concert at 7pm on 15 March at the Holywell Music Room.

Subject: 'A journey through Ashkenaz. The travels of Abraham Levie, 1719-23: early Yiddish music'

A three-day conference will take place 16-18 March at the Clarendon Institute. Conveners: Dr Diana Matu, Dr Deborah Rooke

Subject: 'Jewish musical cultures in early modern Europe, 1500-1750'

SEMINAR IN MODERN JEWISH HISTORY

The following seminars will take place at 11.10am on Mondays in Lecture room VII, Brasenose. Conveners: Dr Zoë Waxman, Dr Jaclyn Granick, Professor Abigail Green, Professor David Rechter

Sarah Haggmann, Basel

27 Jan: 'Harbin - Berlin - Geneva - Shanghai - New York. Shaping new global spaces through Jewish relief networks during World War II'

Paris Chronakis, RHUL

17 Feb: 'A blood-dark sea? Greek antisemitism across the eastern Mediterranean, 1830-1912'

Faculty of Theology and Religion**Ptarmigan Lecture**

Catherine Conybeare, Bryn Mawr, will deliver the Ptarmigan Lecture at 5pm on 30 April in the Examination Schools. Followed by drinks reception.

Subject: 'Was Augustine black?'

Hensley Henson Lectures**A CHURCH MILITANT: ANGLICANS AND THE ARMED FORCES IN GREAT BRITAIN AND THE UNITED STATES FROM QUEEN VICTORIA TO THE VIETNAM WAR**

Canon Professor Michael Snape, Durham, will deliver the Hensley Henson Lectures at 5pm at the Examination Schools.

27 Feb: 'Anglicans, empire and the armed forces' (followed by drinks reception)

4 Mar: 'Anglicans in arms: the First World War'

5 Mar: 'Anglicans in arms: the Second World War'

11 Mar: 'Soldiering on? Anglicans, communism and the Cold War'

12 Mar: 'Anglicans, remembrance and the memorialisation of military service'

Speaker's Lectures**THE 'PARTING OF THE WAYS' BETWEEN JUDAISM AND CHRISTIANITY**

Adele Reinhartz, Ottawa, will deliver a Speaker's Lecture at 5pm on 29 April at the Harris Lecture Theatre, Oriel, followed by a light reception.

Subject: 'The "parting of the ways:" why it matters, and to whom'

Mathematical, Physical and Life Sciences**Department of Chemistry****Organic Chemistry and Chemical Biology research colloquia**

The following colloquia will take place at 2pm on Thursdays in the Dyson Perrins Lecture Theatre. Conveners: Professor Véronique Gouverneur, Dr Michael Booth

2019 RSC Bader Award Lecture

Professor Jason Micklefield, Manchester
23 Jan: 'Discovery, characterisation and engineering synthetic pathways towards bioactive molecules'

Professor Virginie Vidal, École Nationale Supérieure de Chimie de Paris
30 Jan: 'Recent advances in asymmetric catalysis: synthetic applications'

Professor David W Christianson, Pennsylvania
13 Feb: 'Directing biosynthesis with modular architecture in terpenoid cyclases'

2019 RSC Merck, Sharp & Dohme Award Lecture

Professor Nicolai Cramer, EPF Lausanne
20 Feb: 'Lending hands - catalysts for asymmetric C-H functionalisations'

Professor Chris Willis, Bristol
27 Feb: 'Combining organic synthesis, isotopes and synthetic biology in natural products research'

Dr Daniele Leonori, Manchester
5 Mar: 'Photoinduced assembly of C-N and C-C bonds'

2019 RSC Harrison-Meldola Memorial Prize Lecture

Professor Matthew Powner, UCL
12 Mar: 'On the chemical origins of peptides'

Department of Engineering Science**Solid mechanics and materials engineering seminars**

The following seminars will take place at 2pm on Mondays in Lecture Theatre 1, Thom Building. Convener: Dr Edmund Tarleton

Professor Philip Bayly, Washington
20 Jan: 'The brain in motion: visualising brain biomechanics and understanding traumatic brain injury'

Professor Laurence Brassart
27 Jan: 'Micromechanics of near ideal polymer networks'

Dr Edmund Tarleton
3 Feb: 'Simulating micromechanical tests using discrete dislocation and crystal plasticity'

Dr Emilio Martinez-Paneda, Imperial
10 Feb: 'Predictive modelling of hydrogen resisted fracture'

Dr Simon Gill, Leicester
17 Feb: 'Modelling the stress-driven reorientation of zirconium hydrides'

Professor Laurent Stainier, École Centrale Nantes
24 Feb: 'Data driven mechanics: an integrated approach, towards inelasticity'

Professor Maria Charalambides, Imperial
2 Mar: 'Towards predictive models for fracture in highly filled particulate composites'

Dr Mahmoud Mostafavi, Bristol
9 Mar: 'Modelling and measurement of viscoplastic deformation of cubic systems at micro level'

Department of Physics**Theoretical particle physics seminars**

The following seminars will take place at 4pm on Thursdays in the Simkins Lee Room, Department of Physics. Convener: Professor Subir Sarkar

Dr Andrew Larkoski, Reed College
23 Jan: 'A recipe for high precision jet substructure'

Dr Josef Pradler, Institute of High Energy Physics, Vienna
30 Jan: 'The photon as a new physics messenger'

Dr Martin Bauer, IPPP Durham
6 Feb: 'Flavour bounds on axion-like particles and a new solution to $(g-2)_{\mu}$ '

Dr Sabine Hossenfelder, Frankfurt Institute for Advanced Studies
13 Feb: 'Superfluid dark matter'

20 Feb: tbc

Dr Alex Huss, Durham
27 Feb: 'Triple differential dijet cross section at the LHC'

Dr Diego Blas, KCL
5 Mar: 'Astrophysical probes of ultra-light dark matter'

Dr Claude Duhr, CERN
12 Mar: 'Quantum chromodynamics'

Department of Plant Sciences

Departmental research seminars

The following seminars will take place at 12.30pm on Thursdays in the Large Lecture Theatre, Department of Plant Sciences.

Organiser: Professor Dmitry Filatov

Professor Wanne Kromdijk, Cambridge
23 Jan: 'Re-engineering photoprotection to improve crop productivity: models, measurements and serendipity'

Dr Patrick Achard, CNRS
30 Jan: 'Long-distance transport of gibberellins in plants'

Professor Edwige Moyroud, Sainsbury Lab
6 Feb: 'Bullseye! Understanding the mechanisms of petal patterning'

Professor John Pannell, Lausanne
13 Feb: 'Evolutionary transitions in plant sexual systems'

Dr Tim Haskett and **Dr Maddy Seale**
20 Feb: 'Controlling endophytic nitrogen fixation with engineered signalling' (Haskett) and 'Form and function of the dandelion fruit' (Seale)

Dr Jaume Flexas, Mallorca
27 Feb: 'Ecophysiology of photosynthesis: expanding towards geographical, phylogenetic and commercial directions'

Professor Manuel Rodriguez Conception, CRAG Barcelona
5 Mar: 'Exploring new ways of improving carotenoid contents in plants: a route to El Dorado'

Dr Ronelle Roth, Cambridge
12 Mar: 'Plant-fungal dialogue at the heart of arbuscular mycorrhizal symbiosis'

Department of Zoology

Departmental research seminars

The following seminars will take place at 1pm on Mondays in the Seminar Room, Zoology Research and Administration Building, 11a Mansfield Road, unless otherwise noted. Organisers: Dr Sarah Knowles, Dr Jonathan Green

Professor Dora Biro
20 Jan: 'Cognition, collective intelligence and cultural evolution'

Professor Kevin Foster
27 Jan: 'Cooperation, competition and warfare in bacteria: from model systems to the microbiome'

Professor Katie Peichel, Bern
3 Feb: 'Genetics of adaptation: the roles of pleiotropy and linkage'

Dr Elizabeth Clare, QMUL
10 Feb: 'Multi trophic level response to fragmentation in one of planet's most disrupted ecosystems'

Professor Anjali Goswami, Natural History Museum
17 Feb: tbc

Weldon Lecture

Professor Stephen Pacala, Princeton
4pm, 24 Feb, Oxford Martin School: 'Predicting the forest from the trees'

Professor Joseph Travis, Florida
2 Mar: 'Do animals adapt to their density regimes? Looking for an answer with the least killifish'

Professor Jeremy Field, Exeter
9 Mar: 'Social evolution in bees and wasps'

Medical Sciences

Department of Pharmacology

Pharmacology, anatomical neuropharmacology and drug discovery seminars

The following seminars will take place at noon on Tuesdays in the Lecture Theatre, Department of Pharmacology.

Dr Giovanna Zinzalla, Karolinska Institutet.
Host: Professor Angela Russell
21 Jan: 'How transcription factor interaction networks control gene expression programs'

Professor David Wyllie, Edinburgh. Host: Dr Barbara Zonta
28 Jan: 'Of mice (and rats) and men: assessing and correcting dysfunction in models of fragile X syndrome'

Professor Frances Edwards, UCL. Host: Dr Tim Viney
4 Feb: 'Alzheimer's disease: the interaction between amyloid beta, synapses and microglia'

Dr Susan Deuchars, Leeds. Host: Professor Paolo Tammaro
11 Feb: 'Is there neurogenesis in the adult spinal cord?'

Professor Jack Scannell, JW Scannell Analytics Ltd and Edinburgh. Host: Professor Grant Churchill
18 Feb: 'Damn the compass, full steam ahead! Disease model validity and the problem of drug discovery'

Associate Professor Pipsa Saharinen, Helsinki. Host: Professor Paolo Tammaro
25 Feb: 'Control of vascular stability and inflammation-induced leakage via integrins'

Professor Andrea Németh. Host: Professor Rebecca Sitsapesan
26 Feb: tbc

Professor Walter Marcotti, Sheffield. Host: Professor Paolo Tammaro
3 Mar: 'Age-related changes at the synapses of mouse inner hair cells'

Professor Philipp Sasse, Bonn. Host: Dr Rebecca Burton
10 Mar: 'The enlightened heart: optogenetic approaches to treat and understand cardiac arrhythmia'

Department of Physiology, Anatomy and Genetics

Marianne Fillenz Lecture

Dr Nils Brose, Göttingen, will deliver the annual Marianne Fillenz Lecture at 1.15pm on 5 March in the Large Lecture Theatre, Sherrington Building. All welcome. Host: Professor David Paterson

Subject: 'Dynamic control of presynaptic function in health and disease'

Mabel FitzGerald Lecture

Professor Eve Marder, Brandeis, will deliver the annual Mabel FitzGerald Lecture at 1pm on 24 February in the Large Lecture Theatre, Sherrington Building. All welcome. Host: Professor David Paterson

Subject: 'Differential resilience to perturbation of circuits with similar performance'

Head of Department seminar series

The following seminars will take place at 1pm on Fridays in the Sherrington Library, Sherrington Building, unless otherwise noted. All welcome. Conveners and hosts: Professor Maike Glitsch, Dr Duncan Sparrow

Professor Kim Dora

24 Jan: 'Insights into the regulation of human coronary microvascular flow'

Professor Scott Waddell

31 Jan: 'Conflict or complement: parallel memories control behaviour in the wee fly'

Professor Alan Garfinkel

7 Feb: 'Oscillation in physiology: the how and the why'

Professor Dr Laura De Laporte, RWTH Aachen

14 Feb, Sherrington Large Lecture Theatre: 'Synthetic building blocks to assemble tissue regenerative constructs *in situ*'

Professor Kim Midwood

28 Feb: 'Decoding danger signals from the extracellular matrix reveals new strategies to treat inflammatory disease and cancer'

Professor Ruediger Klein, Max Planck Institute of Neurobiology

6 Mar: 'Guidance mechanisms during neural circuit development'

Professor Dr Wolfgang Driever, Freiberg

13 Mar: 'Dynamic control of neural proliferation zones in the zebrafish larval thalamus'

Nuffield Department of Population Health

An Oxford conversation

Simon Stevens, NHS England, **Damian Collins**, MP, and **Sarah Montague**, BBC's *World at One*, will be in discussion at 6pm on 30 January at the Sheldonian Theatre. Registration required: <https://oxford.onlinesurveys.ac.uk/fake-news-on-our-lives-30-january-2020>.

Subject: 'The impact of fake news on our lives'

Sir Richard Doll seminars in public health and epidemiology

The following seminars will take place at 1pm in the Lecture Theatre, Richard Doll Building, unless otherwise noted. All welcome. More information: www.ndph.ox.ac.uk/rdseminars. Conveners: David Preiss, Louisa Gnatiuc, Gracia Fellmeth, Keren Papier

Dr Carolyn Taylor

noon, 21 Jan: 'Twenty-five-year risks of breast cancer mortality in 500,000 women'

Dr Heidi Lai, Imperial

28 Jan: 'Trans fatty acid biomarkers and incident type 2 diabetes: pooled analysis from 11 prospective cohort studies'

Professor Jemma Hopewell

4 Feb: 'The genetics of stroke'

Professor Dylan Thompson, Bath

11 Feb: 'Movement posology for a digitally enabled world'

Professor Mary Renfrew, Dundee

18 Feb: 'Using evidence to transform policy and practice - can it be done?'

Professor Peter Diggle, Lancaster

25 Feb: 'Design and analysis of prevalence surveys in low-resource settings'

Professor Julia Hippisley-Cox

3 Mar: 'The risk of everything - using linked electronic health records to develop and validate risk prediction tools for use in clinical care'

Professor Richard Gray

10 Mar: 'Trials to assess potential preventive, neuroprotective or symptom-alleviating treatments for Alzheimer's disease'

Department of Psychiatry

Department of Psychiatry meetings

The following lectures will take place at 9.30am on Tuesdays in the Seminar Room, Department of Psychiatry, Warneford Hospital. Security badges to be worn to all lectures.

Professor Glyn Lewis, UCL

21 Jan: 'Antidepressant effectiveness and clinical importance'

Dr Najaf Amin

28 Jan: 'Multi-omics studies in depression'

Professor Phil Cowen and Dr Rupert McShane

4 Feb: 'Overcoming the black dog: ketamine and esketamine for resistant depression'

Professor Anne Speckens, Radboud

11 Feb: 'The application for mindfulness-based interventions in healthcare: their possible value for patients and doctors'

Professor Cornelia Van Duijn

25 Feb: 'Towards prevention of dementia: opportunities and challenges'

Professor Tamsin Ford, Cambridge

3 Mar: 'Transitional care for young adults with ADHD - results from the CATChUS study'

Dr Quentin Huys, UCL

10 Mar: 'Neurocognitive predictors of depression relapse'

Social Sciences

School of Anthropology and Museum Ethnography

Departmental seminar series: human and non-human adaptations to changing environments: cultural, social and biological perspectives

The following seminars will take place at 3.15pm on Fridays in the Lecture Room, 64 Banbury Road. Conveners: Dr L Rival, Dr S Carvalho

David Ludwig, Wageningen

24 Jan: 'Towards an epistemology of international development'

Alecia Carter, UCL

31 Jan: 'Limitations on the formation of culture in wild, desert-living baboons'

Marlee Tucker, Radboud

7 Feb: 'How do mammals respond to changing environments? Perspectives from movement ecology'

Laura Rival

14 Feb: 'Pluralising science in the Anthropocene: the role of ethnobiology'

René Bobe, Gorongosa National Park

21 Feb: 'Climate change as a driver of hominin evolution'

Simon Pooley, Birbeck

28 Feb: 'Current and future approaches to improving human-predator relations'

David Wengrow, UCL

6 Mar: 'Slavery and its rejection among foragers on the Pacific coast of North America (or "culture areas" as structures of resistance)'

Sabrina Leonelli, Exeter

13 Mar: 'Plants crossing borders: between local communities and international law: how ontologies help plant data to cross borders'

Pitt Rivers Museum: research seminar in visual, material and museum anthropology

The following seminars will take place at 1pm on Fridays in the Lecture Theatre, Pitt Rivers Museum, Robinson Close. Conveners: Dr E Hallam, Dr C Morton

Graeme Were, Bristol

24 Jan: 'Re-inheriting the revolutionary past: museums, archives and social repair in Vietnam'

Ramon Sarró

31 Jan: 'Blow-up in Bissau: the curator's cut'

Ashley Couto

7 Feb: 'From an East African savanna to a Victorian parlour: the journey of ivory on 19th-century caravans'

Veronica Strang, Durham

14 Feb: "'Wisdom begins with wonder": evolutionary and cultural perspectives on human engagements with water and light'

Christopher Morton

21 Feb: 'Attempted portraits: photography and the limits of visibility in Evans-Pritchard's ethnography'

Jon Mitchell, Sussex

28 Feb: 'Anthropology, animism and animation: reflections on life, death and Christianity'

Taos Dahmani, Paris 1

6 Mar: 'The photographic representation of struggle and the struggle for photographic representation: an introduction to "Direct Action Photography"'

Samuel Derbyshire

13 Mar: 'Remembering Turkana: photo-elicitation and material histories in northwestern Kenya'

Anthropology Research Group at Oxford on Eastern Medicines and Religions seminar series: *materia medica* in China: past and present

The following seminars will take place at 5pm on Wednesdays in the Pauling Centre, 58a Banbury Road. Convener: Professor E Hsu

Georges Métailié, French National Centre for Scientific Research/Alexandre Koyré Center

22 Jan: 'TCM in modern local pharmacopoeias published between the years 1960 and 1980 in China'

Taiping Fan, Cambridge

5 Feb: 'Revitalising traditional medicine: opportunities and challenges'

Manuel Campinas, LSHTM

19 Feb: 'Ethnic Qiang medicines: disputed significance and industrial aspirations'

Man Gu, China Academy of Chinese Medical Sciences

4 Mar: 'A comparative study of Tianhui medical manuscripts and *Huangdi Neijing*'

Unit for Biocultural Variation and Obesity

SEMINAR SERIES

The following seminars will take place at 1pm on Thursdays in the Lecture Room, 61 Banbury Road, unless otherwise noted. Convener: Professor S Ulijaszek

Aurora Perez-Cornago

23 Jan: 'Height, weight and prostate cancer'

Giles Yeo, Cambridge

30 Jan: 'Is obesity a choice?'

Sabine Parrish

6 Feb: 'Coffee, pure and simple: rejection of milk and sugar by Brazilian specialty coffee consumers'

Doreen Montag, QMUL

13 Feb: 'An eco-bio-socio-political approach to anaemia in Peru'

Cornelia van Duijn

20 Feb: 'New perspectives on weight and metabolic changes in Alzheimer's disease and dementia'

Stanley Ulijaszek

27 Feb: 'Framing obesity as a problem'

Tess Bird, Wesleyan

noon, 12 Mar: 'Visual materiality of corporate science: asbestos, tobacco, pharma and food'

Tanja Schneider, St Gallen

12 Mar: 'Sustainability on stage: FoodTech and the spectacle of innovation'

WORKSHOP

A workshop will take place 10am-3.30pm on 5 March at St Cross. More information: www.oxfordobesity.org.

Subject: 'Materialities of obesity and eating disorders - new policy directions?'

Primate conversations seminar series

The following seminars will take place at 4.30pm on Tuesdays in the Lecture Room, 64 Banbury Road. Child-friendly events with tea and biscuits. Convener: Dr S Carvalho

Andrew Whiten, St Andrews

21 Jan: 'The discovery of animal cultures and its multifarious implications across biology, psychology, anthropology and conservation'

Tina Lüdecke, Senckenberg Biodiversity and Climate Research Centre

28 Jan: 'Isotope-based reconstructions of early hominin dietary versatility in Pleistocene Africa'

Thomas O'Mahoney, Anglia Ruskin

4 Feb: 'Evolution of the primate vocal tract: the known, the unknown and the unknowable'

Theo Toppe, Leipzig

11 Feb: 'Causes and consequences of cooperative games in young children'

Kimberley Hockings, Exeter

18 Feb: 'Coexistence matters: great ape adaptability in human-impacted landscapes'

various speakers

25 Feb: 'Classic conversations: Konrad Lorenz'

Laura Van Holstein, Cambridge

3 Mar: 'Darwin's manufactory hypothesis revisited'

various speakers

10 Mar: 'Gorongosa research day'

COMPAS seminar series: refugees and host communities: perspectives, evidence and thinking'

The following seminars will take place at 3.30pm on Thursdays in the Seminar Room, 61 Banbury Road. Funded by the John Fell Fund as part of the Socio-Economic Impact of Refugees on Local Communities (SERLOCAL) project. More information: www.econforced.com/serlocal. Convener: Dr C Vargas-Silva

Cory Rodgers

23 Jan: 'What does "social cohesion" mean for refugees and hosts? Ethnographic insights from Kakuma, Kenya'

Gabriel Ullysea

30 Jan: 'Informality and the labour market effects of mass migration: evidence from Syrian refugees in Turkey'

Bilal Malaeb, LSE

6 Feb: 'Cooperation in a fragmented society: experimental evidence on Syrian refugees and natives in Lebanon'

Theresa Beltramo, UNHCR

13 Feb: 'Understanding the socioeconomic profile of refugees in Kalobeyei, Kenya'

Isabel Ruiz

20 Feb: 'The impacts of refugee repatriation on receiving communities'

Jean-Francois Maystadt, Antwerp

27 Feb: 'The impacts of refugees beyond the labour markets in Africa'

Nao Omata

5 Mar: 'The ideal refugee-host? Questioning Uganda's self-reliance strategy'

Simon Quinn

12 Mar: 'Job search assistance for refugees in Jordan: an adaptive field experiment'

Radhakrishnan Memorial Lectures

THE TIMELINESS OF ANCIENT INDIA

Harry Falk, Professor Emeritus in Indology, FU Berlin, will deliver the 2020 Radhakrishnan Memorial Lectures at 5pm on Wednesdays in the Old Library, All Souls. No registration required.

26 Feb: 'Mauryan times: from splendid isolation to modernity'

4 Mar: 'The post-Mauryan war for Indinarity'

11 Mar: 'Kushan rule and the pitfalls of international trade'

Saïd Business School

The following events will take place at the Saïd Business School.

Distinguished speaker seminar

Hiro Mizuno, Government Pension Investment Fund (GPIF), will speak at 5.45pm on 17 January, followed by a Q&A. Registration required: <https://oxford-said-rewleylecture-polman.eventbrite.com>.

Subject: 'Reimagining the capital markets: what investors and corporates need to do'

Art at Oxford Saïd - Exhibition opening talk

Professor Alice Kettle, Manchester School of Art and President, Embroiderers' Guild, will speak at 5.45pm on 22 January, followed by a Q&A. Registration required: <https://oxford-said-art-kettle-taylor.eventbrite.com/?aff=Gazette>.

Subject: 'Threads of change'

Driving diversity and inclusion seminar series

Sir Martin Donnelly, Boeing Europe and Boeing UK & I, will speak at 5.45pm on 12 February, followed by a Q&A. Registration required: <https://oxfordsaid-diversity-donnelly.eventbrite.com/?aff=Gazette>.

Subject: 'Gender diversity: how far have we progressed?'

Engaging with the Humanities

Professor Sarah Foot will speak at 2.30pm on 20 March, followed by a Q&A. Registration required: <https://oxfordsaid-engaging-foot.eventbrite.com/?aff=Gazette>.

Subject: 'Medieval and modern perspectives on women's leadership in the Church'

Department of Education

Philosophy, religion, education research group

The following seminars will take place at 5pm on Tuesdays in Room D, 15 Norham Gardens. Convener: Dr Liam Francis Gearon. Co-conveners: Professor Alis Oancea, Dr Nigel Fancourt

Lyudmila Nurse

4 Feb: 'The future of beliefs and religions study: implications for educational research'

Tony Eade

11 Feb: 'How young children's identities are constructed - the case for a holistic approach based on *Bildung* and virtue ethics'

Dina El Odessy

3 Mar: 'Quranic pedagogy and values'

Public seminar programme

The following seminars will take place at 5pm on Mondays at the Department of Education, 15 Norham Gardens. More information: www.education.ox.ac.uk/news-events/events. Conveners: Professor Harry Daniels, Professor Ian Thompson

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20 Jan: 'Differences in rates of school exclusions in the four jurisdictions of the UK'

Professor Martin Mills, UCL

27 Jan: 'Alternative provision and school exclusions'

Matthew Purves, Ofsted

3 Feb: 'Behaviour and attitudes in the education inspection framework'

Mina Fazel

10 Feb: tbc

Lucinda Ferguson

17 Feb: 'Law and exclusion from school'

Professor Jill Porter and Ruth Moyses, Reading

24 Feb: 'From inclusion to exclusion from school: transforming the lives of young people with special educational needs and disabilities?'

Quantitative Methods Hub seminar series

The following seminars will take place at 12.45pm on Mondays in the Department of Education. Convener: Dr L-E Malmberg

Kate M Xu, Open University of the Netherlands

20 Jan: 'The effect of a growth mindset on mastery goal orientation, cognitive load and learning performance: an experimental study'

Lisa Bardach, York

27 Jan: 'The role of within-class consensus on classroom climate constructs in the context of multi-level (structural equation) modelling'

Elizabeth Woodward, UCL

3 Feb: 'Insights from sleep diaries and wearable sensors: the relationship between trauma exposure and post-traumatic stress disorder (PTSD), with sleep and physiological arousal'

Anna-Liisa Jögi, Jyväskylä

10 Feb: 'Salivary cortisol in stress research in education - considerations, pitfalls and promises from the Teacher and Student Stress and Interaction in Classroom Study'

Jake Anders, UCL

17 Feb: 'The effect of embedding formative assessment on pupil attainment'

Timothy Tuti Nganga

24 Feb: 'Evaluation of adaptive feedback in a smartphone-based serious game on health care providers' knowledge gain in neonatal emergency care: a randomised experiment'

Anna-Maria Ramezanzadeh

2 Mar: 'The macro and the micro - measuring motivation and engagement in the language classroom'

James Hall, Southampton

9 Mar: 'SEM and model fit: what to do when traditional model fit indices are unavailable and strategies towards publication of peer-review papers'

Qualitative Research Methods Hub

The following seminars will take place at 12.45pm on Thursdays in Seminar Room B, 15 Norham Gardens. All welcome to bring a packed lunch and join the discussion.

Caitlin Prentice

23 Jan: 'Being a researcher-practitioner: the challenges and benefits of mixing field work and teaching'

Dr Amber Murrey

30 Jan: 'Decolonising methodologies'

Andrew Marotta

13 Feb: 'Exploring ethics and emotional intelligence among computer science majors'

Ann Ang and Lesley Nelson-Addy

27 Feb: 'Decolonising pedagogy'

Dr Liam Guilfoyle

27 Feb: 'Researching in cross-curricular contexts: challenges and affordances'

Yusuf Odaç

5 Mar: 'Contributions of international higher education study to individuals and through them to society: a comparative study of Turkish migrants and returnees'

James O'Donovan and Professor Niall Winters

12 Mar: '"We are the people whose opinions don't matter": using photovoice methodology with community health workers in Uganda'

Research seminar

The following seminars will take place at 5pm on Tuesdays at St Antony's. Convener: Dr David Johnson

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21 Jan: 'Education, uncertainty and the search for meaning: an introduction'

Gabrielle Stewart

28 Jan: 'Life course uncertainty: toward a new understanding of youth transitions and migration for education'

Dr Elsa Lee, Cambridge

3 Mar: 'Environmental uncertainty: education for sustainable development'

Dr Pia Joliffe

10 Mar: 'Sociocultural uncertainty: religion and cultures of childhood and youth during Japan's Christian century'

School of Geography and the Environment**Transport Studies Unit****CRITICAL PERSPECTIVES ON TRANSPORT AND MOBILITIES SEMINAR SERIES**

The following seminars will take place at 1pm on Thursdays in the Herbertson Room, School of Geography and the Environment. Lunch available from 12.15pm in the TSU Office.

Professor Iain Docherty, Stirling, and

Professor Jon Shaw, Plymouth

30 Jan: 'Transport matters'

Dr Tina Harris, Amsterdam

13 Feb: 'Congestion in the skies: mobility, airspace and new routes across the Himalayas'

Dr Saskia Warren, Manchester

27 Feb: 'Pluralising mobile methods: researching (im)mobilities with Muslim women in Birmingham, UK'

Dr David Tyfield, Lancaster

12 Mar: 'Will China deliver urban "ecological civilisation"?''

Oxford School of Global and Area Studies**Latin American Centre**

The following seminars will take place at 5pm in the Main Seminar Room, Latin American Centre, 1 Church Walk.

MAIN SEMINARS

The following seminars will take place on Fridays, unless otherwise noted. Conveners: Dr Andreza A de Souza Santos, Dr Carlos Pérez Ricart

Roundtable

Jonas von Hoffmann, **Thomas Grisaffi**, Reading, and **Marie Nougier** (tbc)

24 Jan: 'Current debates on drug policy in Latin America'

Moritz Kraemer

31 Jan: tbc

Brazilian Studies Programme annual conference roundtable

Andreza A de Souza Santos, **Timothy Power**, **Flavia Biroli**, Brasilia, **Mariana Batista**, Pernambuco, and **Gabriel Ulyseia**

7 Feb: 'Informality in a changing political-economic system in Brazil'

Ana Gutierrez Garza, St Andrews

14 Feb: tbc

Book launch

Arturo Santa-Cruz, Guadalajara

21 Feb: *US Hegemony and the Americas: Power and Economic Statecraft in International Relations*

Michael Reid, *The Economist*

28 Feb: 'Latin America in an era of discontent'

6 Mar: United Nations Development Programme conference (tbc)

Julie Cupples, Edinburgh

13 Mar: 'The (un)making of the resilient subject in Guatemala's colonial disasterscape'

LATIN AMERICAN HISTORY SEMINAR

The following seminars will take place on Thursdays, unless otherwise noted. Conveners: Carlos Pérez Ricart, Eduardo Posada-Carbó

Juan Luis Ossa, Adolfo Ibáñez

23 Jan: 'Electoral practices in post-independent Chile, 1820–30' (joint seminar with Adolfo Ibáñez University)

Jorge Wiese, Pacífico

Wed, 29 Jan: 'Identidad nacional y paisajes Peruanos (1955) de José de la Riva Agüero' (in Spanish; joint seminar with Universidad del Pacífico)

Klaus Gallo, Torcuato Di Tella

6 Feb: 'The theatrics of reform: politics and cultural sphere in Buenos Aires, 1816–37'

Malcolm Deas

13 Feb: 'The biography of President Virgilio Barco: reflections on the study of Colombian politics'

Sebastián Alvarez

20 Feb: 'Mexican banks and foreign finance: from internationalisation to financial crisis, 1973–82'

Consuelo Saizar, Cambridge

27 Feb: 'The Latin American boom: a publishing history'

Marina Garone, UNAM

5 Mar: 'Historia del libro en América Latina (siglo XVI-al XIX): panorama de una disciplina en evolución' (joint Seminar with the Iberian History Seminar)

Margaret Power, Illinois Institute of Technology

12 Mar: 'Puerto Rican nationalism, Latin American solidarity and the 1930s: how good was the good neighbour policy?'

Israel studies seminar

The following lectures will take place at 2.15pm on Tuesdays in the Board Room, Middle East Centre, St Antony's.

Dr Seyed Ali Alavi, SOAS

21 Jan: 'Iran and Palestine: past, present, future'

Dr Heather Munro, Durham

28 Jan: 'Ashkenazi hegemony in Haredi Israeli society and implications for the future'

Dr Lotem Perry-Hazan, Haifa

4 Feb: 'Ethnic segregation in the Haredi education in Israel: policies and practices'

Dr Hadeel Abu Hussein

11 Feb: 'Palestinian Arab citizens in Israel, equality struggle'

Professor Larissa Remnick, Bar-Ilan

18 Feb: 'The Israeli diaspora in Berlin: back to being Jewish?'

Dr Hizki Shoham, Bar-Ilan

25 Feb: 'The emotional scripting of boycotts: the Nazi-Zionist agreement in Jewish public culture during the 1930s'

Dr Nitzan Lebovic, Lehigh

3 Mar: 'On Zionism and melancholia: an alternative history'

Professor Sandy Kedar, Haifa

10 Mar: 'Emptied lands: a legal geography of Bedouin rights in the Negev'

Oxford Department of International Development**Oxford Poverty and Human Development Initiative****LUNCHTIME SEMINAR SERIES**

The following seminars will take place at 1pm on Fridays in Seminar Room 2, Queen Elizabeth House. Conveners: Dr N Quinn, Dr R Nogales

Dr Benoît Decerf, Namur

24 Jan: 'Too young to die: deprivation measures combining poverty and premature mortality'

Ms Putu Natih

7 Feb: 'Building a composite multidimensional poverty index using Delphi dimensions, indicators and weights'

Professor Kirsten Sehnbruch, LSE, and **Dr Mauricio Apablaza**, Desarrollo

14 Feb: 'The quality of employment (QoE) in nine Latin American countries: a multidimensional perspective'

Professor James Foster, George Washington

21 Feb: 'Unidimensional underpinnings of multidimensional counting measures'

Dr Hector Moreno

28 Feb: 'On synthetic income panels'

Dr Laurence Roope

6 Mar: 'Identifying inequality benchmark incomes'

Dr Sanghamitra Bandyopadhyay, QMUL

13 Mar: 'Robust non-parametric estimation of inequality measures with contaminated data'

Faculty of Law**Public International Law discussion group**

The group meets at 12.30pm on Thursdays in the Old Library, All Souls. Conveners: Eirini Fasia, Hannes Jöbstl

Laura Rees-Evans, Fietta LLP

23 Jan: 'Brexit and public international law: current developments'

David Turns, Cranfield

30 Jan: 'Justifying the unjustifiable: towards a renaissance of the doctrine of armed reprisals?'

Sofia Galani, Bristol

6 Feb: 'Maritime security and human rights at sea'

Shannon Raj Singh, Special Tribunal for Lebanon/ELAC

13 Feb: 'Operationalising states' preventive obligations in relation to mass atrocities'

Neha Jain, EUI Florence

20 Feb: 'International judicial speech acts'

Ulf Linderfalk, Lund

27 Feb: 'The effect of *jus cogens* and the individuation of norms'

Katherine Fortin, Utrecht

5 Mar: 'Legal identity and non-international armed conflict'

Joanna Dingwall, Glasgow

12 Mar: 'Deep seabed mining: the common heritage conundrum'

Department of Social Policy and Intervention**Colloquia**

The following colloquia will take place at 10am on Thursdays in the Violet Butler Room, Department of Social Policy and Intervention. Convener: Professor J Barlow

Dr Triin Lauri

23 Jan: 'Hidden asymmetries in explaining intergenerational transmission of educational attainment in Europe: set analytic comparison'

Dr Yulia Shenderovich

6 Feb: 'Mental health, protective and risk factors in a South African cohort'

Dr Geoff Wong

20 Feb: 'Realist review and realist evaluation: why bother?'

Dr Marii Paskov

5 Mar: 'Power at work: inequality by social class and gender across countries and policy contexts'

Oxford Institute of Social Policy seminars

The following seminars will take place at 4.15pm on Thursdays in the Violet Butler Room, Department of Social Policy and Intervention. Convener: Professor M Daly

Professor Kevin Farnsworth, York

23 Jan: 'Austerity and the reconfiguration of the welfare state'

Professor Ray Kiely, QMUL

30 Jan: 'Neo-liberalism and the political economy of austerity'

Professor Stefán Ólafsson, Iceland

6 Feb: 'How policies and institutions shaped welfare consequences of the great recession in Europe'

Dr Harriet Churchill, Sheffield

13 Feb: 'A critical review of English reforms in support services for children, parents and families during austerity'

Dr Insa Lee Koch, LSE

20 Feb: 'Lived experiences of people at the margins in times of austerity'

Professor Bruno Palier, Sciences Po

27 Feb: 'The evolution of growth and welfare regimes in the knowledge economy'

Professor Olli Kangas, Turku

5 Mar: 'Basic income and austerity'

Professor Margaret Weir, Brown

12 Mar: 'Low-income America and the delegated state'

Centre for Socio-legal Studies**Socio-Legal discussion group**

The following seminars will take place at 12.30pm on Thursdays in Seminar Room D, Manor Road Building. Conveners: Sila Uluçay, Lisa Hsin

Teresa Büchsel

30 Jan: 'Law and experience - a socio-legal perspective on German asylum adjudication'

Stergios Aidinlis

13 Feb: 'Transitioning from QUAL to mixed methods: teething problems and pragmatic solutions in researching public-sector data sharing in the UK'

Felix-Anselm van Lier, Max Planck Institute

27 Feb: 'Constitution-making in a post-conflict environment: a socio-legal perspective of the Libyan process'

Jessy Nasser, KCL

5 Mar: 'From voluntary to forced migration: a socio-legal overview of Syrian labour in Lebanon'

Oya Aydin, Ankara

12 Mar: tbc

Socio-legal seminar series

The following seminars will take place at 4.30pm on Mondays in Seminar Room C, Manor Road Building. Convener: Linda Mulcahy

Professor David Sugarman, Lancaster,**Professor William Twining, UCL, and****Professor Ruth Chang**

27 Jan: 'Jurist in context: William Twining in conversation with Ruth Chang, David Sugarman and Linda Mulcahy'

Professor Michael Palmer, SOAS

24 Feb: 'Looking for law in China: empirical research in an authoritarian context'

Professor Steven Vaughan, UCL

2 Mar: 'The poodle problem: are corporate lawyers still professionals?'

Johannah Latchem

9 Mar: 'The art of justice: reconfiguring the courtroom object'

Euro-Expert workshops

Sharon Weill, Sciences-Po, will lead a workshop at 2pm on 30 January in Room 341, Manor Road Building.

Subject: 'Terror in court: transnational Jihadism and the fabrication of its judges. An ethnography in French criminal courts'

Federico Brandmayr, Cambridge, will deliver a workshop at 3pm on 30 January in Room 341, Manor Road Building.

Subject: 'Nothing but "stimulating metaphysical theories"? Cultural expertise in the L'Aquila trial'

Institutes, Centres and Museums**Ashmolean Museum****GLAM research seminars**

The following seminars will take place at 1pm on Thursdays in the Headley Lecture Theatre, Ashmolean Museum. Free. Convener: Daniel Bone

Dr Ricardo Pérez-de la Fuente

30 Jan: 'Suspended in time'

Dr Ashley Couto

12 Mar: 'The shipwreck in a diamond mine: analysing the ivory cargo of a 16th-century Portuguese merchant ship'

Bodleian Libraries

The following events will take place in the Weston Library, unless otherwise noted.

DF McKenzie Lecture

Professor Kathryn Sutherland, Professor Dirk van Hulle and Professor Peter McDonald will give the 2020 DF McKenzie Lecture at 5pm on 13 February in Lecture Theatre 2, English Faculty. Chair: Richard Ovenden

Subject: 'McKenzie 25 years on: anniversaries, legacies, reflections'

Lectures**Professor Frank Close**

1pm, 21 Jan: 'Trinity: Klaus Fuchs and the Bodleian Library'

Dr Elizabeth Baigent

1pm, 6 Feb: ' "This land is your land; this land is my land": how maps shape our collective allegiance to territory and help us stake claims to individual ownership of it' (registration recommended: <https://visit.bodleian.ox.ac.uk/events-exhibitions>)

Dr Karin Scheper

noon, 4 Mar: 'Islamic manuscripts and bindings as a window on East-West relations' (registration recommended: <https://visit.bodleian.ox.ac.uk/events-exhibitions>)

Seminars in the history of the book: migration and survival

The following seminars will take place at 2.15pm in the Visiting Scholars' Centre, unless otherwise noted. Free. All welcome but places limited and registration recommended: <https://visit.bodleian.ox.ac.uk/events-exhibitions>. Conveners: Cristina Dondi, Alexandra Franklin

Dr John-Paul Ghobrial, Dr Celeste Gianni, Dr Feras Krimsti, Rosie Maxton, Dr Lucy Parker and Dr Vevian Zaki

31 Jan: 'Stories of survival: the lives and afterlives of eastern Christian manuscripts in the early modern world'

Dr Stephanie Ann Frampton

7 Feb: '“Vade, liber”': textual mobility and the history of books'

Professor Angela Nuovo, Dr Goran Proot and Dr Francesco Ammannati

14 Feb: 'The price of books in early modern Europe'

Professor Henrike Laehnemann, Carolin Gluchowski and Dr Toby Burrows

2pm, 28 Feb: 'Recycling in action: the many lives of a medieval prayerbook' and 'Mapping manuscript migrations: digging into data for provenance research'

Angeline Rais

6 Mar: 'The travels of Sir Thomas Phillipps's Swiss manuscripts across Europe and North America'

Grantley McDonald

13 Mar: 'John Clement (d1572) and his books'

Oxford seminars in cartography

Julian Munby will lead a seminar at 4.30pm on 22 January in the Lecture Theatre.

Subject: 'Where was the Field of Cloth of Gold? A new look at Tudor mapping of the Calais Pale'

Botanic Garden and Arboretum

Winter lectures

The following lectures will take place at 7pm on Thursdays in the Andrew Wiles Building. Cost: £15 or £60 for the series. Tickets: www.obga.ox.ac.uk; card or cheque only on the night.

Chris Beardshaw, garden designer and TV presenter

23 Jan: 'The glory of the English herbaceous border'

Alys Fowler, horticulturist and journalist

6 Feb: 'Houseplants: a beginner's guide to creating a green interior'

Professor Nigel Dunnett, Sheffield

20 Feb: 'Nature enhanced: high-impact low-input planting'

Professor Fiona Stafford

5 Mar: 'The long, long life of trees'

Anna Pavord, gardening correspondent and author

19 Mar: 'The flowering of Tuscany'

Oxford University China Centre

Seminars

The following seminars, organised jointly with the School of Global and Area Studies and the Faculty of Oriental Studies, will take place at 5pm on Thursdays in the Lecture Theatre, China Centre. All welcome.

Professor Jennifer Altehenger

23 Jan: 'The stuff of international relations, and why it matters: things, people and the China Pavilion at the Leipzig Fairs'

Dr David Tobin, Manchester

30 Jan: 'Securing China's northwest frontier: identity and insecurity in Xinjiang'

Dr Elisabeth Foster, Southampton

6 Feb: 'Threatened by peace: the PRC's peacefulness rhetoric and the "China" representation question in the United Nations (1949–71)'

Mr John Farnell. Discussant: **Dr Ignacio Garcia Bercero**

13 Feb: 'China, Europe and the future of the World Trade Organisation: difficult choices ahead!'

Dr Tristan Brown, Cambridge

20 Feb: 'The *Qāḍi* and the *Yamen*: Islam on the ground in late Imperial China'

Dr Nathan Hill, SOAS

27 Feb: 'The past and future of Chinese historical phonology: philology, reconstruction and network theory'

Professor Aminda Smith, Michigan

5 Mar: 'Telling the truth in socialist China: letters from the masses and mass-line epistemology, 1945–78'

Professor Stéphanie Balme, SciencesPo

12 Mar: 'Science, power and the power of science in China (1978 to nowadays)'

Oxford Centre for Hebrew and Jewish Studies

David Patterson Lectures

The following lectures will take place at 6pm on Thursdays at the Oxford Centre for Hebrew and Jewish Studies, Clarendon Institute.

Dr Oded Nir, CUNY

23 Jan: 'The "No-place" in contemporary Israeli TV and film'

Dr Roman Nyczyporowski, Gdansk Academy of Fine Arts

30 Jan: 'Art, memory and the Holocaust in contemporary Poland'

Professor Lesley Smith

6 Feb: 'William of Auvergne, Bishop of Paris (d1249), and the Jews'

Screening and roundtable discussion of film

13 Feb: *Black Honey*, *The Life and Poetry of Avraham Sutzkever* (dir Uri Barbash) (supported by the annual Brichto Israeli Arts and Culture Lecture Fund)

The history of the Bible from Qumran to today

Professor Jan Joosten and Dr John Screnock

20 Feb: 'Bible and the Dead Sea Scrolls'

Professor Gideon Boak, Tel Aviv

27 Feb: 'Nooks and crannies of the Cairo Genizah'

Professor Edwin Seroussi, Hebrew

5 Mar: 'An Oriental *piyyut*'

Professor Ruth HaCohen, Hebrew

12 Mar: 'I had heard you with my ears. Modern Jews and Christians listening to Job'

Oxford Centre for Islamic Studies

The following events will take place at 5pm at the Oxford Centre for Islamic Studies, Marston Road. All welcome. More information: www.oxcis.ac.uk/seminars-0.

Centre seminars

The following seminars will take place on Wednesdays.

Professor Dionisius Agius, Exeter

22 Jan: '“Our life on the sea is gone but our stories will last forever.” Documenting and remembering the Red Sea Dhow and its people'

Ms Yasmin Faghihi, Cambridge University Library

29 Jan: 'Fihrist: digital scholarship inspired by a 10th-century Arabic source'

Dr Johan Rasanayagam, Aberdeen

5 Feb: 'Anthropology in conversation with an Islamic tradition: Emmanuel Levinas and the practice of critique'

Mr Michael Binyon, *The Times*

12 Feb: 'What in the world will happen this year?'

Professor Sonja Brentjes, Max Planck Institute

19 Feb: 'Ali al-Sharafi's nautical atlases and rectangular world map: a 16th-century lingua franca of the Mediterranean and the Black Sea and its translation into a map of Eurasia and Africa'

Professor Nasser David Khalili

26 Feb: tbc

Professor Robert Hillenbrand, Edinburgh

4 Mar: 'Calligraphy in the arts of the Muslim world'

Professor Peter Frankopan

11 Mar: 'Reclaiming history: moving away from Eurocentrism'

Public lecture

Mr Jack Straw, former Foreign Secretary, will lecture on 5 March.

Subject: tbc

Foundation for Law, Justice and Society

The following events will take place at Wolfson.

Book colloquium

Professor Denis Galligan will be joined by a panel to discuss Lord Sumption's provocative argument developed in his 2019 Reith Lectures at 5.30pm on 5 February in Seminar Room 3. More information and to register: www.fljs.org/trials-of-the-state.

Subject: 'Trials of the state: law and the decline of politics'

Film screening

A free film screening will take place at 7pm on 17 February in the Leonard Wolfson Auditorium. More information and to register: <https://www.fljs.org/The-Oath>.

Title: 'The Oath'

Book colloquium

Professor Denis Galligan will be joined by a panel to discuss Shoshana Zuboff's acclaimed book on the threats to freedom, democracy and privacy posed by the digital future at 5.30pm on 24 February in Seminar Room 3. More information and to register: www.fljs.org/surveillance-capitalism.

Subject: 'The age of surveillance capitalism'

Lecture

Professor Sir Adam Roberts will lecture at 5.30pm on 2 March in the Leonard Wolfson Auditorium. More information and to register: www.fljs.org/adam-roberts.

Subject: 'Liberal international order in trouble'

Workshop

A roundtable discussion will take place 9.30am–4.30pm on 3 March in the Haldane Room. Speakers include: **David Vines**; **Mary Bartkus**, Special Counsel, Hughes Hubbard & Reed LLP; **Ralph Schroeder**. Chair: Professor Denis Galligan. More information and to register: www.fljs.org/international-order.

Subject: 'Law and contemporary issues: the international order in transformation'

Oxford Centre for Life-Writing

The following events will take place in the Leonard Wolfson Auditorium, Wolfson, unless otherwise noted. Free; all welcome. Conveners: Professor Elleke Boehmer, Dr Kate Kennedy, Dr Katherine Collins, Professor Dame Hermione Lee

LGBT History Month colloquium

A colloquium will take place 1–7pm on 11 February. Keynote speaker: **Dr Jane Traies**, author. Registration required: <http://bit.ly/Queer-Lives>.

Subject: 'Writing queer lives'

Lecture

Zachary Leader, biographer, will lecture at 5.30pm on 25 February.

Subject: 'Ellmann's *Joyce*: a biography'

Book launches

Blake Gopnik will speak at 1.15pm on 10 March, followed by book signing.

Subject: 'Andy Warhol hated Campbell's soup... and other lies of the master'

Hermione Lee, **Roy Foster**, **Alexandra Harris** and **Robert Douglas-Fairhurst** will be in conversation at noon on 28 March at the Sheldonian.

Subject: 'Lives of houses'

Panel discussions

Catriona Seth, **Jane Ridley** and **Tore Rem** will present a panel discussion at 5.30pm on 13 March. Chair: Hannah Yelin

Subject: 'Royal biography'

Sarah Moss, novelist, and **Sarah Knott**, historian, will be in conversation with **Merve Emre**, critic, at 5.30pm on 16 March.

Subject: 'Maternity, life-writing, fiction'

Interview

Benjamin Zephaniah, poet, writer, lyricist and musician, will be in conversation with **Elleke Boehmer** and **Malachi McIntosh** at 5.30pm on 20 March in the Gulbenkian Lecture Theatre, English Faculty.

Subject: 'Benjamin Zephaniah'

Maison Française

The following events will take place at the Maison Française unless otherwise noted.

Lecture

Ann Miller, Leicester/European Comic Art, will lecture at 5pm on 4 February.

Subject: 'Two comics adaptations of *Zazie dans le métro*: from figuration to tradaptation'

Seminars

A seminar will take place at 3pm on 31 January. Speakers include **Tanja Rahmy**, Association of Philippe Rahmy's Friends; **Françoise de Maulde**, Éditions de la Table Ronde; **Carole Bourne-Taylor**; and **Daisy Watt**, Penguin Random House. With support of the Embassy of Switzerland in the UK.

Subject: 'Formuler mon propre cri: hommage à Philippe Rahmy'

A graduate seminar will take place at 4pm on 28 January at Lincoln. Convener: John Shovlin, New York

Subject: 'History, 1680–1850'

A medieval French research seminar will take place at 5.15pm on 18 February. Convener: Huw Grange

Subject: 'Unholy feast, unholy fast? Food and masculinity in medieval French literature'

Workshop: city networks and migration governance

A workshop will take place 5–7pm on 26 March and 9am–5pm on 27 March. Speakers include **Thomas Lacroix**, **Camille Schmoll**, Paris, and **Swanie Potot**, Nice.

Convener: Thomas Lacroix

Subject: 'The critical turn of migration studies'

Discussions

A roundtable discussion with **Davi Kopenawa**, Yanomami scholar, will take place at noon on 6 February. Convener: Laura Rival

Subject: 'Art, science and democracy for a plural world on a challenged planet'

A discussion will take place at 4.30pm on 7 February.

Subject: 'Marion Ernwein's book: *Les Natures de la Ville Néolibérale*'

A roundtable discussion will take place at 5pm on 11 March. Speakers: **Walid Benkhaled**, Portsmouth; **Toufik Douib**, London; and **Natalya Vince**, Portsmouth. Discussants: Anissa Daoudi, Birmingham, and James McDougall. Convener: Andrea Brazzoduro, Venice/MFO

Subject: 'Generation independence. Algeria, a people's history'

Conference

An international conference will take place from 8.45am on 11 February at the Maison Française and from 8.45am on 12 February at Nuffield. Co-organised with Nuffield and St Antony's. Conveners: Yves Sintomer, Cécile Laborde, Yunyun Zhou

Subject: 'New political imaginaries and models in the 21st century: a global and transnational analysis'

Brexit, populism and mainstream politics seminar

The following seminars will be convened by Agnès Alexandre-Collier.

Natasha Wunsch, OXPO Sciences Po.

Discussant: **Heidi Maurer**

2pm, 21 Jan, Pembroke: 'Brexit: EU democracy promotion and the authoritarian challenge'

Philippe Marlière, UCL. Discussant: **Sudhir Hasareesingh**

2pm, 29 Jan: 'France *insoumise* and left-wing populism in France'

Book launch

Robert Gildea. Discussant: **Michael Drolet**

5pm, 30 Jan: 'Brexit, populism, and *Empires of the mind* by Robert Gildea'

Lode Desmet and **Edward Stourton**, filmmakers, will present a documentary film screening followed by a roundtable discussion with journalists and academics. Co-organiser: Dr Michael Drolet

5pm, 13 Feb: Storyville, Brexit: Behind Closed Doors

Geoff Evans. Discussant: **Dr Tim Vlandas**

2pm, 4 Mar: 'Brexit, identity and party polarisation'

Early modern French research seminar

The following seminars will take place at 5.15pm on Thursdays. Conveners: Catriona Seth, Wes Williams, Katherine Ibbett, Nupur Patel, graduate convener

David Mc Callam, Sheffield

23 Jan: 'Figures of petrification in the revolution of 1789'

Olivier Guerrier, Toulouse Jean-Jaurès

6 Feb: 'Des espaces autres: figures de la liberté perdue dans quelques textes en prose de la Renaissance'

Audrey Borowski

20 Feb: 'Gottfried Leibniz, Pierre-Daniel Huet and the *République des Lettres*'

Timothée Léchet, Basel/Neuchâtel

5 Mar: 'Les mots clefs du dix-huitième siècle: pratiques journalistiques de l'énigme en vers'

Modern French research seminar

The following seminars will take place at 5.15pm on Thursdays. Conveners: Andrew Counter, Emily McLaughlin, Ève Morisi, Seth Whidden

Patrick Thériault, Toronto

30 Jan: 'Baudelaire épigrammatiste. À propos des *Amœnitates Belgicæ*'

Judith Lyon-Caen, EHESS, Paris

13 Feb: 'Littérature et histoire de l'expérience (Paris, XIXe siècle). Retour sur La Griffe du Temps'

Maria Scott, Exeter

27 Feb: 'Baudelairean empathy and the problem of limits'

Bertrand Marchal, Paris-Sorbonne

12 Mar: 'Correspondance (1854-98) de Stéphane Mallarmé'

Early Slavonic seminar

The following seminars will take place at 5pm on Tuesdays at the Ioannou Centre for Classical and Byzantine Studies.

Constantin Zuckerman, Paris

18 Feb: 'Oleg the Wise as Saint Demetrios, or the problem of the middle link in the oldest Russian chronicle-writing'

Pierre Gonneau, Paris

3 Mar: 'Muscovite chronicles and chronicle-writing'

Late antique and Byzantine seminar

The following seminars will take place at the Ioannou Centre for Classical and Byzantine Studies.

Constantin Zuckerman, Paris

5pm, 19 Feb: 'On the history, improperly styled "secret", of Nicetas of Paphlagonia, and the power of anathema over books'

Catherine Vanderheyde, Strasbourg

11am, 12 Mar: 'The many sides of Byzantine sculpture: textual sources, materials, techniques and decoration'

Seminar in the history of science, medicine and technology

Marilyn Nicoud, Avignon, will give a seminar at 2pm on 6 March (tbc).

Subject: 'Autour des livres et genres médicaux'

Netta Cohen, **Harriet Mercer** and **Marie**

Thébaud-Sorger will give a seminar at 10am on 13 March. Convener: Oxford Environmental History Network Workshop
Subject: 'Managing airs and climates: new approaches from history and beyond'

'Encyclopédie nouvelle' seminar

Samuel Hayat, CNRS, **Hervé Guillemain**, Maine, and **Nathalie Brémand**, Poitiers, will give a seminar at 2.30pm on 14 February.

Subject: 'Travail', 'Aliénation mentale' and 'Éducation'

Writing technology/the technology of writing seminars

The following seminars will take place on Thursdays.

Working meeting

2pm, 20 Feb: 'Conceptualising, categorising and manipulating the "elements" of nature'

Workshop

2pm, 12 Mar: 'Artisanal Enlightenment'

Paola Bertucci, Yale

5.30pm, 12 Mar: Book discussion

Film screenings

The following films will be shown at 8pm on Tuesdays. In French with English subtitles. Free.

28 Jan: Un beau voyou (Lucas Bernard, 2017, 1hr 44min)

11 Feb: J'veux du soleil (Gilles Perret and François Ruffin, 2019, 1hr 15min)

25 Feb: Pickpocket (Robert Bresson, 1959, 1hr 15min)

Festival de la francophonie special film screenings

8pm, 10 Mar: Félicité (Alain Gomis, 2016, 2h 3min)

6.30pm, 17 Mar: Hochelaga, land of Souls (François Girard, 2016)

Oxford Martin School

The following events will take place at 5pm at the Oxford Martin School, unless otherwise noted. All welcome, but registration required: www.oxfordmartin.ox.ac.uk/events, events@oxfordmartin.ox.ac.uk or 01865 287437.

Shaping the future

The following lectures will take place on Thursdays, unless otherwise noted. Registration required: www.oxfordmartin.ox.ac.uk/event-series/shaping-the-future. Convener: Professor Charles Godfray

Lord Sumption

30 Jan: 'British politics after Brexit: reflections on the last three years and the next fifty'

Professor Jim Hall

6 Feb: 'Road to somewhere? Resilient infrastructure for sustainable development'

Professor Malcolm McCulloch

13 Feb: 'Powering the future: switching on the renewables'

Professor Charlotte Williams

20 Feb: 'Future options for making plastics more sustainable'

Professor Chris Whitty, Chief Medical Officer

5.30pm, Wed, 26 Feb: 'The future of health in the UK - the next 20 years'

Professor Gina Neff

5 Mar: tbc

Paul Clarke, Ocado

12 Mar: 'Recipes for transforming food production and beyond'

Public book talks

Dr Daniel Susskind will talk on 21 January, followed by a drinks reception and book signing.

Subject: 'A world without work: technology, automation and how we should respond'

Dr Claas Kirchelle will talk on 11 February.

Subject: 'Pyrrhic progress: the history of antibiotics in Anglo-American food production'

Public lecture

Sir Paul Nurse, Francis Crick Institute, will lecture on 2 March at the Sheldonian Theatre.

Subject: 'What is life?'

Oxford Institute of Population Ageing

The construction of ageing seminars

The following seminars will take place at 4pm on Tuesdays in the Sir Michael Dummett Lecture Theatre, Christ Church, unless otherwise noted. More information: www.ageing.ox.ac.uk/events. Conveners: Professor Sarah Harper, Ashley Moyses, Joshua Hordern

Dr Ashely Moyses

21 Jan: 'Bearing the burdens we (don't) bare: a theological reflection on carrying the weight of ageing'

Dr Melissa Pierce Murry, UCL

28 Jan: 'Sculpture, dance, choreography and what age brings'

Professor James Woodward, Sarum College

4 Feb: 'Memory, meaning and human identity: the place of theology in constructing the purpose of age in the light of dementia'

Dr Chris Gilleard, UCL

11 Feb: 'The body as an ageing thing'

Dr James Stark, Leeds

18 Feb: 'Monkey glands and moisturisers: anti-ageing in modern Britain'

Professor Patricia M Thane, KCL

25 Feb: 'What can history contribute to current constructions of ageing and old age?'

Stephen Bennett, London

3 Mar: 'Art, ageing and policy'

Dr Kate Kirkpatrick, KCL

10 Mar, Lecture Room 2: 'Intersection of philosophy and ageing'

Colleges, Halls and Societies

All Souls

The relation of literature and learning to social hierarchy in early modern Europe seminar

The following sessions will take place at 2pm on Wednesdays, unless otherwise noted. There will be two papers per session. All welcome. Convener: Neil Kenny (neil.kenny@all-souls.ox.ac.uk)

29 Jan:

Hamish Scott: 'History, memory and the making of the European aristocracy'

Catriona Seth: 'Lost and found. Some reflections on 18th-century founding archives'

Mon, 10 Feb:

Neil Kenny: 'Rabelais and social hierarchy'

Andrew McRae, Exeter: 'An epic poet and his audience: Michael Drayton, *Poly-Olbia* and the early Stuart literary system'

26 Feb:

Diana Berruero-Sánchez: 'Learning social hierarchy in early modern Spanish ethnic *Villancicos*'

Emma Spary, Cambridge: 'Quinquina in favour at the court of Louis XIV'

11 Mar:

David Lines, Warwick: 'Renaissance Aristotelianism and the problem of publics between Latin and vernacular'

Dorine Rouiller, Swiss National Science Foundation: 'Erasmus, citizen of the - or of a - world?'

Green Templeton

Lectures on the future of the commons

The following lectures will take place at 6pm on Thursdays in the EP Abraham Lecture Theatre, unless otherwise noted. Convener: Dr Dustin Garrick. Registration required: events@gtc.ox.ac.uk.

Professor Tine De Moor, Utrecht

23 Jan: 'More than a metaphor: the evolution of the commons in the past millennium'

Assistant Professor Jampel Dell'Angelo,
VU Amsterdam

6 Feb: 'Globalisation and the grabbed commons: new insights on the Water Wars myth'

Dr Dustin Garrick

Wed, 4 Mar: 'On the knife's edge of tragedy and hope: markets and the commons in a divided world'

Management in Medicine Programme workshops

The following workshops will take place at 6.45pm on Mondays in the EP Abraham Lecture Theatre, unless otherwise noted. Registration required: naomi.benson@gtc.ox.ac.uk.

Professor Richard Canter

20 Jan: 'Making better decisions in life and work'

Dr Tony Berendt and Dr Anny Sykes

9.30am, Sat, 8 Feb: 'Making service improvements/quality improvement in healthcare'

Oscar Lyons

24 Feb: 'Project planning/management'

Máire Brankin and Dr Paul Brankin

9.30am, Sat, 21 Mar: 'Achieving change through teams'

Oscar Mathew

23 Mar: 'Recognising, understanding and managing conflict between patients and health professionals'

McGovern Lecture on the History of Medicine

Maj-Gen (ret) Alan Hawley will deliver the McGovern Lecture at 6pm on 22 January in the EP Abraham Lecture Theatre.

Registration required: events@gtc.ox.ac.uk.

Subject: 'A medical commander in Rwanda 1994: stabling the four horsemen of the Apocalypse'

Workshop

Dr Paola Esposito and Koot Kotze will lead a workshop 10am–4pm on 14 March for medical and anthropology students. Registration required: koot.kotze@gtc.ox.ac.uk. More information: www.gtc.ox.ac.uk/eventbrite-event/visual-storytelling-in-medicine.

Subject: 'Visual storytelling in medicine'

Kellogg

Seminars

The following seminars will take place at 5.30pm. Refreshments from 5pm. All welcome.

A Kellogg Global Centre on Healthcare and Urbanisation seminar will take place on 22 January in the College Hub.

Subject: 'Delivering healthcare for rapid urbanisation: are we facing healthcare crises in cities?'

The Archaeology seminar will take place on 31 January in the Mawby Room.

Subject: 'Simulating Iron Age navigation with an agent-based model'

Kenny Lonergan, director, will lecture on 10 March in the College Hub.

Subject: tbc

A Kellogg Global Centre on Healthcare and Urbanisation Seminar will take place on 11 March.

Subject: 'Urban greenspaces and well-being'

Kellogg College Centre for Creative Writing

CREATIVE WRITING SEMINAR SERIES

The following seminars will take place at 5.30pm in the Mawby Room. Refreshments at 5pm; all welcome.

~~**Maya Popa** – Canceled~~

~~*29 Jan:* 'On wonder and bewilderment in poetry'~~

Kenneth Lonergan

4 Mar: 'The Manchester by the Sea director in conversation'

Mansfield

Lecture series

The following lectures will take place at 5.30pm on Fridays in the Sir Joseph Hotung Auditorium, Hands Building. More details and to reserve a place: www.mansfield.ox.ac.uk. Convener: Helen Mountfield, QC

Professor Richard Pettigrew in discussion with **Professor Simon Marginson** and

Professor Karen O'Brien

31 Jan: 'Who are universities for?'

Professor A C Grayling

7 Feb: 'Constitutional morality'

Radhika and Christian Dubé

14 Feb: 'Models of health care provision in the 21st century'

21 Feb: tbc

Professor Jean Seaton

28 Feb: 'The past and future of the BBC'

6 Mar: tbc

Professor Brian Preston

13 Mar: 'Climate consciousness and the law'

St Antony's

Ralf Dahrendorf Memorial Lecture

The annual Dahrendorf Lecture will take place at 5pm on 6 March in the Nissan Lecture Theatre. Speaker tbc. Discussants:

Dr Norbert Röttgen, Foreign Affairs Committee, German Bundestag; **Roula Khalaf**, *Financial Times* (tbc). Registration

required: www.sant.ox.ac.uk/events/annual-ralf-dahrendorf-memorial-lecture. Chair:

Professor Timothy Garton Ash

Subject: 'The future of the West: the US, Europe and Britain'

Asian Studies Centre

SOUTH ASIA SEMINAR SERIES

The following seminars will take place at 2pm on Tuesdays in the Syndicate Room, Old Main Building. Organised with the Contemporary South Asian Studies Programme at the School of Interdisciplinary Area Studies, the Department for International Development, the Faculty of History and the Faculty of Oriental Studies. Conveners: Imre Bangha, Nayanika Mathur, Matthew McCartney, Polly O'Hanlon, Kate Sullivan de Estrada, David Washbrook

Professor Barbara Harriss-White

21 Jan: 'Capitalism in the Himalaya'

Professor Vinita Damodaran, Sussex

28 Jan: 'Forests, famines and livelihoods: towards an environmental history of Eastern India'

Dr Jesus Chairez-Garza, Manchester

4 Feb: 'Arms, arts and agriculture: Indo-Mexican intellectual connections in the early 20th century'

Dr Uma Pradham

11 Feb: 'For a better future: education and unstable future-making in Nepal'

Dr Roy Fischel, SOAS

18 Feb: 'A millenarian sultan and a teacher to the world: new directions in early modern Indo-Muslim kingship'

Professor Ed Simpson, SOAS

25 Feb: 'Highways to the end of the world: roads, road-builders and the architecture of power in South Asia'

Rangoonwala Fellows Research Forum
3 Mar: tbc

Russian and Eurasian Studies Centre

MONDAY SEMINARS: RUSSIAN AND EAST EUROPEAN POLITICS

The following seminars will take place at 5pm on Mondays in the Nissan Lecture Theatre. Conveners: Professor Paul Chaisty, Professor Stephen Whitefield

Professor Timothy Frye, Columbia
20 Jan: 'Political machines at work: electoral subversion in the Russian workplace'

Professor Nikolai Petrov, Chatham House
27 Jan: 'The neo-*nomenklatura* system in Russia: how it looks, how it feels'

Professor Mark Galeotti, UCL-SSEES
3 Feb: 'Russian organised crime under Putin - and after him'

Dr Alex Baturo, Dublin
10 Feb: 'New Kremlinology: the challenge of understanding and studying elite politics in Russia'

Dr Marc Berenson, KCL
17 Feb: 'Taxes and trust: from coercion to compliance in Poland, Russia and Ukraine'

Dr Allan Sikk, UCL-SSEES
24 Feb: 'Party people: electoral candidates, party change and party system evolution in Central and Eastern Europe'

Dr Barbara Piotrowska
2 Mar: 'Reaching the converted: understanding the methods of informant enrolment in East Germany'

Dr Ekaterina Borisova, Moscow
9 Mar: 'Social capital and the housing renovations programme in Russia'

St Hilda's

The following events will take place at the Jacqueline du Pré Music Building.

Sue Lloyd Roberts Memorial Lecture

Carrie Gracie will deliver the annual Sue Lloyd Roberts Memorial Lecture at 5.30pm on 24 January. Registration required: www.sthildas.ox.ac.uk/content/2020-sue-lloyd-roberts-annual-memorial-lecture-guest-speaker-carrie-gracie.

Subject: 'Our woman in China: one big story through the female lens'

St Hilda's Clinical Therapeutics Research Centre

Dr Nick Cammack, Head, Wellcome Trust's Snakebite Priority Area, will lecture at 6pm on 9 March. Registration required: www.eventbrite.com/e/snakebite-the-case-for-action-and-the-need-for-innovation-in-treatment-tickets-88633289555.

Subject: 'Snakebite: the case for action and the need for innovation in treatment approaches'

DANSOX

Cathy Marston will speak, with demonstrations from Royal Ballet dancers, at 8pm on 20 January. Registration required: www.sthildas.ox.ac.uk/content/dansox-making-cellist.

Subject: 'Making "The Cellist"'

Sir Richard Alston and Professor Stephanie Jordan will speak, with demonstrations by dancers, at 5.30pm on 21 January. Booking required: www.sthildas.ox.ac.uk/content/dansox-sir-richard-alston-and-professor-stephanie-jordan.

Subject: 'DANSOX presents Sir Richard Alston and Professor Stephanie Jordan'

St John's

St John's College Research Centre: interdisciplinary seminars in psychoanalysis

The following seminars will take place at 8.15pm on Mondays in the Lecture Room of the Research Centre, 45 St Giles'. Free to members of the University and to mental health professionals, but space is limited. To attend, it is helpful to email paul.tod@sjc.ox.ac.uk. Conveners: Louise Braddock, Paul Tod

Anne Zachary, British Psychoanalytical Society

27 Jan: 'The perils of writing a book about the clitoris, two years on'

Armand d'Angour

10 Feb: 'Reconstructing Socrates: platonic projections and realities'

Candida Yates, Bournemouth

24 Feb: 'Psychoanalytic thoughts on the psychodynamics of casino culture and politics'

James Davies, Roehampton

9 Mar: 'Lessons from the anthropological field: reflecting on where culture and psychotherapy meet'

Somerville

Dorothy Hodgkin Memorial Lecture

Professor Dame Julia Higgins will deliver the 2020 Dorothy Hodgkin Memorial Lecture at 5.30pm on 12 March in the Flora Anderson Hall. Registration required: www.some.ox.ac.uk/event/the-dorothy-hodgkin-memorial-lecture-with-professor-dame-julia-higgins. More information: principals.events@some.ox.ac.uk.

Subject: 'Seeing is believing'

Wolfson

Haldane Lecture

Professor Katherine Willis will deliver the annual Haldane Lecture at 6pm on 13 February.

Subject: 'If biodiversity is the medicine, then what are its active ingredients? The emerging scientific evidence-base behind "green health"'

Worcester

Public lectures

The following lectures will take place in the Sultan Nazrin Shah Centre. Sponsored by the Israel and Ione Massada Fellowships Programme. Free and open to all; followed by discussion and drinks.

Dr Zohar Rubinstein, Tel Aviv, will lecture at 5.15pm on 6 February.

Subject: 'How urgent is the immediate on-site treatment of psychological casualties (or shock victims) in traumatic events? Testimony from the field'

Professors Ayman Agbaria and Daniel Statman, Haifa, will lecture at 5pm on 25 February.

Subject: '“From the wells”: a Jewish-Arab educational initiative toward a shared society'

Blackfriars Hall

Aquinas Institute

The following events will take place in the Aula, Blackfriars Hall. Open to all. Registration not required unless otherwise noted. More information: aquinas@bfriars.ox.ac.uk.

AQUINAS LECTURE

Professor Russell Hittinger will deliver the annual Aquinas Lecture at 5pm on 23 January. Followed by wine reception.

Subject: 'Tradition or pottage? Reflections on Catholic social doctrine'

AQUINAS SEMINAR SERIES: EVOLUTION AND HUMAN ORIGINS: THEOLOGICAL AND PHILOSOPHICAL REFLECTIONS

The following seminars will take place at 4.30pm on Thursdays.

Dr Simon Kopf, KCL

30 Jan: 'The goal-directedness of evolution: Thomistic perspectives on a controversial question'

Dr Richard Conrad, OP

6 Feb: 'The theology of original sin and human origins'

Dr Daniel De Haan

13 Feb: 'Hylomorphism and evolution in four dimensions'

Dr Simon Gainé, OP

20 Feb: 'Dogmatic theology and human origins'

Kenneth Kemp, St Thomas, Minnesota

27 Feb: 'God, evolution and the body of Adam'

Professor Brian Carl, St Thomas, Houston

5 Mar: 'Aristotle and Aquinas on the proportionate causes of species'

Celia Deane-Drummond

12 Mar: 'Evolution and violence: is humanity wired for war or peace?'

AQUINAS COLLOQUIUM: FROM ARISTOTLE AND AQUINAS TO EVOLUTION, QUANTUM MECHANICS AND NEUROSCIENCE

The annual Aquinas Colloquium will take place 9.30am–5.15pm on 7 March. Free; lunch contribution of £10 (£5 concessions) payable on the door. Registration required: www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/from-aristotle-and-aquinas-to-evolution-quantum-mechanics-and-neuroscience-tickets-88493274767.

Dr William Carroll: 'Aristotelian-Thomistic physics and Newtonian mechanics'

Dr Stephen Boulter, Oxford Brookes: 'The "miracle" of evolution and the principle of proportionality'

Professor Robert Koons, Texas: 'An Aristotelian framework for quantum mechanics'

Dr Daniel De Haan: 'Aquinas's anthropology after neuroscience'

Aquinas Institute with the Thomistic Institute

Fr Mariusz Tabaczek, OP, will lecture at 7.30pm on 5 February, followed by wine reception. Free, but registration required: thomisticinstitute.org/england-events.

Subject: 'Does God create thorough evolution? The Aristotelian-Thomistic perspective'

Las Casas Institute

DIGNITY SERIES

Christopher Hrynkow, Saskatchewan, and **Dr Jack Cunningham,** Bishop Grosseteste, will give a seminar at 5.30pm on 21 January.

Respondent: **Professor Celia Deane-Drummond.** Open to all. Registration via Eventbrite.

Subject: 'Human dignity and Mother Earth: historic and contemporary sources in conversation for a socio-ecological ethic'

THE FUTURE OF THE HUMANITIES

Christian Shakespeare: question mark

The following talks will take place 5–8pm in conjunction with Georgetown University. Open to all. Registration via Eventbrite.

28 Jan:

Dr Yvette Khoury: 'Nuns and friars in Shakespeare'

Clare Asquith, literary historian and critic: 'Shakespeare, religion and toleration'

18 Feb, Champion Hall:

Professor Paulina Kewes: 'Hamlet'

Dr Elizabeth Schafer, RHUL: 'Measure for Measure, #Me Too and performing Christianity today'

Roundtable conversation

A roundtable with invited guests will be followed by a lecture given by **The Very Revd Dr Rowan Williams,** Cambridge, at 5.30pm on 13 March at Pembroke. Open to all. Registration required via Eventbrite.

Campion Hall

Dr Austen Ivereigh will lecture at 5.30pm on 23 January in the Pichette Auditorium, Pembroke. Free. Registration: www.eventbrite.com/e/the-papacy-of-francis-conversion-resistance-by-dr-austen-ivereigh-tickets-85767519961. More information: www.campion.ox.ac.uk.

Subject: 'The papacy of Francis: conversion and resistance'

Regent's Park

Centre for Baptist Studies

CONFERENCE

A conference will take place on 21 March. Convener: Dr C Joynes. More information and to register: christine.joynes@regents.ox.ac.uk.

Subject: 'Blake and the Baptists'

LUNCHTIME SEMINAR

Professor Anthony Reddie will give a seminar at noon on 17 February in the Collier Room. Convener: Dr C Joynes

Subject: 'Theologising Brexit'

Other Groups

Friends of the Bodleian

The following lectures will take place at 1pm in the Lecture Theatre, Weston Library. Registration required: <https://visit.bodleian.ox.ac.uk>.

Frank Close

21 Jan: 'Trinity: Klaus Fuchs and the Bodleian Library'

Stephen Harris

27 Feb: 'Morison's *Historia*: a 17th-century botanical treasure'