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Rothermere American Institute

Harmsworth Lecture in American History

Professor Elizabeth Varon, Virginia, will lecture at 5pm on 14 November in the Examination Schools.

Subject: 'White supremacy in American politics: an origins story'

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

The Bible in art, music and literature interdisciplinary seminars

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

Professor Delvyn Case, Massachusetts

16 Oct: 'The binding of Isaac according to the Elohist: Biblical and Theological resonances in "A New Cantata"'

Dr Victoria Omotoso, Exeter

30 Oct: 'Imag(in)ing Jesus in the universal or particular: cross-cultural bible film reception of The Lumo Project: *The Gospel of Mark* (2014) and *Son of Man* (2006)'

Dr Jamie Davies, Bristol

13 Nov: '“I am the one who knocks”: Revelation's knocking Christ in reception history and apocalyptic perspective'

Dr Valentin Gerlier, Dartington

27 Nov: 'William Blake: Bible of Heaven, Bible of Hell'

Faculty of History

Seminar on the Holocaust and memory

The following seminars will take place at 2.15pm on Mondays in Room 207, Clarendon Institute. All welcome. Organisers: Zoë Waxman, William Jones

Paula Chan

9 Oct: 'The enemy of my enemy: Jewish contributions to Soviet investigations of Nazi crimes'

Stefano Bellin, Warwick

23 Oct: 'Levi beyond Levi: thinking with Levi in the 21st century'

Global & Imperial History Research Seminars

The first seminar will take place at the H B Allen Centre. To register: sue.varley@history.ox.ac.uk. All other seminars will take place at 4pm on Fridays in the Colin Matthew Room, History Faculty (tea and coffee from 3.30pm). All University members welcome. To register: cheryl.birdseye@history.ox.ac.uk. Conveners: James Belich, Andrew Thompson

Professor Stuart Ward, Copenhagen

13 Oct: 'Writing a global history of the end of Britain'

Andrew Key, Holocaust Centre North

6 Nov: 'Holocaust Centre North: a global history through local stories'

Nathalie Montoya, Paris Diderot

20 Nov: 'Theatre, concerts and poetry in the Vilnius Ghetto (1941–3)'

Professor Jane Burbank and **Professor Fred Cooper**, NYU

20 Oct: 'Post-imperial possibilities: Eurasia, Eurafrica, Afroasia'

Dr Moritz Mihatsch, Cambridge

27 Oct: 'Eurocentrism and decolonisation in the UNESCO history of mankind 1944–76'

Dr Nicholas Radburn, Lancaster

3 Nov: 'The British gunpowder industry and the making of the Global Firearm Frontier, 1600–1900'

Professor Antonio Morone, Pavia
 10 Nov: 'Libya's transition to independence: challenging the paradigm of competition between Italians and Tripolitarians'

Professor Maxine Berg, Warwick, and **Professor Patricia Hudson**
 17 Nov: 'Slavery and industrialisation'

Professor Richard Drayton, KCL
 24 Nov: 'Capitalism and empire: Europe's hinterlands and its oceanic empires'

Professor Martin Conway
 1 Dec: 'The offstage storm? Decolonisation and the politics of democracy in post-war Western Europe'

Faculties of History/Politics

Research seminars in the history of science, medicine and technology

The following seminars will take place at 4pm on Mondays at the Maison Française. Conveners: Alex Aylward, Hohee Cho, Mark Harrison, Catherine M Jackson, Sloan Mahone

Professor Linda Bryder, Auckland
 9 Oct: '“Deliver us from doctors”: the New Zealand model of midwifery and the politics of maternity from 1970'

Dr Thomas Kelsey
 16 Oct: 'How the treasury saved Britain: Nationalism, Liberalism and “high technology” in the post-war era'

Professor John Henderson, Cambridge
 23 Oct: 'The Great Pox in early modern Italy: imagining and experiencing'

Dr Baihui Duan
 30 Oct: 'Framing epidemic geographies and displacement after the Great East Asian War of 1592–8'

Dr Vincent Roy-Di Piazza, Karolinska Institute
 6 Nov: 'Abraham Bäck and Linnean racial science'

Professor Arne Schirrmacher, Berlin
 13 Nov: 'How students created their own curriculum: Oxbridge student clubs in the age of the research university'

Dr Jue Jin, Shanghai
 20 Nov: 'Cave remedies: ancient wisdom in stalactites'

Professor Elizabeth Tilley and Nathaniel Lawford, OU
 27 Nov: 'Historical activism, autobiographies and life story work with people with learning disabilities – using history and stories for social change'

Faculty of 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

Dr Afra Pujol i Campeny
 19 Oct: 'Verb position in early Catalan'

Professor Martin Maiden
 26 Oct: 'A prickly problem: the Romance words for “stinging nettle”'

Dr Valentina Ferrari
 2 Nov: 'The lexicon of medieval legal documents from southern Italy'

Dr Anna Paradís and Dr Marc Olivier
 16 Nov: 'Restructuring: one phenomenon, one size?'

Dr Olivia Cockburn, UCL
 23 Nov: 'Contact-induced language change in the late Latin verbal system and propagation in Ibero-Romance'

Dr Chiara Cappellaro
 30 Nov: 'Morphomic structures in cognition: evidence from Italian'

Faculty of Music

All Souls seminars in Medieval and Renaissance music

The following seminars will take place online at 5pm on Thursdays. More information: www.music.ox.ac.uk/all-souls-seminars-medieval-and-renaissance-music.

Convener: Dr Margaret Bent

Sam Barrett, Cambridge

19 Oct: 'Newly discovered Aquitanian Polyphony from c1100'

Graduate research colloquia

The following seminars will take place at 5.15pm on Tuesdays in person and online. More information: www.music.ox.ac.uk/public-seminars Conveners: Stephanie Shon and Francis Bertschinger

Dr Alice Barron

17 Oct: 'In conversation with Karnatic violinist Sumanth Manjunath'

Music theory & analysis seminars

The following seminars will take place at 5.15pm in person and online. More information: www.music.ox.ac.uk/osimta. Conveners: Esther Cavett, Professor Jonathan Cross

Robert Laidlow

24 Oct: 'Spectra and structures: navigating compositional latent spaces in chamber and orchestral music'

Psychology of music seminars

The following seminars will take place at 5.15pm on Tuesdays in person and online. More information: www.music.ox.ac.uk/oxford-seminar-psychology-music-ospom Convener: Eric Clarke

Alexander Refsum Jensenius, Oslo

10 Oct: 'Still standing: the effects of sound and music on people standing still'

Ethnomusicology and sound studies seminars

The following seminars will take place at 5pm on Thursdays in person, unless otherwise noted. More information: www.music.ox.ac.uk/seminar-in-ethnomusicology-and-sound-studies. Convener: Jason Stanyek

Nomi Dave, Virginia

12 Oct: 'Listening to white supremacy on trial: audio remote access and the limits of open justice'

Jane Bernstein, Tufts

2 Nov: 'Music printing in Rome during the long 16th century'

Peter Lefferts, Nebraska

30 Nov: 'Disiecta Membra Musicae: a new facsimile edition of music manuscript fragments from 14th-century England'

Dr Steven Gamble, Bristol

31 Oct: tbc

Dr Reuben Phillips

14 Nov: 'The afterlives of Brahms's library'

Dr Matilde Meireles

28 Nov: tbc

Megan Lavengood, George Mason

21 Nov: 'Teaching timbre'

Mats Küssner, Humboldt

7 Nov: 'Sonic visions: how music navigates the visual pathways of the mind'

Noel Lobley, Virginia

19 Oct: 'Sound fragments: collaborative curation with The Black Power Station'

Lauren Redhead, Goldsmiths, **Tom Attah**, Leeds, and **Byron Dueck**, OU

22 Nov, online: tbc

TORCH

TORCH/OCCT fiction and other minds seminar

Professor Dan Zahavi, Copenhagen, and **Professor Sophie Loidot**, Darmstadt, will lead a seminar at 5.15pm on 8 November in Seminar Room 5, St Anne's.

All welcome. More information: <https://occt.web.ox.ac.uk/event/fiction-and-other-minds-minds-cognitive-science-and-the-public-domain>.

Subject: 'Minds, cognitive science and the public domain'

Voltaire Foundation

Besterman Lecture

Professor Richard Bourke, Cambridge, will give the 2023 Besterman Lecture at 5pm on 9 November in the Grove Auditorium, Magdalen. A video of the lecture will

be available after the event. More information: www.voltaire.ox.ac.uk/event/besterman-lecture-2023-richard-bourke-on-hegels-enlightenment; to register: email@voltaire.ox.ac.uk.

Subject: 'Hegel's Enlightenment'

Mathematical, Physical and Life Sciences

Department of Earth Sciences

Departmental research seminars

The following seminars will take place at noon on Fridays in the Lecture Rooms and online via Zoom. More information and to join online: www.earth.ox.ac.uk/events. Conveners: Dr Julie Cosmidis, Dr Elena Melekhova, Dr Luke Perry. Administration: Maria Petrunova

Dr Ekbal Hussain, British Geological Survey
13 Oct: 'Ready to fail: the 2023 Türkiye earthquake disaster'

Professor Stephen Mojzsis, Colorado at Boulder
20 Oct: 'Rocky planets as the Lavoisier-Lomonosov Bridge from the non-living to the living world'

Dr Simon Lock, Bristol
27 Oct: 'Atmospheric loss in giant impacts: the effect of pre-impact surface conditions'

Professor Tim Elliott, Bristol
3 Nov: 'Does the silicate Earth have a leaky bottom?'

Dr Emily Stevenson, Cambridge
10 Nov: 'Towards a new understanding of the inorganic carbon budget in the Arctic'

Prof Marie Edmonds, Cambridge
17 Nov: 'Volatile metals in volcanic systems'

Prof Ana Ferreira, UCL
24 Nov: tbc

Dr Gaia Stucky de Quay, MIT
1 Dec: tbc

Department of Physics

Hintze Lecture Series

Professor Laura Kreidberg will give the 26th Hintze Lecture at 5pm on 8 November in the Martin Wood Lecture Theatre and online. To register: www.physics.ox.ac.uk/events/26th-hintze-lecture-professor-laura-kreidberg.

Subject: 'Copernicus revisited: is the Earth special?'

Medical Sciences

Department of Biochemistry

Unither Baruch Blumberg Lecture

Professor Marion Koopmans, Rotterdam, will give the 16th Baruch Blumberg Lecture at 4.30pm on 8 November in the Museum of Natural History.

Subject: 'Humans, animals, ecosystems: a complex dance – the hidden origins of COVID-19'

Department of Physiology, Anatomy and Genetics

Head of Department seminar series

The following seminars will take place at 1pm on Fridays in the Sherrington Library. All welcome. Conveners: Samira Lakhal-Littleton, Mootaz Salman

Professor Jenny Bizley, UCL
13 Oct: 'Mapping sounds into space'

Professor Umber Cheema, UCL
20 Oct: 'Advanced biomimetic 3D models to mimic tumour-stroma'

Dr Daniel Fazakerley, Cambridge
3 Nov: 'Identifying novel regulators of insulin-stimulated glucose uptake from "omics analyses"'

Fellows Lecture in pairs

Dr Rui Ponte Costa and **Dr Hugo Fernandes** will host the Michaelmas 2023 Fellows Lecture in pairs at 1pm on 1 December.

Subject: 'AI-driven brain-wide principles of learning' and 'Selective neuronal vulnerability in neurodegeneration and dementia'

Professor Andrew Murray, Cambridge
10 Nov: 'Human metabolic adaptation to high-altitude hypoxia'

Dr Sophie Trefely, Cambridge
17 Nov: 'The nucleus as a dynamic metabolic compartment linking nutrients to chromatin modification'

Professor Giles Yeo, Cambridge
24 Nov: 'The brain control of appetite and bodyweight: is obesity a choice?'

Social Sciences

School of Anthropology and Museum Ethnography

Departmental seminar series

The following seminars will take place at 3.15pm on Fridays in person and online via Teams. More information: www.anthro.ox.ac.uk/departamental-seminars. Conveners: Montañes Jimenez, M Porges

Naomi Haynes, Edinburgh
20 Oct: 'Charismatic bureaucracy: politics and government in Zambia's Christian Nationalist Movement'

Anne Delois
27 Oct: tbc

Paloma Gay y Plasco, St Andrews
3 Nov: 'Collaborative ethnography and gender violence: debating with Spanish Romani women'

Jolynna Sinanan, Manchester
10 Nov: 'The moral economy of infrastructures in Everest tourism'

Diana Vonnak, Stirling
17 Nov: 'Stepping in, helping out, competing with...? State and civic actors in Ukraine's wartime heritage work'

Adriaan Van Klinken, Leeds

24 Nov: 'Emerging African Christian queer political and religious forms'

Unit for Biocultural Variation and Obesity seminar series

The following seminars will take place at 4pm on Thursdays online [via Zoom](#), unless otherwise noted.

Conveners: Z Boni, S Ulijaszek

Emily Yates-Duerr, Oregon

19 Oct: 'American mal-nutrition: interventions into the science and policy of maternal health'

Aunty Kerrie Doyle, UWA

9am, 27 Oct: 'Eating disorders in Indigenous young people: why is it different?'

Anne Saab, Geneva

26 Oct: 'Emotions in international food law'

Ellen Margrete Iveland Ersfjord, Agder

2 Nov: 'Why is there a higher prevalence of overweight and obesity in rural areas? A qualitative study of rural children's perspectives of rural foodways'

OxDEG seminar series

The following seminars, held with the Oxford Internet Institute, will take place at 3.30pm on Mondays online [via Zoom](#), unless otherwise noted. Conveners: D Zietlyn, W Kelly, R Eynon, L Rodell

Professor Sahana Udupa

16 Oct: 'Digital unsettling: decoloniality and dispossession in the age of social media'

Marett Memorial Lecture

Professor Yael Navaro, Cambridge, will give the 2023 Marett Memorial Lecture at 5pm on 13 October in the Fitzhugh Auditorium, Exeter.

Subject: 'Catastrophe and more-than-human worlds'

Joel Robbins, Cambridge

1 Dec: 'The present and the future in the present: religion, values and climate change'

Susan Greenhalgh, Harvard

9 Nov: 'Soda science: how coke created a global science of exercise for obesity (1995–2015) and why it matters today'

Tayla von Ash, Brown

16 Nov: tbc

Kàtia Lurbe i Puerto, Sciences Po

23 Nov: 'The stakes around bariatric surgery in France: a critical sociology of the medical community and of public policies'

Ilya Gutin, Texas

30 Nov: 'When the measure becomes the metric: making sense of the body mass index in research and practice'

Dr John Postill

30 Oct, *Oxford Internet Institute*: 'Whatever works: digital ethnography as a flat methodology'

Dr Kate Sieck

13 Nov: tbc

Dr Joshua Robin

27 Nov: 'User researchers, partitions of mattering and the development of videogames'

Department of Education

Quantitative Methods Hub seminar series

The following seminars will take place at 12.45pm on Mondays in Seminar Room D and online via Zoom, unless otherwise noted. Registration required; more information: www.education.ox.ac.uk/upcoming-events. Convener: A Lindorff

Dr James Hall, Southampton, and **Professor Lars Malmberg**

9 Oct: 'A new method for conceptualising and testing how selection effects in education may influence educational inequalities'

Dr Olga Cara, UCL

16 Oct, *Seminar Room K/L*: 'Considering ethnicity in quantitative education research'

Dr Joonghyun Kwak

23 Oct: 'International student mobility and its impact on poverty: a cross-national analysis'

Johannes Schulz

13 Nov: 'Pragmatic competence and pragmatic tolerance in foreign language acquisition – revisiting the case of scalar implicatures'

Dr Sonia Ilie, Cambridge

20 Nov: 'Using experimental data in education'

Qualitative Methods Hub

The following seminars will take place at 12.50pm on Thursdays in Seminar Room B; Teams links may be requested from the conveners. Conveners: Dr V Elliott, Dr S Puttick, Dr N Dingwall

Dr Danica Sims

19 Oct: 'Phenomenography'

Dr Louise Couceiro

26 Oct: 'Exploring readers' responses from afar: Reflections on using online and creative methods for participatory research with children'

Dr Abigail Branford and Zaiba Patel

2 Nov: 'Contrasting decolonial and traditional methods in researching coloniality and history education'

Fang Xu

27 Nov: 'Socioeconomic status, parenting factors and student engagements of Chinese adolescents: how do they relate?'

Dr Zhe Wang

9 Nov: 'Unpacking the multisited ethnography: methodological insights from a DPhil journey'

Dr Nicole Dingwall and Dr Laura Molway,

16 Nov: 'Recording video data in school classrooms: lessons learned'

Professor Christian Ydesen, Aalborg

23 Nov: 'Doing policy analysis in education – a workshop'

Dr Velda Elliott

30 Nov: 'Racist epithets in the classroom: unpacking attitudes to the N word in teaching English'

Departments of Education/International Development/Social Policy and Intervention

Book launch

Professor Juan Manuel Santos, Visiting Professor, Nobel Peace Laureate and former president of Colombia, will be in conversation with **Tshering**

Tobgay, former prime minister of Bhutan, at 5pm on 31 October in the Conference Suite, Rhodes House. More information: https://ophi.org.uk/ophi_events/santos-book-2023

Subject: 'Multidimensional poverty reduction and leadership'

Department of Politics and International Relations

Montague Burton Chair in International Relations inaugural lecture

Professor Neta Crawford will give the Montague Burton Chair in International Relations Inaugural Lecture at 5pm on 2 November 2023 in the Examination Schools, followed by a drinks reception 6–7pm.

Registration required: <https://Montague-Burton-Inaugural-lecture-2023.eventbrite.co.uk>.

Subject: 'The "fierce urgency of now": war, climate and change in the deep time of world politics'

Department of Social Policy and Intervention

Sidney Ball Memorial Lecture

Professor Silja Häusermann, Zurich, will give the 2023 Sidney Ball Memorial Lecture at 5pm on 10 November in the Garden Quad Auditorium, St John's.

Registration required; more information: www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/2023-sidney-ball-memorial-lecture-tickets-700116646737.

Subject: 'Inclusion or segmentation – the politics of welfare reform in 21st-century western Europe'

Centre for Socio-legal Studies

Socio-legal seminar series

The following seminars will take place at 11.30am 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

Linda Mulcahy and Marie Burton

16 Oct: 'Beyond cause lawyering and test cases: reflections on how to conceptualise progressive lawyering in the UK'

Joseph Spooner, LSE

23 Oct: 'Informal justice and the vanishing right to debt relief'

Carrie Menkel-Meadow, UCI

30 Oct: 'Is socio-legal studies a science? Some thoughts about our methods and epistemology'

Elliott Prasse-Freeman, NUS

6 Nov: 'Rights refused: grassroots activism and state violence in Myanmar'

Luca Falciola, Columbia

4.30pm, 13 Nov, *online*: 'Fighting or leveraging the law? "Radical Lawyers" dilemmas and experimentations in the 1960s and 1970s'

Aude Lejeune, Lille

20 Nov: 'Making social rights real: a comparative approach of legal mobilisation in France and the United Kingdom'

Sharon Thompson, Cardiff

27 Nov: 'Why don't we know more about the Married Women's Association? Reflection on feminist legal history and family law reform'

Institutes, Centres and Museums

Botanic Garden and Arboretum

Autumn science lectures

The following talks will take place at 7pm on Thursdays online via Zoom. To register: www.obga.ox.ac.uk/ASL2023.

Dr Roberto Salguero-Gómez

19 Oct: 'Have plants tapped into the fountain of eternal youth?'

Professor Baroness Kathy Willis

26 Oct: 'Prescribing nature: understanding what happens when we see, touch and smell nature'

Professor Ilina Singh

9 Nov: tbc

Professor Lars Østergaard

23 Nov: 'Fruit development, morphology and evolution driven by a hormonal and genetic pas de deux'

Professor Yadvinder Malhi

30 Nov: 'Tropical forests and planet Earth: a macroscopic view'

Centre for Life-Writing

Writing Jewish Women's Lives Colloquium

An all-day colloquium will launch the Vera Fine-Grodzinski Programme 10am–6.15pm on 17 October in the Leonard Wolfson Auditorium, Wolfson. Free entry; more information: <https://oclw.web.ox.ac.uk/event/colloquium-writing-jewish-womens-lives>.

Laura Marcus Workshops

The following workshops will take place at 10.30am in the History of the Book Room, English Faculty. Free; open to University members only. Registration required; more information: <https://oclw.web.ox.ac.uk/event/lmw-illness>.

John Keats and Life-Writing Lecture

Dr Lucasta Miller, Cambridge, will lecture at 5.30pm on 24 October in the Leonard Wolfson Auditorium, Wolfson. Free entry; more information: <https://oclw.web.ox.ac.uk/event/lucasta-miller>.

Subject: '“Thou wast not born for death”: Keats and the living art of writing literary lives'

Professor Robert Douglas-Fairhurst and Professor Hermione Lee

27 Oct: 'Illness and life-writing'

Professor Elleke Boehmer

17 Nov: 'International life-writing'

Non-fiction publishing workshop

Eli Keren, Kate Walsh and Blake Morrison will lead a non-fiction workshop at 1.30pm on 31 October in the Buttery, Wolfson. More information and registration: <https://oclw.web.ox.ac.uk/event/non-fiction-publishing>.

Weinrebe Lecture

Blake Morrison will give the Weinrebe Lecture at 5.30pm on 31 October, in conversation with Hermione Lee, in the Leonard Wolfson Auditorium, Wolfson. Free event. Registration required; more information: <https://oclw.web.ox.ac.uk/event/blake-morrison>.

Subject: 'On Two Sisters and the art of Life-Writing'

Literary Salons

The following literary salons will take place at 2pm in the Buttery at Wolfson and online. Registration required; more information: <https://oclw.web.ox.ac.uk/events>.

Rebecca Abrams

7 Nov: 'Writing Jewish women's lives'

Book Event

Elleke Boehmer, Tinashe Mushakavanhu and Jonny Steinberg will lecture at 5.30pm on 5 December in the Buttery, Wolfson, to launch the second edition of Boehmer's *Nelson Mandela: A Very Short Introduction*. Chair: Professor Maxim Bolt. Free entry but registration required; more information: <https://oclw.web.ox.ac.uk/event/nelson-mandela-legacies>.

Subject: 'The legacies of Nelson Mandela: ten years on'

Maison Française

Early Modern French seminars

The following seminars will take place at 12.30pm on Thursdays, unless otherwise noted. Conveners: Raphaële Garrod, Jess Goodman, Alice Roulliere

Vittoria Fallanca

12 Oct: 'Following the footsteps of *dessein*: Montaigne, design and the Essais'

Jeffrey Peters, Kentucky

12.15pm, 26 Oct, *St John*'s: 'The matter of poetic air in Early Modern France'

Modern French research seminars

The following seminars will take place at 5.15pm on Thursdays, unless otherwise noted. Conveners: Jane Hiddleston, Macs Smith, Jennifer Yee

Valentina Gosetti, New England

19 Oct: 'Neither French nor Italian: poetry as a hybrid contact zone in Francophone Italy and Francoprovençal France'

Natasha Walter and Rebecca Abrams

21 Nov: 'Writing Jewish women's lives'

OCLW Workshop

Dr Pragya Agarwal and Rebecca Donner will lead an online workshop at 2pm [via Zoom](#). Free event; open to members of the OCLW Research Network only.

15 Nov: 'Rewriting women's lives'

Shirley Hazzard Lecture

Professor Brigitta Olubas, UNSW, will lecture at 5.30pm on 17 November in the Leonard Wolfson Auditorium. Free entry but registration required; more information: <https://oclw.web.ox.ac.uk/event/brigitta-olubas>.

Subject: 'Shirley Hazzard'

George Eliot Lecture

Professor Clare Carlisle, KCL, will lecture at 5.30pm on 21 November, in the Leonard Wolfson Auditorium. Free event. Registration required; more information: <https://oclw.web.ox.ac.uk/event/clare-carlisle>.

Subject: 'George Eliot, Kierkegaard and life-writing'

Glenn Roe

9 Nov: 'Enlightenment influencers: networks of reuse in the 18th-century archive'

Clare Siviter, Bristol

23 Nov: 'Rethinking theatrical censorship during the longer French Revolution'

Nikolaj Lübecker

1pm, 2 Nov, *Taylorian Institution*: 'Caught in the crosshairs: images as war in Éléonore Weber's *Il n'y aura plus denuit* (2020)'

Damian Catani, Birkbeck

16 Nov: 'Controversial genius: the rise and fall and rise again of Louis-Ferdinand Celine'

Medieval French research seminars

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

Laura Endress, Zurich

10 Oct: 'Missing links or contaminated witnesses? Exploring the manuscript tradition of the Suite-Vulgate du Merlin'

Channels of digital scholarship seminars

The following seminars will take place [online](#).

Conveners: Goran Gaber, Andrew Cusworth, Pascal Marty, Olivier Delouis, Tristan Alonge, Grégoire Lacaze

1–5pm, 27 Oct: 'How social media changed the journalistic sphere: cross-cultural perspectives on the circulation of digital posts on news media websites'

Cinema at Maison Française

The following film screenings will take place at 8pm on Tuesdays, unless otherwise noted. Free entry; to register: www.mfo.ac.uk/whats.

17 Oct: *La page blanche* (Murielle Magellan, 2022)

31 Oct: *Les Promesses* (Thomas Kruithof, 2021)

14 Nov: *Pétaouchnok* (Édouard Deluc, 2022)

Lectures and workshops

Global Forest Autumn School

The Global Forest Autumn School will take place 9–12 October. Conveners: Maya Leroy, Nicolas Picard, Pascal Marty

Leverhulme Lecture

Felicia McCarren, Tulane, will give the 2023 Leverhulme Lecture at 5.15pm on 11 October.

Subject: 'Dance ecologies: history, choreography, knowledge'

Ekaterina Domorenok, Padova. Convener: Nathalie Berny

5.15pm, 17 Oct: 'Sustainability transition for all and for good? The European Green Deal and the European Commission's narrative power'

Catriona Seth

5.30pm, 1 Nov: In conversation with Mathias Enard for *The Annual Banquet of the Gravediggers' Guild* (Fitzcarraldo Editions, 2023)

Luke Sunderland, Durham

7 Nov: '“They travel together like knights”: social animals in Medieval French encyclopaedias'

Miranda Griffin, Cambridge

21 Nov: 'Don't look now: missing images and prohibited vision in Bodley 445'

Jack Orchard and **Esther Wright**, Cardiff

2–4pm, 23 Nov: 'Gaming and history'

5.30pm, Fri, 17 Nov: *From the Universal Declaration of Human Rights (1948) to Dignitatis Humanae (1965) and back again* (organised with the Charles Malik Institute, Regent's Park and Campion Hall)

Petra Jamem, ULB

13–14 Oct: 'Comparative and world literature through the lens of modernist and translation studies'

Benoît Pouget, Mark Harrison and **Jeong-Ran Kim**

15–16 Nov: 'Body counts: the administration of military losses and casualties in East & South-east Asian wars 1930s–70s'

Paul Max Morin, Paris, **Itay Lote**, Westminster, **James McDougall** and **Andrea Brazzoduro**, Naples

5.15pm, 27 Nov: 'French memories of the Algerian War: changing paradigm'

Living Cities Lecture

Valerie Olson, Irvine, will give the 2023 Living Cities Lecture at 5.15pm on 28 November.

Subject: 'Spacecraft as city: divergent urban politics in aerospace practice and fiction'

Raphael Heffron, Louis de Fontenelle and **Emmanuelle Santoire**

noon–6pm, 5 Dec: '“Just” energy infrastructures development for the climate common good: an international comparative analysis'

Conferences

FSCIRE WITHIN THE NICAENUM CONSORTIUM

A conference will take place 11–12 December.

Subject: 'The Nicene-Constantinopolitan Creed and the Creeds: tensions and rapprochements'

LOVE AND LENSES: PHOTOGRAPHIC COUPLES, GENDER RELATIONSHIPS, AND TRANSATLANTIC NETWORKS IN THE LONG NINETEENTH CENTURY

A conference will take place 12–13 October. Conveners:

Emily Brady, Martyna Zielinska

Subject: 'Axioms, hypotheses, and common notions. Foundational principles of experimental and natural science in the Newtonian controversies'

NOTCOM ERC & RESEARCH PROJECT

A conference will take place 9–10 November.

Subject: 'Responses to Newton's mathematical-experimental paradigm in 18th-century philosophy'

Oxford Martin School

James Martin Memorial Lecture

The Rt Hon Sir Alok Sharma, MP, and Professor

Sir Charles Godfray will be in conversation at 5pm

on 26 October in the Sheldonian Theatre. More

information and to register: www.oxfordmartin.ox.ac.uk/events/james-martin-memorial-lecture-alok-sharma.

Subject: 'Time to look up – in conversation with Rt Hon

Sir Alok Sharma about the climate crisis'

Oxford Martin School Lectures

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

Adama Dieng and Professor Andrew Thompson

9 Oct: 'The United Nations and the prevention of mass atrocities in the 21st century: some challenges and opportunities'

Professor Erle Ellis, Maryland

12 Oct: 'Anthropocene opportunities: unleashing humanity's shared aspirations'

Charles Kenny, Center for Global Development

30 Oct: 'The future of global development and implications for aid'

Dr Olessia Koltsova, HSE

16 Nov: 'Health misinformation: the barriers to its recognition by consumers and the limits to the concept of medical "truth"'

Professor Rasmus Kleis Nielsen

12.30pm, 21 Nov: 'The power of platforms: shaping media and society'

Oxford Institute of Population Ageing

Oxford Institute of Population Ageing seminars

The following seminars will take place at 2pm on Thursdays in person and online [via Zoom](https://www.zoom.us). More information: www.ageing.ox.ac.uk/events/view/518. Convener: Melina Malli

Professor Angela Hassiotis, UCL

12 Oct: 'Intellectual disabilities'

Professor David Oliver, Kent

19 Oct: 'Palliative care and intellectual disabilities'

Professor Tamar Heller, Illinois

26 Oct: 'Health promotion interventions for individuals with disabilities'

Dr Laura Moll

2 Nov: 'Cerebral palsy and ageing'

Dr Bethan Davies, Nottingham

9 Nov: 'Tourette's syndrome and ageing'

Dr Stella Paddick, Newcastle

16 Nov: 'Older people living with HIV'

Dr Gavin R Stewart, UCL

23 Nov: 'Ageing & autism'

Colleges, Halls and Societies

Blackfriars Hall

Las Casas Institute Discussion Group

Edward Hadas will lead an online discussion group over eight weeks, starting at 5pm on 10 October. Open to all but registration required; more information: www.bfriars.ox.ac.uk/event/four-american-women-saints-almost/2023-10-10.

Subject: 'Four American women saints (almost)'

Conferences

Las Casas Institute, St Mary's University and the Centre for Catholic Social Thought and Practice will hold a conference 9am–4.45pm on 20 October. To register in person or online please email: lascasas@bfriars.ox.ac.uk. More information: www.bfriars.ox.ac.uk/event/climate-emergency-an-ethical-challenge-for-humanity.

Subject: 'Climate emergency: an ethical challenge for humanity'

Reluctant Prophet: Tributes to Albert Nolan OP

Professor Ian Linden and publisher **Hilary Regan** will lead a discussion at 5.30pm on 26 October. All welcome. More information: www.bfriars.ox.ac.uk/event/reluctant-prophet-tributes-to-albert-nolan-op.

The William Temple Foundation and the Las Casas Institute will hold a conference at 10am–3.30pm on 28 October. Open to all. Registration required; more information: www.bfriars.ox.ac.uk/event/ethical-robots-theological-and-philosophical-frontiers.

Subject: 'Ethical robots: theological and philosophical frontiers'

Campion Hall

Seminar series: No what without a how: theological method and the theologies of original sin in modern Catholic thought

The following seminars will take place 3–4.30pm on Fridays. To register: www.campion.ox.ac.uk/events.

Dr Philip Moller

20 Oct: 'Henri de Lubac. Methodological ressourcement'

Dr Patrick Riordan

27 Oct: 'Bernard Lonergan. Soteriology'

Professor Stephan van Erp, Leuven
3 Nov: 'Schillebeeckx'

Professor Michael Kirwan, Dublin
10 Nov: 'Rene Girard/James Alison'

Dr Patrick Zoll, Munich

17 Nov: 'Eleonore Stump. A Neo-Thomist approach to atonement'

Symposium

Karl Rahner will lead Campion's all-day symposium on 24 November (time tbc). Papers for discussion will be circulated a week in advance. Speakers: **Professor Stephen Field**, Georgetown; **Professor Declan Marmion**, Maynooth; **Professor David Sendrez**, Paris; **Carl Scerri**; **Professor Karen Kilby**, Durham.

Subject: 'Employing modern Philosophy theologically'

Corpus Christi

FW Bateson Memorial Lecture

Professor Dagmawi Woubshet, Pennsylvania, will give the FW Bateson Memorial Lecture at 5pm on 11 October in the MBI Al Jaber Auditorium.

Subject: 'A quiet gathering: James Baldwin and the art of late style in *The Welcome Table*'

Green Templeton

Management in Medicine Programme

This programme has been established to help trainee clinicians develop their management and leadership skills, including medical students. The following workshops and seminars will take place at 6.45pm on Mondays online via Zoom, unless otherwise noted. Registration required; more information: gtc.ox.ac.uk/events.

Dr Nick Hicks

23 Oct: 'Management in Medicine accreditation launch and information session'

Professor Trish Greenhalgh

13 Nov: 'How can we organise remote consultation services that are safe, effective and equitable?'

Dr Nick Fahy

20 Nov: 'The past, present and future of the NHS: will we still have an NHS in another fifty years?'

Dr Sahana Rao and Professor Meghana Pandit

10am, 2 Dec, EP Abraham Lecture Theatre: 'Leading the change: integrating quality improvement and patient engagement for exceptional healthcare'

Global journalism seminars and Oxford Climate Journalism Network lecture

Dr Friederike Otto, Imperial, will lecture at 1pm on 15 November online [via Zoom](https://gtc.ox.ac.uk/events). More information and to register: gtc.ox.ac.uk/events.

Subject: 'How journalists can do a better job reporting on COP28'

Harris Manchester

Upton Lecture

Professor Susan James, Birkbeck, will give the Upton Lecture at 5.15pm on 14 November in the chapel and live streamed. More information: www.hmc.ox.ac.uk/events

Subject: 'Fake news: learning from Spinoza'

Kellogg

Creative Writing Seminar Series

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

Jane Draycott

25 Oct: 'Learned in translation: a sequence of readings and reflections on how the process of poetic translation can be not only a primary project of advocacy, but also an act of vital apprenticeship and refreshment to creative impetus'

Malachi McIntosh

23 Nov: 'Writing other lives'

Magdalen

Ewen Green Memorial Lecture

Lucy Delap, Cambridge, will give the Ewen Green Memorial Lecture at 5pm on 12 October in the auditorium.

Subject: 'Duelling in the archive: labour quotas for disabled Britons, 1944–95'

Waynflete Lecture

Katie Mitchell, alumna (1983) and theatre director, will give the annual Waynflete Lecture at 5pm on 25 October in the auditorium and online. Registration required: limara.bertram@magd.ox.ac.uk. More information: www.magd.ox.ac.uk/events/waynflete-lecture-from-katie-mitchell-1983.

Mansfield

Mansfield public talks

The following talks will take place on Fridays at 5.30pm in the Sir Joseph Hotung Auditorium. Free and open to all but registration required; more information: www.mansfield.ox.ac.uk/mansfield-college-public-talks.

Andrew Seaton

20 Oct: 'Our NHS: a history of Britain's best-loved institution'

Claire Mitchell, KC, and Zoe Venditozzi

27 Oct: 'Pardons for witches: why historical redress matters'

Book talk

Lemn Sissay

3 Nov: *Let the Light Pour In*

Professor Kiran Klaus Patel

10 Nov: 'Solz, Berlin and Brussels: Germany's 20th century in three lives'

Professor Alex Betts, Kate Clanchy, Erick Moreno Superlano and Shukria Rezaei

17 Nov: 'The 4th Celebration of Colleges of Sanctuary: "Creating a Community"'

Professor Kate O'Regan

24 Nov: 'Debating the difficult: the human right to receive and impart information and ideas in the 21st century'

tbc

25 Nov: Mansfieldmas

Professor Matt Cook

1 Dec: '“Archives of Feeling” revisited: the AIDS crisis in Britain c1987'

Oriel

John Collins Lecture

Kate Forbes, MSP, will give the John Collins Lecture at 5.30pm on 20 November in the Harris Lecture Theatre. More information: chaplain@oriel.ox.ac.uk. Subject: 'Politics, conscience and Christian faith'

St Antony's

Modern South Asia seminar series

The following seminars will take place 2–3.30pm on Tuesdays in the Pavilion Room. More information: www.sant.ox.ac.uk/research-centres/asian-studies-centre/events. Conveners: Thiruni Kelegama, Kate Sullivan de Estrada

Dr Shannon Philip, East Anglia

10 Oct: 'A city of men? Youth masculinities and everyday gendered violences in urban India'

Pervez Hoodbhoy

17 Oct: 'Pakistan & India: common origins, divergent trajectories'

24 Oct: tbc

Lectures

Dr Rohan Mukherjee, LSE, will give a lecture at 5pm on 24 October in the Dickson Poon Building. Subject: 'Rising powers and the politics of status in international institutions'

Dr Indrajit Roy, York

31 Oct: 'Rising power, precarious citizens: mobility and democracy in India after 1989'

Professor Katharine Adeney, Nottingham

7 Nov: 'Majoritarian nationalisms and religion in South Asia'

14 Nov: tbc

Dr Kalathmika Natarajan, Exeter

21 Nov: 'Migration, caste and the figure of the "Coolie" in Indian diplomatic history'

Professor Rajmohan Gandhi will lecture at 5.30pm on 31 October in the Pavilion Room.

Subject: 'The future of democracy in India'

Film screening

The film *Kekee Manzil: House of Art* will be screened at 5.30pm on 30 October in the Investcorp Lecture Theatre.

Middle East Centre Friday Seminar Series

The following seminars will take place at 5pm on Fridays in the Investcorp Lecture Theatre:

Professor Orit Bashkin, Chicago

13 Oct: 'Jewish images of Sultanate power in the 18th and 19th centuries in Palestine, Syria and Iraq'

Dr Teresa Pepe, Oslo

20 Oct: 'Arabic literature in a post-human age'

Professor Noah Saloman, Virginia

27 Oct: 'The world is not a place of dwelling: spiritual creativity in the arts of contemporary Islam'

Dr Amal Ghazal, Doha

3 Nov: 'Zanzibar's liberation between the "global 60s" and local politics'

Middle East Centre seminar series

The following seminars will take place at 5pm on Tuesdays in the Investcorp Lecture Theatre, unless otherwise noted.

Nathan Thrall, Jerusalem

5.30pm, 10 Oct: 'A day in the life of Abed Salama: a Palestine story'

Ghassan Salamé, Paris

17 Oct, hybrid: '[Reza Hosseini memorial lecture](#)'

Professor Pascal Menoret, Brandeis

10 Nov: tbc

Dr Hanan Hammad, Leiden

17 Nov: tbc

Professor Elizabeth Suzanne Kassab, Doha

24 Nov: 'What have the Arab Uprisings done to "contemporary Arab thought"?'

Professor Yoav di Capua, Texas

1 Dec: 'Reconsidering the 60s generation in the Arab world and beyond'

Dr Jillian Schwedler, New York

23 Oct, Boardroom: 'Protesting Jordan: geographies of power and dissent'

Reem Bassiouny, Cairo

31 Oct: 'Sheikh Zayed book award'

Professor Adam Mestyan, Duke

28 Nov: 'Modern Arab kingship – remaking the Ottoman political order in the interwar Middle East'

St Catherine's

The Alan Tayler Lecture

Professor Eddie Wilson, Bristol, will give the Alan Tayler Lecture at 5pm on 30 October in the Mary Sunley Lecture Theatre. Registration required: <https://forms.office.com/e/xevnBeJeJ7>.

Subject: 'The maths (and engineering) of moving people and things around'

Richard Wollheim Centenary Project

Professor Derek Matravers, OU, will give the first Richard Wollheim Centenary Project lecture at 6pm on 4 December in the New Seminar Room. Conveners: Paul Tod, Louise Braddock, Niall Gildea. Regular attendees please note the earlier than usual start time. More information: <https://wollheimcentenary.org>; to register: wollheimcentenary@gmail.com. Please confirm your status as academic (including students), mental health practitioner, or other (please specify).

Subject: 'The role of psychoanalysis in Richard Wollheim's philosophy of art'

Trinity

Trinity Talks series

The following lectures will take place at 5pm in the de Jager Auditorium. Registration required; more information: <https://www.trinity.ox.ac.uk>.

Shehan Hettiaratchy

5 Nov: 'Bringing a knife to a gunfight... a surgeon's view of war and conflict'

Hugh Brody

15 Nov: 'Filming the spoken word – the Khomani San of the southern Kalahari'

Mirjana Spoljaric

28 Nov: 'From Ukraine to Syria – the challenges of humanitarian action in today's intractable conflicts'

Wolfson

Syme Lecture

Professor David Potter, Michigan, will give the 2023 Syme Lecture at 6pm on 2 November in the Leonard Wolfson Auditorium and [livestreamed](#).

Subject: tbc

Sarfraz Lecture

Professor Ayesh Jalal, Tufts, will give the 2023 Sarfraz Lecture at 6pm on 23 November in the Leonard Wolfson Auditorium and [livestreamed](#).

Subject: 'Candles in the dark: enlightened thought in Pakistan'

Other Groups

Oxford Centre for Hindu Studies

Michaelmas Lectures

Dr Rembert Lutjeharms will lecture at 4pm on Fridays at the Gibson Building. More information: <https://ochs.org.uk>.

Subject: 'Hinduism 1: sources and formations'

Professor Gavin Flood will lecture at 2pm on Mondays and 9.30am on Fridays.

Subject: 'Sanskrit'

Professor Brian Bocking, UCC, will lecture at 2pm on 19 October.

Subject: 'Forgotten Irish figures in Indian religions'

J P and Beena Khaitan Visiting Fellow Lecture

Professor John Nemec, Virginia, will lecture at 3pm on 25 October.

Subject: 'Sleep, perception and other problems: Somānanda's arguments against the Dualist Naiyāyikas'

Seminars on Indian philosophy

The following seminars will take place at 4.30pm on Wednesdays. Convener: Dr Jessica Frazier

Professor Alex Watson, Ashoka

18 Oct: 'Dharmakīrti, Rāmakaṇṭha and Galen Strawson on the existence of selves'

Shivdasani Visiting Fellow Lectures

Professor Alex Watson, Ashoka, will give the following Shivdasani Visiting Fellow lectures at 11am on Wednesdays in the library.

11 Oct: 'The Self / No-Self Debate in Classical Indian Philosophy: difficulties for the Buddhist'

25 Oct: 'Indian logic and the existence of God 1: the Atheist's arguments'

8 Nov: 'Indian logic and the existence of God 2: the Theist's response to the Atheist's arguments'

Readings in Vedānta

Dr Rembert Lutjeharms will give readings at 11am on Thursdays. More information and to register email: rembert@ochs.org.uk.

Readings in phenomenology

Professor Gavin Flood will give readings at noon on Mondays. More information and to register email: gavin@ochs.org.uk

Brett Parris

18 Oct: 'The metaethics of Patañjali's yoga'

Professor John Nemec, Virginia

29 Nov: 'On the effects of causes and causes that could have an effect: the Śaiva theory of the eternality of what is produced'

Jacob Mortimer

29 Nov: 'The canonical roots of Buddhist phenomenism'

Concepts of self in the history of Hinduism

Professor Gavin Flood will lecture at 2pm on Thursdays.

26 Oct: 'The sacrificial and transcendent self'

9 Nov: 'The possessed self, the personal self, transcendence, and its collapse'

Artist in Residence Talk

Rosanna Dean will give the Artist in Residence Talk at 2pm on 16 November.

Subject: 'Art, Non-dualism, and the Divine'

Oxford Centre for Islamic Studies**Public lectures**

The following talks will take place at 5pm. All welcome.

Professor Robert Hillenbrand, Edinburgh

1 Nov: 'The significance of the dome in Islamic architecture'

Sir Christopher Greenwood, Cambridge

22 Nov: 'Can international law make a difference in time of war?'

HRH Prince El Hassan bin Talal

24 Nov: 'The path to a new humanitarian world order: upholding human dignity and climate integrity'

Centre seminars

The following seminars will take place at 5pm.

Professor Andrew Peacock, St Andrews

11 Oct: 'Arabic's easternmost frontier: Arabic manuscripts, sufism and courtly culture in South-east Asia, 17th–18th centuries'

Dr Christian Tripodi, KCL

8 Nov: 'Power, knowledge and the illusion of control: western counterinsurgency in the Muslim world 1954–2014'

Professor Krzysztof Pelc

18 Oct: 'Beyond self interest: why the market rewards those who reject it'

Dr Amir Lebdioui

15 Nov: 'Green industrialisation: evidence from and for Muslim societies'

Professor Louis Brenner, SOAS

25 Oct: 'The language of religious expression in the Islamic culture of West Africa'

Professor Ayse Zarakol, Cambridge

30 Nov: 'Before the west: the rise and fall of eastern world orders'

Seminars on Science, Technology and Environment in Muslim societies

The following seminars will take place at 5pm:

Dr Abed Chaudhury, Genofax

10 Oct: 'Science and Islam: a perspective from rural Bangladesh'

Dr Cother Hajat, Institute of Public Health

21 Nov: 'The use of behavioural science models to shift diets for health and climate'

Dr Christopher Ganz, ETH Zürich

17 Oct: 'Artificial intelligence – hopes and fears'

Professor Richard Walker

7 Nov: 'The past, present, and future of earthquake risk in Asia'