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Humanities

Rothermere American Institute

The following events will take place at the Rothermere American Institute, unless otherwise noted.

Winant Lecture in American Government

Professor Lawrie Balfour, Virginia, will give the Winant Lecture in American Government at 5pm on 14 February.

Subject: 'Reparations unbound: dismantling systemic racial injustice in the 21st century'

Book talk

Professor Tony Badger, Cambridge, will be in conversation with Professor Bruce Schulman, Boston, at 5pm on 1 February.

Title: Why White Liberals Fail: Race and Southern Politics from FDR to Trump (Cambridge, MA, 2022)

American history research seminar

The following seminars will take place at 4pm on Tuesdays. To join the mailing list for reminders and updates: ahrs-subscribe@maillist.ox.ac.uk.

Dr Nathan Cardon, Birmingham

24 Jan: 'Fanny Bullock Workman, transimperial mobility, and fantasies of "Anglo-Saxon" subjectivity in the Gilded Age'

Dr Grace Mallon

31 Jan: 'Federalism for beginners: intergovernmental relations in the Early American Republic'

Dr Nicholas Cole

7 Feb: 'The rise (and fall) of "government through reflection and choice"'

Dr Mark Power Smith

21 Feb: 'The crisis of household government and the rise of Democratic conservatism before the American Civil War'

Round table

Dr Rivers Gambrell, Dr Adam Burns, Brighton College, Dr Chris Birkett, City London, and Elizabeth Rees

28 Feb: 'Sports and the American presidency'

Professor Abigail Green

7 Mar: 'Thinking again about American Jewish liberalism: the "children of 1848" in the United States'

Oxford early American republic seminar

The following seminars will take place at 4pm on Wednesdays in person and online. More information: grace.mallon@rai.ox.ac.uk.

Helena Yoo Roth, CUNY

25 Jan: 'Colonial time-consciousness and the American Revolution'

Dr Isaiah Ellis, Toronto

8 Feb: '“To remedy the evils under which we labor”: internal improvement as religious statecraft in the Antebellum South'

Dr Gordon Fraser, Manchester

22 Feb: 'Engineering peace: technology and the end of politics in the American 19th century'

Book talk

Dr Claire Rydell Arcenas, Montana

8 Mar: America's Philosopher: John Locke in American Intellectual Life (Chicago, 2022)

Faculty of Classics

Public events

The following free public events are convened by the Archive of Performance of Greek and Roman Drama. All welcome; registration not required.

Ellen McLaughlin, playwright, will be in conversation with Helene Foley, Barnard College, Columbia, at 2pm on 6 February on the APGRD YouTube channel.

Rita Dove, poet, will be in conversation with Helene Foley, Barnard College, Columbia, at 2pm on 6 March on the APGRD YouTube channel.

In-person workshop

Stephen Sharkey and Jack Tarlton will lead a performance workshop in collaboration with Oxford University Classical Drama Society. More information and to register: apgrd.ox.ac.uk.

Subject: 'Singing Catullus'

Exhibition and book launch

Professor Stephen Harrison will host a book launch and exhibition at 5pm on 23 January in the Lecture Theatre, Ioannou Centre for Classical and Byzantine Studies. More information: apgrd.ox.ac.uk.

Title: 'Robert Crawford's Classical Texts'

Faculty of English Language and Literature

Professor of Poetry lecture

Professor Alice Oswald will give the Professor of Poetry Lecture at 5.30pm on 2 March at the Examination Schools.

American literature research seminar

These seminars will take place in weeks 3, 5, 7 and 8 at 5.15pm on Thursdays at the Rothermere American Institute.

Additional seminar: Wednesday of week 5. Convenors: Professor Lloyd Pratt, Professor Nick Gaskill

Celtic research seminar

These seminars will take place at 5pm on Thursdays of weeks 2 and 6 in the History of the Book Room, St Cross Building, and at 5.15pm on Thursdays of weeks 3-5 and 7-9 online. Convenor: Professor David Willis

Early modern graduate forum

This forum will take place at 5.15pm on Tuesdays in weeks 2, 4, 6 and 8 in Seminar Room B, St Cross Building. Convenors: Alex Laar, Flynn Allott

Early modern English literature seminar

These seminars will take place at 5.15pm on Tuesdays of weeks 1, 3 and 5 in the TS Eliot Lecture Theatre, Merton and at noon in week 7 in the Mure Room, Merton. Convenors: Professor Emma Smith, Professor Lorna Hutson, Professor Bart Van Es, Professor Joe Moshenska

18th-century literature and culture research seminar

These seminars will take place at 5.30pm on Tuesdays of weeks 2 and 6 and at noon on Tuesday of week 4 in Seminar Room East, Mansfield, and at 5.30pm on Tuesday of week 8 online. Convenor: Professor Ros Ballaster

Medieval English research seminar

These seminars will take place at 5.15pm on Wednesdays of weeks 1-8 in Lecture Theatre 2, St Cross Building. Convenors: Dr Kantik Ghosh, Dr Francis Leneghan

Modern and contemporary literature research seminar

These seminars will take place at 5.15pm on Wednesdays of weeks 3, 5 and 7 in the Old Library, All Souls. Convenors: Professor Santanu Das, Dr George Potts

19th-century research seminar

These seminars will take place at noon on Mondays of weeks 1, 3, 5 and 7 in Seminar Room L, St Cross Building. Convenors: Professor Helen Small, Professor Sos Eltis

Old Norse research seminar

This seminar will take place at 4pm on 7 February in the History of the Book Room, St Cross Building. Convenor: Professor Carolyne Larrington

Postcolonial writing and theory seminar

These seminars will take place at 5.15pm on Thursdays of weeks 2, 4, 6 and 8 at Wadham. Convenors: Professor Elleke Boehmer, Professor Ankhi Mukherjee

Romantic research seminar

These seminars will take place at 5.30pm on Tuesdays of weeks 1, 3 and 5, and at 12.30pm on Tuesday in week 7 in the Massey Room, Balliol. Convenors: Professor Seamus Perry, Professor Fiona Stafford

Faculties of English/History/History of Art/Theology/Music**The Bible in art, music and literature interdisciplinary seminar**

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

Conversation with artists series Roger Wagner

23 Jan: 'The flowering tree'

Dr Deborah Lewer, Glasgow
6 Feb: tbc

Dr Ayla Lepine, London
20 Feb: 'Fruits of the spirit: exhibiting visual theology at the National Gallery'

Dr Andrew Mein, St Andrews, and **Dr Natasha O'Hear**, St Andrews
6 Mar: 'Seeing Ezekiel's visions in early modern Europe: art, exegesis and spirituality'

Faculty of History**Carlyle Lectures****MAITLAND, COMMON LAW AND CIVIL LAW**

Professor John Hudson, St Andrews, will give the Carlyle Lectures at 5pm on the following days in the South School, Examination Schools. More information: www.history.ox.ac.uk/carlyle-lectures.

17 Jan: 'Maitland, Common Law and Civil Law'

24 Jan: 'Legal development in Europe: a view from the 1190s'

31 Jan: 'Legal learning and learning law in the 12th and 13th centuries'

7 Feb: 'Genius or juristic accident? Policy, legal change and the early Common Law'

14 Feb: "'Secreted in the interstices of procedure": actions, ideas and legal change'

21 Feb: "'Nolumus mutare...": further reflections'

Slade Lectures**AFRICAN ARTISTS IN THE AGE OF THE BIG MAN**

Professor Chika Okeke-Agulu, Princeton, will give the Slade Lectures at 5pm on the following days in the South School, Examination Schools. More information: <https://hoa.web.ox.ac.uk/slade-lectures>.

18 Jan: 'African artists in the Age of the Big Man'

25 Jan: 'Gazbia Sirry and Egyptian artists in the Nasserite State, 1950s-1960s'

1 Feb: 'To speak in parables: Dumile Feni in Hendrik Verwoerd's South Africa, 1960s'

15 Feb: 'Prison drawing: Ibrahim El Salahi in Al Nimeiry's Sudan, 1970s'

22 Feb: 'Drawing the line: Obiora Udechukwu and Nigeria's Smiling General, 1980s-1990s'

1 Mar: 'Defiant sculpture: Isek Bodys Kinglez and Mobutu Sese-Seko's Authenticité, 1990s'

History of science, medicine and technology research seminars

The following seminars will take place at 4pm on Mondays at the Maison Française d'Oxford. Convenors: Dr Alex Aylward, Professor Erica Charters, Professor Mark Harrison, Dr Catherine M Jackson, Dr Sloan Mahone

Dr Kathryn Murphy

16 Jan: 'The edge of the self and the limits of the world: Nathaniel Fairfax's thought experiments'

Dr Eben Kirksey

23 Jan: 'Will I have to mortgage my house? Reflections on gene therapy, innovation and inequality in the USA'

Dr Emily Hayes, Oxford Brookes

30 Jan: 'Absolute beginner? A relativistic take on Halford Mackinder's geography, education and the popularisation of knowledge'

Dr François Zanetti, Paris Cité

6 Feb: 'Framing medical knowledge on mineral waters - France, 1770s-1830s'

Dr Jane Stevens Crawshaw, Oxford Brookes

13 Feb: 'The place of premodern public health'

Dr Michael Bycroft, Warwick

20 Feb: 'Evaluation in the age of production: the origins of gemmology in France, c1770-1830'

Dr Chiara Ambrosio, UCL

27 Feb: 'Drawing as a pragmatist visual epistemology'

Dr Elaine Leong, UCL

6 Mar: 'Visualising bloodletting knowledge in early modern England'

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. Hosts: Víctor Acedo-Matellán, Daniel Altshuler

Isabelle Roy, Nantes

16 Jan: 'Predication, specification, equation'

Hazel Pearson, QMUL

23 Jan: 'Towards an analysis of the acquaintance inference for predicates of personal taste'

Xavier Bach

30 Jan: 'Orderly suppletion'

Heather Burnett, Paris Cité

6 Feb: 'Pragmatic sociolinguistics: formalising the social world'

Dag Haug, Oslo

13 Feb: 'Constraints on reciprocal scope'

Afra Pujol i Campeny, British Academy

20 Feb: 'The left periphery of Old Catalan'

Marcus Perlman, Birmingham

27 Feb: 'Language is iconic to the core'

Hannah Rohde, Edinburgh

6 Mar: 'Raising and answering questions in discourse'

Faculty of Medieval and Modern Languages

Taylor Lecture

Professor Jennifer Burns, Warwick, will give the Taylor Lecture at 5pm on 14 February at the Taylor Institution. More information and to register: www.mod-langs.ox.ac.uk/events/2023/02/14/taylor-lecture-soft-weapons-and-hard-lives-fictions-self-transnational-italian.

Subject: "Soft weapons" and hard lives: fictions of self in transnational Italian life narratives'

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

Romance linguistics seminars

The following seminars will take place at 5pm on Thursdays in Room 2, Taylor Institution. Convener: Professor Martin Maiden

Dr Ziwen Wang, Universitat Autònoma

19 Jan: 'When number meets gender in diachrony. Individuation and gender marking from Latin to early Ibero-Romance'

Dr Paul O'Neill, Sheffield

26 Jan: 'Morphological variation in Brazilian Portuguese'

Fabian Helmrich

2 Feb: 'Iterative aspect in Istro-Romanian'

Dr Afra Pujol i Campeny

9 Feb: 'Verb position in early Catalan: the syntactic glosses of the Liber Iudiciorum Popularis'

23 Feb: tbc

Professor Sandra Paoli and Dr Hannah Davidson

2 Mar: 'Pragmatic markers and *verba dicendi*: an investigation of Mauritian Creole'

Professor Víctor Acedo Matellán

9 Mar: 'From aspect to argument structure: prepositional verbs in Catalan'

Faculty of Music

The following events will take place in person and online.

Graduate Research Colloquia

The following seminars will take place at 5.15pm on Tuesdays. More information: www.music.ox.ac.uk/public-seminars. Conveners: Chuyu Zhang and Eugenie Dagleish.

Dr Joseph Mason

17 Jan: 'Music and violence in 13th-century France'

Professor Halina Goldberg, Indiana

24 Jan: 'The Jewish Inn in the Polish National Ballet'

Kate Molleson in conversation with **Professor Jonathan Cross**

31 Jan: tbc

Professor Matthew Cheung Salisbury

7 Feb: tbc

14 Feb: tbc

Leverhulme Lecture

Professor Emanuele Senici, Cambridge

21 Feb: tbc

28 Feb: Graduate Student Colloquium

Dr Elisabeth Giselsbrecht, KCL

7 Mar: tbc

Oxford seminar in music theory and analysis

The following seminars will take place at 4.30pm on Wednesdays. More information: www.music.ox.ac.uk/osimta. Conveners: Joshua Balance, Professor Jonathan Cross

Joe Bennett, Berklee College

18 Jan: 'Forensic musicology in commercial popular music: ontologies and epistemologies'

Dr Justin Williams, Bristol

15 Feb: 'Stylistic adaptation in the music of Stevie Wonder and Return to Forever'

Oxford seminar in the psychology of music

The following seminars will take place at 4.56pm on Wednesdays. More information: www.music.ox.ac.uk/public-seminars. Conveners: Professor Eric Clarke, Dr Manuel Anglada-Tort

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25 Jan: 'Studying the effect of oral transmission on music evolution using online singing experiments'

Dr Freya Bailes, Leeds

8 Feb: tbc

Seminar in medieval and renaissance music

The following seminars will take place at 5pm on Thursdays in weeks 2, 5 and 8 online. Please email matthew.thomson@ucd.ie to receive the link for the online form to register (this must be done a week in advance). More information: www.music.ox.ac.uk/all-souls-seminars-medieval-and-renaissance-music. Convener: Dr Margaret Bent

Julia Craig-McFeely

26 Jan: 'The Sadler sets of partbooks and Tudor music copying'

Martin Kirnbauer and the project team Vicentino21, Schola Cantorum Basiliensis

16 Feb: 'Soav' e dolce - Nicola Vicentino's intervallic vision'

Emily Zazulia, California

9 Mar: '15th-century song masses'

Medical Sciences

Department of Physiology, Anatomy and Genetics

Head of Department seminar series

The following seminars will take place at 1pm on Fridays in the Blakemore Lecture Theatre, Sherrington Building, unless otherwise noted. All welcome. Convenors: Dr Armin Lak, Dr Mootaz Salman

Professor Bernard Wood, George Washington. Host: Professor Zoltán Molnár

20 Jan: 'Reconstructing human evolutionary history'

Professor Alexei Verkhratsky, Manchester. Host: Dr Mootaz Salman

27 Jan: 'Principles of astrogliopathology: challenging common mythologies'

Fellows lecture in pairs

Dr Becky Carlyle and **Dr Brent Ryan**.

Host: Professor David Paterson

3 Feb, Sherrington Library: 'Neuroproteomic approaches to identifying novel mechanisms of cognitive resilience in neurodegeneration' and 'Using high-throughput biology approaches to understand mitochondrial dysfunction in Parkinson's'

Dr Adil Khan, KCL. Host: Dr Armin Lak

10 Feb: 'Neural circuits underlying flexible behaviour'

Fellows lecture in pairs

Dr Charmaine Lang and **Dr Andy**

Peters. Host: Dr Armin Lak

24 Feb, Sherrington Library: 'Identifying druggable targets and exploring their therapeutic potential in complex iPSC-derived models of Parkinson's' and 'Cooperation in the cortex-basal ganglia circuit'

Professor Will Wood, Edinburgh. Host: Professor Paul Riley

3 March: 'Detecting death and damage; understanding macrophage migration *in vivo*'

Nuffield Department of Population Health

Sir Richard Doll seminars

The following seminars will take place at 1pm on Tuesdays in the Lecture Theatre, Richard Doll Building, and online via Teams. Conveners: Dr Joris Hemelaar, Dr Leon Peto

17 Jan: tbc

Charles Matthews, NIH/NCI

24 Jan: 'Physical activity behaviours and the development of cancer'

Marian Knight

31 Jan: 'MBRRACE-UK: How can we use the lessons from the past 70 years of confidential enquiries alongside multidisciplinary research expertise to prevent future maternal cardiovascular deaths?'

Philip Clarke and **Guido Erreygers**

7 Feb: 'Edgar Sydenstricker, equivalence scales and pellagra: when economics helped establish that a disease was not infectious'

Abha Maheshwari, Aberdeen

14 Feb: 'E-Freeze trial results'

George Davey-Smith, Bristol

21 Feb: 'Triangulation of evidence in aetiological epidemiology: principles, prospects, limitations'

28 Feb: tbc

7 Mar: tbc

Social Sciences

School of Anthropology and Museum Ethnography

Departmental seminar series

These seminars will take place at 3.15pm on Fridays at 64 Banbury Road and online via Teams. More information: www.anthro.ox.ac.uk/departamental-seminars. Conveners: Dr J Lezaun, Dr E Kirksey

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

The following seminars will take place at noon on Fridays online via Teams. More information: www.anthro.ox.ac.uk/prm-research-seminar-visual-material-and-museum-anthropology. Conveners: Dr C Linton, Dr C Norton.

Laura Peers, Trent

20 Jan: 'Mnaajtood ge mnaadendaan/to honour and respect: gifts from the Michi Saagiig women to the Prince of Wales, 1860 + 2023'

Joshua Bell, Smithsonian National Museum of Natural History

27 Jan: 'Unseen connections: exhibiting the global stories of cellular technology at the Smithsonian's National Museum of Natural History'

Chantal Knowles, Auckland War Memorial Museum

3 Feb: 'The matter in museums'

Marenka Thompson-Odlum

10 Feb: tbc

Ian Ewart, Reading

17 Feb: tbc

Noel Lobley and **Xolile Madinda**

24 Feb: 'Collaborative curation: sound fragments, arts activism and The Black Power Station'

Marija Brujić, Belgrade

3 Mar: 'Betwixt and between being at home: migrants' domestic possessions'

Laura Haapio-Kirk

10 Mar: tbc

Unit for Biocultural Variation and Obesity

The following events will take place online via Zoom. More information: www.anthro.ox.ac.uk/unit-for-biocultural-variation-and-obesity.

SEMINAR SERIES

The following seminars will take place at 4pm on Thursdays, unless otherwise noted. Convener: Professor S Ulijaszek

Cervantee Wild

26 Jan: 'Beyond "silver bullets": childhood obesity intervention in Aotearoa New Zealand'

Wenpeng You and Maciej Henneberg, Adelaide

10am, 2 Feb: 'Female and male obesity across the world differs according to biology and economic status'

Keiko Kanno

9 Feb: 'Obesity and dietary behaviours in Mongolia'

Kaspar Staub, Zurich

16 Feb: 'Maternal and neonatal health in Switzerland during pandemics, 1918/19 vs 2020/21'

Inky Gibbens

23 Feb: 'Eating together alone'

Deborah Clegg, Texas Tech

2 Mar: '15 (+!) ways estrogens influence adipose tissues'

Sabine Parrish, City London, and Tessa Pollard, Durham

Wed, 8 Mar: 'Lived experience of childhood weight and diet interventions in four London neighbourhoods'

WORKSHOP

A workshop will take place 9–11am on 30 January. Conveners: Professor S Ulijaszek, Professor M Kuno-Mizumura, Ochanomizu

COMPAS seminar series

DISCRIMINATION: A MIGRANT'S ISSUE?

The following seminars will take place at 4pm on Wednesdays online via YouTube. Conveners: Dr P Sheppard, Z Simpson

18 Jan: Professor Carl Zimer

8 Feb: Dr Sharon Kessler

15 Feb: Dr Athena Aktipis

22 Feb: Professor Graham Rook

8 Mar: Dr Paul Turke

Evolutionary medicine and public health

DISCRIMINATION: A MIGRANT'S ISSUE?

The following seminars will take place at 3.45pm on Thursdays at 61 Banbury Road and online via Zoom. More information: www.compas.ox.ac.uk/event/citizenship-by-investment. Convener: Dr M Fernández-Reino

19 Jan: Dr Shreya Atrey

2 Feb: Dr Martin Foureaux Koppensteiner, Surrey

9 Feb: Dr Laia Bécares, KCL

16 Feb: Professor Brent Mittelstadt

InSIS seminar

Professor Raul Pacheco-Vega, Latin American Faculty of Social Sciences, will lead a seminar at noon on 1 February at 64 Banbury Road. Convener: Dr J M Valenzuela Robles Linares

Subject: 'Ethnography and policy studies'

Fertility and reproduction seminars

The following seminars, held in association with Anthropology, will take place at 5pm on Mondays online via Zoom and at the Pauling Centre, 58a Banbury Road, unless otherwise noted. Conveners: Dr K Qureshi, Dr L Sochas, Dr P Kreager

Leigh Senderowicz, Wisconsin-Madison

16 Jan: '“When they force a woman, it's to save her life”: community perceptions of contraceptive coercion in an anonymised sub-Saharan African country'

Jenny Trinitapoli, Chicago

23 Jan, online only: 'Population chatter for clearer and broader thinking about fertility'

Heini Vaisanen, INED/Southampton, and Katherine Keenan, St Andrews
4pm, 30 Jan, online only: 'Social inequalities in the risk of miscarriage in the United Kingdom'

Uzair Amjad, Monash

6 Feb, online only: '“Our marriage is sitting on a ticking time bomb”: exploring the marital vulnerabilities among couples with male factor infertility in Pakistan'

Heather Wurtz, Connecticut

13 Feb, online only: 'Shifts in women's pregnancy preferences during the COVID-19 pandemic: insights from the Pandemic Journaling Project'

Laura Richardson, Cambridge

20 Feb: '“Smaller families for a bigger future”: population and the politics of persuasion in Apartheid South Africa, 1960–90'

Jan Brunson, Hawai'i at Mānoa

7pm, 27 Feb, online only: 'Vulnerability as exclusion, as erasure: a study of absence and accountability in the context of reproductive health in Nepal'

Joe Strong, LSE, N L S Lamptey, N K Quartery and N K R Owoo, Act for Change, Ghana

6 Mar: '“Gay issues have come in and it is worrying to us”: men's narratives of queerness, sex and fertility norms in Accra'

Saïd Business School

Book launch

Professor Simon Commander and Professor Saul Estrin will discuss their new book with Professor Mari Sako at 5pm on 1 February at the Saïd Business School. More information and to register: www.sbs.ox.ac.uk/events/connections-world-future-asian-capitalism.

Subject: 'The connections world: the future of Asian capitalism'

Department of Education

Quantitative Methods Hub seminar series

The following seminars will take place 12.45–2pm on Mondays in Seminar Room D and online via Zoom, unless otherwise noted. All welcome. To register for online attendance: www.education.ox.ac.uk/news-events/events. Convener: Professor Lars Malmberg

Dr Jake Anders, UCL

16 Jan: 'The unequal effects of the COVID-19 pandemic on young people's education and wellbeing: the first wave of the COVID Social Mobility & Opportunities study (COSMO)'

Dr Karin Street, Western Norway

23 Jan: 'Systematic classroom observations: validating a new observation measure and investigating the relationship between three measures of quality of classroom interactions and students' self-efficacy and mastery experiences in mathematics'

Tiarnach McDermott

30 Jan: 'Mapping the evolving landscape of Child-Computer Interaction research through text-mining analyses'

Professor Dr Halszka Jarodzka, Open, Netherlands

6 Feb, *online only*: 'I see, therefore I learn: tracking eye movements to understand and improve learning and instruction'

Dr Joonghyun Kwak

13 Feb: 'School segregation and inequality in collaborative problem solving: a cross-national study of 41 countries'

Mirna Sumatic

20 Feb: 'Changes in student-teacher relationships from primary to secondary school'

Dr Alina van Davier, Duolingo

27 Feb: 'Computerised adaptive and multistage testing'

Dr Elizabeth Wonnacott

6 Mar: 'Using Bayes Factors to evaluate evidence for the null hypothesis'

Public seminar series

CONTEMPORARY ISSUES IN EDUCATION

The following seminars will take place 5-6.30pm on Mondays in Lecture Room A (followed by a drinks reception) and online via Zoom. More information and to register: www.education.ox.ac.uk/upcoming-events/public-lecture-series.

Amanda Spielman, Ofsted Chief Inspector

16 Jan: 'The use of research evidence in education policy and practice: a view from the Chief Inspector'

Akshay Mangla

23 Jan: tbc

Aliya Khalid

30 Jan: 'Locating aspirations and capabilities within the global politics of "Representation" in comparative and international education: journeying with gender and Southernness'

Professor Steve Strand

6 Feb: 'Race, sex, class and educational achievement at age 16'

Professor Steve Puttick

13 Feb: tbc

Professor Michael Reiss, UCL

20 Feb: 'Truth, science education and vaccines'

Alina von Davier, Chief of Assessment, Duolingo

27 Feb: 'Generative AI for test development'

Professor Leesa Wheelahan, Toronto

6 Mar: 'Why qualifications matter, and why micro-credentials don't'

School of Geography and the Environment

Transport Studies Unit

50TH ANNIVERSARY PUBLIC SEMINAR SERIES

The following seminars will take place at 1pm in the School of Geography and the Environment and online via Teams, with lunch available from noon. Registration required: www.tsu.ox.ac.uk/events.

Dr Lucy Baker, Aberystwyth

9 Feb: 'Responding to experiences of public harassment for accessible, safe and inclusive transport'

Dr Jacob Doherty, Edinburgh

23 Feb: 'Popular mobilities: who moves African urbanism?'

Professor Paola Jirón, Chile

8 Mar: 'Situating mobilities: the challenges of implementing sustainable, electric, active and caring mobilities in the South'

Department of International Development

Conversation

Kim Samuel will be in conversation with **+Father Erik Varden**, Bishop of Trondheim, at 4pm on 5 March in the Sheldonian Theatre. More information and to register: <https://ophi.org.uk/ophi-events/discovery-of-belonging-2023>.

Subject: 'The discovery of belonging in an age of isolation'

Faculty of Law

Public International Law Discussion Group

The following meetings will take place 12.45-2pm in the Dorfman Centre, St Peter's. Conveners: Natasha Holcroft-Emmess, Ayako Hatano

Peter Quayle Counsel, Visiting

Professor of International Organizations Law, Peking University Law School

19 Jan: tbc

Dr Alessandra Spadaro, Utrecht

2 Feb: 'Punish and be punished? The paradox of command responsibility in armed groups' (tbc)

Dr Massimo Lando, City Hong Kong

16 Feb: 'Taking the state out of customary international law: an empirical study into the evidence of custom' (tbc)

Dr Natasa Mavronicola, Birmingham

2 Mar: tbc

Department of Politics and International Relations

Spring School

A Spring School will take place 27-31 March at Manor Road Building and online via Zoom. Speakers include: **Spyros Kosmidi**; **Tom O'Grady**, UCL; **Patrick Le Bihan**, CEVIPOF-Sciences Po; **Marnie Howlet**; and **Andreas Murr**, Warwick. Fee: £800 in person (including lunch and networking receptions); £550 online. To register: www.politics.ox.ac.uk/research-centre/spring-school/oxford-spring-school-advanced-research-methods. Convener: Professor Spyros Kosmidis
Subject: 'Oxford Spring School in Advanced Research Methods'

Departments of Politics/Area Studies/ Middle Eastern Studies

Israel studies seminar series

The following seminars will take place at 2.15pm on Tuesdays, in Seminar Room 1 at St Anne's, unless otherwise noted. A coffee and tea reception will be offered from 2pm. Conveners: Yaacov Yadgar, Alissa Symon

Dr James Eastwood, Queen Mary

17 Jan: 'Empty cradles: Israel's disappeared children'

Menachem Hofnung, Hebrew U
24 Jan: ‘Invisible settles: resettling
Palestinian collaborators in Israel’

Amos Morris-Reich, Tel Aviv
7 Feb: ‘The fusion of Zionism and
Science: the first two decades - and
the present day?’

Loaay Wattad, Tel Aviv
14 Feb: ‘The political fairy tale: the
case of Little Red Riding Hood in
Palestine’

Anat Scolnicov, Winchester
21 Feb, Seminar Room 7: ‘The Israel
supreme court religion and the
relationship of state and religion in
Israel’

Ayala Panievsky, Cambridge
28 Feb: ‘Rituals of loyalty: when
Israeli journalists face digital hate’

Dr Moshe Behar, Manchester
7 March: ‘Settler colonial studies,
secessions of colonialism, and
ethnonationalism: an Edward
Saidian consideration?’

Centre for Socio-legal Studies

Socio-legal seminar series

The following seminars will take place
at 4.30pm on Mondays in seminar room
G, Manor Road Building and online
via Zoom, unless otherwise noted.
More information: www.law.ox.ac.uk/centres-institutes/centre-socio-legal-studies/events. Convener: Linda
Mulcahy

Issa Kohler-Hausmann, Yale
30 Jan, online only: ‘Misdemeanor
justice: social control vs punishment’

Irit Ballas
6 Feb: ‘The remorseful enemy:
inclusion and moral transformation
in security trials’

Akshay Mangla
13 Feb: ‘Engendering policing:
activating state capacity for women’s
security’

Keith Ewing, King’s, and **Andrew
Moretta**, Liverpool
20 Feb: ‘MI5, the Cold War and the
rule of law’

Robert Apel, Rutgers, and **Valerio
Bačak**, Rutgers
6 Mar, online only: ‘Police fairness
and legitimacy across the post-
communist divide in Europe’

Institutes, Centres and Museums

Bodleian Libraries

Oxford Seminars in Cartography

The following seminars will take
place at 4.30pm on Thursdays online
via Zoom. To register: <https://visit.bodleian.ox.ac.uk/tosca>. Conveners:
Nick Millea, Dr Elizabeth Baigent

Andrew Honey

2 Feb: ‘“Please use the postcode”:
navigating the past, present and
future conservation needs of the
Hereford Mappa Mundi’

Mirela Altić, Zagreb, in conversation
with **Elizabeth Baigent**

23 Feb: ‘Map readings - encounters in
the New World: Jesuit cartography of
the Americas’

Botanic Garden and Arboretum

Winter lectures

The following talks will take place at
7pm on Thursdays at the Mathematical
Institute. Tickets: £15. More
information and to register: www.obga.ox.ac.uk/whats-on.

Sarah Eberle, RHS Gold medal-winning
garden designer

19 Jan: ‘Design for impact at RHS
Chelsea Flower Show’

Dr Chris Thorogood

2 Feb: ‘Chasing plants’

Professor Dave Goulson, Sussex

2 Mar: ‘Silent Earth: saving our insects’

Naoko Abe, journalist and author

9 Mar: ‘Saving the blossom: ‘Cherry’
Ingram and his rich legacy’

Maison Française

Early modern French seminar

The following seminars will take place
at 5pm on Thursdays. Conveners:
Raphaële Garrod, Jessica Goodman,
Alice Roullière

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19 Jan: tbc

Ourida Mostefai, Brown

2 Feb: tbc

Stephane Van Damme, ENS Paris

16 Feb: ‘Impressions lointaines.
Les savoirs libertins et la distance
géographique’

Sara Harvey, Victoria

2 Mar: tbc

Modern French research seminar

The following seminars will take place
at 5pm on Thursdays. Conveners:
Jane Hiddleston, Emily McLaughlin,
Jennifer Yee

Oliver Davis, Warwick

26 Jan: ‘Henri Michaux’s template
for the psychedelic humanities’

Graduate roundtable

9 Feb: **Roger Navas I Sole**, ‘Sainte-
Beuve’s political interpretation
of Don Quijote’; **Chun-Han** and
Michelle Hsu, ‘Between the
picturesque and the political: Pierre
Loti and Judith Gautier’s play *La Fille
du Ciel*’; **Lilian Specker/Fontaine**,
‘The writer as prophet, saviour,
or scapegoat? Storytelling and the
postsecular in Kamel Daoud’s *Zabor
ou les psaumes*, 2017’

Natalie Edwards, Bristol

23 Feb: ‘Multilingual life writing by
contemporary migrant authors’

Ben Dalton, Birmingham

9 Mar: ‘Re-imagining the hospital
with Jean-Luc Nancy: clinical
environments to welcome
strangeness and transformation’

Medieval French research seminar

The following seminars will take place
at 5pm on Tuesdays. Conveners: Daron
Burrows, Helen Swift

Oxford Medieval Studies Road Show
tbc

Irina Boeru, **Sebastian Dows-Miller**,
and **Jack Nunn**

31 Jan: ‘Attributing authorship’

Micah Mackay and **Anna Wilmore**

14 Feb: ‘Song? Poem? Both?: the late
medieval lyric in context’

Dominique Lagorgette, Savoie Mont
Blanc

28 Feb: ‘“Par saint Copin, je suis
tanné”. Jurons et blasphèmes dans
quelques textes des en moyen
français: représentations de l’oralité
et transgression’

Living city seminar

Book launch

This seminar will take place 4–6pm on
25 January. Convener: Perig Pitrou
*Subject: ‘Le soin des choses by Jérôme
Denis and David Pontille’*

Channels of digital scholarship seminar

The following seminars will take place 2–4pm online. Conveners: Goran Gaber, EHES; Andrew Cusworth; Pascal Marty; Olivier Delouis; Tristan Alonge; Grégoire Lacaze, Aix Marseille; Anne Baillot, Le Mans

Massimo Leone, Turin, and Bernie Hogan

2 Feb: ‘Deep fake’

Alexander Gil Fuentes, Yale; Emmanuel Ngue Um, Yaoundé; Anne-Cécile Orgerie, CNRS; Torsten Roeder, Würzburg; and Elizabeth Williamson, Exeter

23 Feb: ‘Digital humanities and the climate crisis’

Late Antique and Byzantine studies seminar

The following seminars will take place at 5pm on Wednesdays at the Ioannou Centre for Classical and Byzantine Studies. Conveners: Ine Jacobs, Marc Lauxtermann, Ida Toth, Olivier Delouis

Joshua Hitt

18 Jan: ‘The poetics of age in 12th-century Byzantine literature’

Olivier Delouis

25 Jan: ‘Teaching Greek grammar to one’s son: an unpublished manual by Nikolaos Artabasdos Rabdas, 14th c’

Kateryna Kovalchuk

1 Feb: ‘The Diegesis: a hagiographical text for commemoration of the Encaenia of Hagia Sophia’

Yan Zaripov

8 Feb: ‘Theodore Prodromos’ epigrams on the Old and New Testament: narrative, rhetoric and classical mimesis’

Lilyana Yordanova, Ecole française d’Athènes

15 Feb: ‘In the name of the ...lotus? Reinventing Christian monumental art and elite culture in the long 15th century’

Robert Wizniewski, Warsaw

22 Feb: ‘The labourer is worthy of his hire? Clerics and their income in late antiquity’

Nikos Zagklas, Vienna

1 Mar: ‘The Cinderella of Byzantine literature: rethinking schedography in middle and late Byzantine periods’

Zachary Chitwood, Mainz

8 Mar: ‘A cloister for the Grand Komnenoi: dynastic rivalry and memoria at the foundation of Dionysiou Monastery on Mount Athos’

New imaginaries of migration webinar

Katharina Tittel, MédiaLab/Sciences Po Paris, Ricci Shryock, journalist and photographer, and Samuel Gratacap, photographer and filmmaker, will give a webinar 12.30–2pm on 7 March online via Zoom. Conveners: Elsa Gomis, Corinne Fortier, CNRS/Laboratoire d’Anthropologie Sociale au Collège de France

Subject: ‘The individual and the collective’

PhD workshops: Early modern imperial elites. French empire. European empires

These workshops will take place in French 8.30am–3.30pm at the Maison Française and online via Zoom. Conveners: François-Joseph Ruggiù; David Chaunu, Sorbonne; Matthieu Gellard, INSPE-Paris

Cinema

The following film screenings will take place at 8pm on Tuesdays. Free, but registration required.

24 Jan: ‘Albatros’, Xavier Beauvois, 2020

7 Feb: ‘Ruptures’, Arthur Gosset, 2022, followed by a discussion

21 Feb: ‘Une histoire d’amour et de désir’, Leyla Bouzid, 2020

7 Mar: ‘Un tipo strano’, Samuel Gratacap, 2021

Public lecture

François Recanati, Collège de France, will lecture at 5pm on 2 February in the Pichette Auditorium, Pembroke.

Subject: ‘Thinking through language’

Workshops

A workshop will take place on 7 and 8 February. Conveners: Anastasia Krutikova, ERC DEMOSERIES; Sandra Laugier, Paris 1 Panthéon Sorbonne/ERC DEMOSERIES; Perig Pitrou

Subject: ‘TV-philosophy’

A workshop will take place noon–3pm on 14 February. Conveners: Annabelle Allouche, Picardie-Jules Verne

Subject: ‘The sociology of elites and elite education: new comparative perspectives’

A workshop will take place on 16 and 17 February. Conveners: Gül Sürmelihindi, Marie Skłodowska-Curie AQUEA; Julien Curie, CNRS/ArScAn; Andrew Wilson; Olivier Delouis

Subject: ‘Roman aqueduct carbonates: palaeoenvironmental reconstructions and water management’

A workshop will take place 9.30am–5.30pm on 21 February. Conveners: Éric Pardoux, IHRIM/ENS Lyon; Aurelia Sauerbrei; Mogens Laerke, IHRIM/ENS Lyon; Thomas Guyet, INRIA Lyon; Pascal Marty

Subject: ‘Ethical design for artificial intelligence in medicine’

Conversations

A conversation with Constance Debré will take place at 5pm on 8 February. Chair: Ève Morisi

A conversation with Djaidi Amadou Amal will take place at 5pm on 27 March. Chair: Catriona Seth

Book launch

Arianne Fenneteaux, Paris Cité, and John Styles, Hertfordshire/Victoria and Albert Museum, will launch their book at 5pm on 9 February. Convener: François-Joseph Ruggiù

Title: ‘L’Album Holker: échantillons textiles et espionnage industriel entre la France et l’Angleterre au XVIIIe siècle’ (The Holker Album: textile samples and industrial espionage between France and England in the 18th century)

Book presentation

Nathalie Ferrand, CNRS/ITEM Paris, will give a book presentation at 5pm on 7 March. Organised with the Voltaire Foundation.

Title: *Dans l’atelier de...* (In the workshop of...)

Oxford Martin School

The following events will take place at 5pm at the Oxford Martin School and online, unless otherwise noted. Registration required: www.oxfordmartin.ox.ac.uk/events.

Professor Katie Attwell

12.15pm, 24 Jan: ‘Childhood vaccine mandates: are they tackling the right problem?’

*Stanley Ho Memorial Lecture***Professor Jeffrey D Macklis, Harvard**

30 Jan: ‘Beyond personalised and toward circuit-customised medicine: targeting molecular “Address Codes” for diverse functional neuron subtypes in the brain’

Professor Vili Lehdonvirta

6 Feb: ‘Cloud empires: how digital platforms are overtaking the state and how we can regain control’

Baroness Valentine of Putney, Business in the Community, Jason Stockwood, 53 Degrees Capital, Billy Dasein, East Marsh United, and Josie Moon, East Marsh United

1 Mar: ‘Grimsby and Blackpool - how community power is helping them with levelling up’

Oxford Institute of Population Ageing

Methodological advances in social and health care research seminar series

The following seminars will take place at 2pm on Thursdays online and at 66 Banbury Road. More information: www.ageing.ox.ac.uk/events.

Dr Saul Newmen

19 Jan: ‘Errors and illusions in late life aging research: questioning 40 years of late-life mortality research using open data and reproducible code’

Dr Jason Danely

2 Feb: ‘On embracing the messy methodology of ethnographic fieldwork with older adults’

Dr Evelina Akimova

9 Feb: ‘Social science genetics: challenges of modelling co-existence of genetic and social risk factors for health behavioural outcomes’

Dr Rahul Malhotra

16 Feb: ‘Health expectancy - a population health indicator in the context of older adults’

Professor Sarah Lindley

2 Mar: ‘Squaring the circle: insights from research into the influence of urban green infrastructure on health and wellbeing in older adults’

9 Mar: tbc

Colleges, Halls and Societies

All Souls**The relation of literature and learning to social hierarchy in early modern Europe**

The following seminars will take place 2-3.30pm online. All welcome.

Convenor: Neil Kenny (neil.kenny@all-souls.ox.ac.uk)

Raphaëlle Errera, Sorbonne

18 Jan: ‘Money matters in Parnassus: satirising in fiction the poets’ ways to achieve, 16th and 17th centuries’

Neil Kenny

18 Jan: ‘Rabelaisian hierarchy and its reception’

Jessica Goodman

1 Feb: ‘“Great” or otherwise, we don’t use those terms here”: social hierarchy in the dialogue of the dead?’

Thibaut Maus de Rolley, UCL

1 Feb: ‘Between streets and salons: the social status of juggling and conjuring in La Magie du Pont-Neuf, c1643-51’

Marc Jaffré, Durham

15 Feb: ‘Pierre de Bordeaux, Sieur de La Sablonnière: the education of a royal bodyguard’

Annalisa Nicholson

8 Feb: ‘Beastly habitués: animals and exiles at the salon of Hortense Mancini’

Adam Bridgen, St Andrews

8 Mar: ‘“learning has brought disobedience”: marginal literacies and anti-colonial resistance in early modern England’

~~**Goran Gaber**~~

~~*1 Mar:* ‘The critique of hierarchies and the hierarchies of critique, 1500-1650’~~

Seminar in early modern intellectual history

The following seminars will take place at 2pm on Thursdays in the Old Library, unless otherwise noted. Conveners: Sir Noel Malcolm, Dr Michelle Pfeffer

Professor Thomas Pink, KCL

19 Jan: ‘Free will and change in the theory of causation’

Professor Carla Rita Palmerino,
Nijmegen

26 Jan, *Hovenden Room*: ‘The philosophy of sleep between paradoxes and thought experiments: Descartes, Gassendi, Locke and Leibniz’

Dr Vincent Roy-Di Piazza, Stockholm
2 Feb: ‘“Enslaved by African angels”’: Swedenborg on African superiority, evangelization and slavery in the Swedish Age of Liberty’

Dr Felix Schlichter, Cambridge
9 Feb: ‘Early modern scholarship on idolatry and the Chinese Rites debate’

Dr Anna Corrias, Cambridge
16 Feb: ‘Mapping the chiaroscuro: Marsilio Ficino on Plato’s allegory of the cave’

Dr Darrel Rutkin, Venice
23 Feb: ‘What makes early modern intellectual history “early modern”? Marsilio Ficino (1433–99), Plotinus and astrology in the transition from medieval to Renaissance astrology, magic and religion’

Professor Filippo de Vivo
5pm, 2 Mar, *Hovenden Room*: ‘Anglo-Venetian views on cross-confessional alliances during the Thirty Years War’

Dr Tinca Prunea-Bretonnet, Bucharest
5pm, 9 Mar: ‘The freedom to philosophise in the German Enlightenment from Christian Wolff to the Berlin Academy’

Corpus Christi

EA Lowe Lectures in Palaeography

MANUSCRIPTS OF CHARACTER:
CODEX, ETHOS AND AUTHORITY IN
BYZANTIUM AND BEYOND

Professor Niels Gaul will deliver the EA Lowe Lectures at 5pm on the following days in the MBI Al Jaber Auditorium, Corpus Christi.

28 Feb: ‘Codex’

2 Mar: ‘Ethos’

7 Mar: ‘Authority’

Lincoln

Lincoln Unlocked Lecture

Dr Paul Babinski, Copenhagen, will give the Hilary term Lincoln Unlocked Lecture at 5.15pm in the Oakeshott Room and online on 16 February. All welcome. To register: sarah.cusk@lincoln.ox.ac.uk.

Subject: ‘Annotated Arabic books from the library of Thomas Marshall’

Oriel

Thomas Harriot Lecture

Dr Kim Sloan, former curator of British Drawings and Watercolours, British Museum, will give the Thomas Harriot Lecture at 5pm on 27 April in the Champneys Room. More information: rebecca.bricklebank@oriel.ox.ac.uk.

Subject: ‘Collected and counterfeited according to the truth: John White’s watercolours of the Algonquians of North Carolina’

St Antony’s

Asian Studies Centre

MODERN SOUTH ASIA SEMINAR SERIES

The following seminars will take place 2–3.30pm on Tuesdays in the Syndicate Room, and are organised with the Contemporary South Asian Studies Programme, School of Interdisciplinary Area Studies, the Department for International Development, the Faculty of History and the Faculty of Oriental Studies. More information: www.sant.ox.ac.uk/research-centres/asian-studies-centre/events. Convenors: Imre Bangha, Thiruni Kelegama

Ankita Pandey

17 Jan: ‘The ethical impulse(s) behind civil rights activism in India’

Dr Saif Mahmood

24 Jan: ‘Free speech in Mughal India: dissent and resistance in poetic expression’

Dr Radha Kapuria, Durham

31 Jan: ‘Musical citizens and postcolonial custodians: inter-religious dialogue in post-partition Punjab and beyond’

Dr Edward Anderson, Northumbria

7 Feb: tbc

Dr Jon Keune, Michigan State

14 Feb: ‘Buddhism and marginality in translation among Ambedkarites in East Asia’

21 Feb: tbc

Pranav Prakash

28 Feb: ‘The ethics of literary historiography in light of a cowherd’s chapbook’

Education, purpose and human flourishing in uncertain times

The following seminars will take place at 5pm on Tuesdays in the Pavilion Room. Open to the public [online via Teams](https://teams.microsoft.com/join/education-ox-ox-ox). More information: fiona.gatty@education.ox.ac.uk. Past seminar recordings: <https://vimeo.com/showcase/humanflourishing>.

Dr David Johnson

17 Jan: ‘Bhutan: human flourishing at the confluence of old and modern meanings of life’

Dr Garene Kaloustian, World Learning

24 Jan: ‘Lebanon: on the importance of social and emotional learning in conflict settings’

Dr Andrew Cunningham, Aga Khan Foundation

31 Jan: ‘Central Asia: culture and community in teaching and learning’

Professor João Costa, Education Minister, Portugal

7 Feb: ‘Portugal: reflections on new and old challenges for education’

Dr Christopher Hays, Biblical Seminary of Colombia

14 Feb: ‘Colombia: faith and education after forced displacement’

Dr Natasha Robinson, Bristol

21 Feb: ‘South Africa: on the importance of history education post colonialism’

Dr Susan Kilonzo, Maseno

28 Feb: ‘Kenya: indigenous knowledge systems for peace and flourishing in Kenya’s North Rift’

Dr Abdullah Awad, Institute for Critical Thought

7 Mar: ‘Jordan: on the practice of Istijarah for human flourishing’

Somerville

Dorothy Hodgkin Memorial Lecture

Professor Julia Yeomans will give the 2023 Dorothy Hodgkin Memorial Lecture at 5.30pm on 9 March in the Flora Anderson Hall as part of the Oxford International Women's Festival. Open to all but registration requested: www.some.ox.ac.uk/news-events/event/dorothy-hodgkin-memorial-lecture-2023-professor-julia-yeomans.

Subject: 'Nature's engines: powering life'

Trinity

Trinity talks

The following lectures will take place at 5pm in the de Jager Auditorium. More information and to register: www.trinity.ox.ac.uk/events-at-trinity.

Dame Frances Ashcroft

25 Jan: 'The spark of life'

Professor Bryan Ward-Perkins

22 Feb: 'A 200-year recession – post-Roman Britain'

Wolfson

Haldane Lecture

Sir Paul Nurse, Francis Crick Institute, will give the 2023 Haldane Lecture at 6pm on 2 February in the Leonard Wolfson Auditorium and livestreamed. More information: www.wolfson.ox.ac.uk/event/2023-haldane-lecture.

Subject: 'What is life?'

Blackfriars Hall

Aquinas Institute

The following events are open to all.

LIFE BEFORE GOD: TRUTH AND THE LITURGY

A series of four reading classes examining contemporary continental philosophies of the liturgy as a locus of truth will take place on Wednesdays 3–5pm in the Seminar Room. Registration required: aquinas@bfriars.ox.ac.uk.

25 Jan: 'Jean-Yves Lacoste: liturgy and/as the house of truth'

8 Feb: 'Jean-Yves Lacoste: the liturgical experience of truth'

22 Feb: 'Jean-Luc Marion: Eucharist and truth's disclosure'

8 Mar: 'Jean-Luc Marion: liturgical disruption of onto-theology'

AQUINAS LECTURES

Aquinas and the future of Christian thought: what contribution can Aquinas make to the church and academy of today?

A series of public lectures to commemorate the 700th anniversary of the canonisation of St Thomas Aquinas OP, will take place 4.30–6pm in the Aula.

Professor Mariusz Tabaczek OP

20 Jan: 'Aquinas and anthropogenesis'

Rev Dr Reginald Lynch OP

1 Feb: 'Aquinas on the priesthood'

Dr Joshua Madden

8 Feb: 'Aquinas as a reader of scripture'

Professor Catherine Joseph Droste OP

15 Feb: 'Aquinas and the virtues of a spiritual master'

Professor Simon Gainé OP

7 March: tbc

SONDEREGGER READING GROUP

A comprehensive reading of Katherine Sonderegger's *Systematic Theology, vol 1: The Doctrine of God* (Fortress, 2015) will take place at 4pm on Thursdays. Registration required: oliver.keenan@bfriars.ox.ac.uk. Convenor: Dr Oliver Keenan

19 Jan: 'Divine oneness (§1 and §2)'

26 Jan: 'Omnipresence: the perfection of divine hiddenness (§3)'

2 Feb: 'Omnipotence: the perfection of humility (§4)'

9 Feb: 'Omniscience: the perfection of divine spirituality (§5)'

16 Feb: 'Methodological and transcendental questions in omniscience (§6)'

23 Feb: 'Doctrine of illumination (§7)'

2 Mar: 'The perfection of divine love (§8)'

9 Mar: 'Divine perfections and exegesis (§9)'

THOMISTIC INSTITUTE LECTURE

Dr Gaven Kerr will lecture at 7.30pm on 6 February.

Subject: 'God, creation and the act of existence'

Las Casas Institute events

Edward Hadas will lead an online discussion group over eight weeks starting at 5pm on 18 January.

Open to all. More information and to register: www.bfriars.ox.ac.uk/event/e-f-schumacher-small-is-beautiful/2023-01-18.

Subject: 'EF Schumacher: small is beautiful'

A book launch will take place at 5pm on 20 January in the Aula, Blackfriars Hall, to celebrate Edward Hadas's new book. Response by John Thannassoulis, Warwick Business School. Open to all. More information: www.bfriars.ox.ac.uk/event/money-finance-reality-morality-book-launch.

Title: *Money, finance, reality, morality: a new way to address old problems*

A hybrid-form round table discussion will take place at 5.30pm on 6 February in the Annexe Seminar Room.

Participants include Jon Cruddas, Helen Pearce, Maria Exall and John Battle. Open to all. More information and to register: www.bfriars.ox.ac.uk/event/trade-unions-and-dignity-in-the-world-of-work.

Subject: 'Trade unions and dignity in the world of work'

Barnabas Aspray will lead a hybrid-form seminar at 3pm on 10 February in the Annexe Seminar Room. Open to all. More information and to register: www.bfriars.ox.ac.uk/event/why-jesus-was-and-is-a-refugee-unpacking-the-political-implications.

Subject: 'Why Jesus was (and is) a refugee: unpacking the political implications'

Las Casas Annual Lecture

Fergal Keane will give the 2023 Annual Lecture at 5.30pm on 17 February in the Aula and online. Open to all. More information and to register: www.bfriars.ox.ac.uk/event/las-casas-institute-annual-lecture-2023.

An online panel discussion will take place at 5pm on 23 February. Speakers include **Maria Power**; **Tobias Winright**, St Patrick's Pontifical University; **Laurie Johnston**, Emmanuel College; **William T Cavanaugh**, DePaul; and **Fr Petro Balog OP**. Open to all. More information and to register: www.bfriars.ox.ac.uk/event/the-war-in-ukraine-catholic-theological-and-ethical-reflections-one-year-in.

Subject: 'The war in Ukraine: Catholic theological and ethical reflections one year in'

Inaugural Human Rights Lecture

Dr Fernando Cervantes, Bristol, will give a hybrid-form lecture at 5pm on 23 March in the Aula. Open to all. More information and to register: www.bfriars.ox.ac.uk/event/las-casas-and-his-world.

Subject: 'Las Casas and his world: the defender of the Indians in context'

Campion Hall

Campion Lecture

Dr Daniel De Haan will give the 2023 Campion Lecture at 5.30pm on 23 February in the library and online. More information and to register: www.campion.ox.ac.uk/events/campion-lecture-2023-honour-thy-child-discerning-natural-law-developmental-virtues-and-good.

Subject: 'Honour thy child: discerning the natural law, developmental virtues, and good enough parenting'

Other Groups

Oxford Centre for Hebrew and Jewish Studies

Seminar on the Holocaust and Memory

The following seminars will take place at 2.15pm on Mondays in Room 207, the Clarendon Institute. All welcome. Conveners: Zoë Waxman, Barnabas Balint

Robert Thompson, UCL

16 Jan: 'A "full-time job as a listener": Christian responses to Jewish testimony in the immediate aftermath of the Holocaust'

Daniel Herskowitz

30 Jan: 'Hannah Arendt and the controversy of "Eichmann in Jerusalem"'

Esther Yadgar

13 Feb: 'Holocaust in present tense - second and third generations' time lapses when talking about their parents' Holocaust stories'

Ben Barkow

27 Feb: 'Walking in West Cornwall with my great Aunt Hilde, gassed and burned in Auschwitz: some poems'

Oxford Centre for Hindu Studies

Hinduism 2: modern Hinduism

Dr Rembert Lutjeharms will lecture at 4pm on Fridays at the Faculty of Theology and Religion.

Readings in Vedānta

Dr Rembert Lutjeharms will lecture at 10am on Wednesdays in the OCHS Library.

Sanskrit and Pali Prelims 2

Dr Bjarne Wernicke-Olesen will lecture at 2pm on Mondays and 9.30am on Fridays.

Senior Seminar in Indian Religions

Dr Jessica Frazier will lecture at 3pm on Wednesdays of weeks 3 and 7 in the OCHS Library.

Readings in phenomenology

Professor Gavin Flood will lecture at noon on Mondays in the OCHS Library.

Netra Tantra Seminar

This seminar will take place 10am-3pm on 21 February in the OCHS Library. Convener: Dr Bjarne Wernicke-Olesen

Shivdasani Visiting Fellow Lecture

Dr Rajan Khatiwoda will lecture at 2pm on 31 January in the OCHS Library.

Subject: 'Tradition of manuscript production: Nepalese recension of the Netratra in the National Archives of Nepal'

Metaphysical Thinking in India

Professor Gavin Flood will lecture at 2pm on Thursdays in weeks 2, 4, 6 and 8.

Śākta traditions lecture series

Dr Bjarne Wernicke-Olesen will lecture at 2pm on 2 and 16 February, and 2 March.

Rethinking gender in Hinduism

The following lectures will take place at 2pm. Conveners: Tanja Jakobsen, Sharvi Maheshvari, Laura Anderson

Professor June McDaniel, Charleston

24 Jan: tbc

Professor Karen Pechilis, Drew

2 Feb: tbc

Professor Lorilii Biernacki, Colorado

14 Feb: tbc

Oxford Centre for Islamic Studies

Centre seminars

The following seminars will take place at 5pm on Wednesdays at the Oxford Centre for Islamic Studies. All welcome.

Ghayth Armanazi, former Ambassador of the Arab League

18 Jan: 'Syria: the glory and the agony'

Dr Jose Ciro Martinez, York

25 Jan: 'States of subsistence: the politics of bread in contemporary Jordan'

Dr Guillemette Crouzet, Warwick

1 Feb: 'Inventing the Middle East: Britain and the Persian Gulf in the age of global imperialism'

Dr Salma Mousa, Yale

8 Feb: 'Social cohesion and integration of minorities in post-conflict Muslim societies'

Dr Alexander Morrison

15 Feb: ‘Russian colonialism and the Ismailis: the exploration and annexation of the Pamirs, 1879-1905’

Baroness Hale of Richmond

22 Feb: ‘Religious rights and freedom of speech’

Professor Adil Najam, Boston

1 Mar: ‘Climate policy in Muslim societies’

Professor Clark B Lombardi, National University of Singapore

8 Mar: ‘Varieties of Islamic constitutionalism’

Seminars on public health, science and technology in Muslim societies

The following seminars will take place on Tuesdays.

Professor Sir Charles Godfray

17 Jan: ‘The challenge of providing healthy, sustainable and equitable diets for all’

Dr John Parrington

24 Jan: ‘Mind shift: how culture transformed the human brain’

Dr Stephen Rainey, Delft University of Technology

7 Feb: ‘An ethics framework for brain-computer interface devices’

