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Humanities

Rothermere American Institute

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

Esmond Harmsworth Lecture in American Arts and Letters

Hilton Als, theatre critic at *The New Yorker* and essayist, will deliver the 2017 Esmond Harmsworth Lecture in American Arts and Letters at 5pm on 4 May. Registration required: www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/hilton-als-the-birth-of-tragedy-tickets-32694904339.

Subject: 'The birth of tragedy'

Ambassador John J Louis Jr Lecture in Anglo-American Relations

The Hon James P Rubin, former US Assistant Secretary of State for Public Affairs, will deliver the 2017 Ambassador John J Louis Jr Lecture in Anglo-American Relations at 5pm on 18 May.

Lecture

Professor Richard Harknett, Cincinnati
2.30pm, 8 May: 'US cyber security strategy: what Obama missed and where Trump might be heading'

Symposia and conferences

A one-day symposium will take place from 9am on 10 May. Led by **Professor Sidney Milkis**, Virginia.

Subject: '100 days down, 265 to go: first milestone on President Trump's first year'

A one-day symposium will take place from 9am on 19 May. Speakers include: **Sarah Howe**, Liverpool; **Sandeep Parmar**, UCL; and **Oli Hazzard**, St Andrews. More information: <http://poetrysince2000.wordpress.com/about>.

Subject: 'Special relationships: poetry across the Atlantic since 2000'

A one-day conference will take place from 9am on 2 June. More information: www.rai.ox.ac.uk/event/voices-dissent-social-movements-and-political-protest-post-war-america.

Subject: 'Voices of dissent: social movements and political protests in post-war America'

A conference will take place 15–16 June at Nuffield and the Rothermere American Institute. More information: www.rai.ox.ac.uk/events. Conveners: Professor Desmond King; Professor Sidney Milkis, Virginia
Subject: 'Social movements and the American state'

American history research seminar

The following seminars will take place at 4pm on Tuesdays, unless otherwise noted.

Professor Christopher Capozzola, MIT
25 Apr: 'The Nye Commission and America's entry into World War One'

Professor Michael Heale, Lancaster
2 May: 'Legitimising American history in Britain: roads taken and not taken'

Professor Margaret MacMillan
9 May: 'America and the Treaty of Versailles'

Professor Frank Cogliano, Edinburgh
5pm, Wed, 17 May: 'The monument and the sphinx: Washington, Jefferson and the methodological challenges of the obvious'

Professor Brian Balogh, Virginia
30 May: 'That lady on the hill: examining American liberalism at a crossroads in the 1970s'

Dr Daniel Scroop, Glasgow
6 Jun: 'Huey Long, the "little man" and the Great Depression'

American literature research seminar

The following seminars will take place at 5pm on Thursdays.

Professor Hazel Hutchison, Aberdeen
27 Apr: '"Truth has no place in war": WWI writing and censorship in America'

Panel discussion

Professor Tara Stubbs and **Dr Doug Haynes**, Sussex
11 May: *Navigating the Transnational in Modern American Literature and Culture*, Routledge, 2017

Professor Vincent Sherry, Washington at St Louis
25 May: 'Other observations on *Prufrock* and *Other Observations*: wartime Eliot on prewar Eliot' (pre-circulated reading available from james.cetkovski@ell.ox.ac.uk or nanette.obrien@ell.ox.ac.uk)

Professor Elaine Showalter, Princeton
8 Jun: 'The civil wars of Julia Ward Howe: biography, poetry and emancipation'

Intersectional feminisms reading group

This group meets at 5pm on Wednesdays. All those interested in reading and discussing writing, art and music that centres on the experiences of American women of colour are welcome. Pre-circulated materials provide the focus. Contact nina.yancy@univ.ox.ac.uk to join circulation list.

American politics graduate seminar

This seminar will take place at 1pm on Wednesdays. All welcome to meetings featuring presentations and discussion led by postgraduate, junior and senior researchers. Sandwich lunch provided. More information: politics.rai@gmail.com.

Faculty of Classics

International graduate conference in Greek comedy in honour of Angus Bowie

A conference will take place 20–21 May at the Stelios Ioannou School for Research in Classical and Byzantine Studies. Keynote speakers: **Professor Oliver Taplin** and **Professor Michael Silk**. Free but registration required: www.classics.ox.ac.uk/event-reader/events/greekcomedy.html. Convener: Dimitrios Kanellakis

APGRD public lecture

Professor Karen Bassi, UCSC Institute of Classical Studies' Webster Fellow 2017, will lecture at 2.15pm on 15 May in the Outreach Room, Ioannou Centre, 66 St Giles'. More information: www.apgrd.ox.ac.uk/events/2017/01/domesticating-death-living-in-the-house-of-hades.

Subject: 'Domesticating death: living in the House of Hades'

Lectures

The following lectures will take place at 5pm in the Ioannou Centre for Classical and Byzantine Studies.

Sybille Haynes Lecture

Professor Ingrid Krauskopf, Heidelberg
24 Apr: 'Etruria and the Orient: direct contacts'

Don Fowler Memorial Lecture

Professor David Scourfield, Maynooth
4 May: 'Fragmentations and forgettings: anatomising Classics in English modernist fiction'

Gaisford Lecture

Professor Hans Bernsdorff, Frankfurt
18 May: 'Was Anacreon more inclined to lust or drunkenness?'

*David Lewis Lecture***Professor Robert Parker**

24 May: 'The epigraphy and anthropology of divination'

Faculty of English Language and Literature**Astor Lectures**

Professor Nicholas Allen, Director, Willson Center, and Franklin Professor of English, Georgia, will lecture at 5.30pm on 8 June in Lecture Theatre 2, St Cross Building.

Subject: 'Coastal literature and the 20th century: Ireland and the Atlantic world'

Professor Hillary Chute, Professor of English, Northeastern, will lecture at 5.30pm on 22 June in the TORCH Seminar Room, Radcliffe Humanities Building.

Subject: 'Disaster drawn: comics, war and the picturing of violence'

Poets at Keble

Denise Riley will give a poetry reading at 6.30pm on 1 June in the Pusey Room, Keble.

O'Donnell Lecture

Dr Mary-Ann Constantine, University of Wales Centre for Advanced Welsh and Celtic Studies, will deliver the 2017 O'Donnell Lecture at 5.30pm on 12 May in Lecture Theatre 2, St Cross Building.

Subject: 'Curious traveller: Britain, Britons and Britishness in Thomas Pennant's *Tours*'

Professor of Poetry Lecture

Professor Simon Armitage will deliver the Professor of Poetry Lecture at 5.30pm on 16 May in the Examination Schools.

Public lecture

Professor James W Earl, Oregon, will lecture at 6.20pm on 30 May in the Old Common Room, Balliol. More information: helen.appleton@ell.ox.ac.uk

Subject: 'Beowulf the obscure'

Visiting Professor of Creative Media Lectures

Dawn Airey will deliver the Visiting Professor of Creative Media Lectures at 5.30pm on 19 May and 22 May in Lecture Theatre 2, St Cross Building.

Romantic research seminar

The following seminars will take place at 5.30pm on Mondays in the Massey Room, Balliol.

Sharon Ruston

24 Apr: 'Editing the letters of Sir Humphry Davy, 1778-1829'

Susan Valladares

8 May: '“Bringing down the house”: slavery on the early-19th-century British stage'

Anna Camilleri

22 May: 'Gender, genre and Juan'

Andrew Wynn Owen and Christy Edwall

5 Jun: 'Fable and moral in *The Excursion*' and 'John Clare: “the man of science and of taste”'

18th-century literature and culture seminar

The following seminars will take place at 5.15pm on Mondays in the Old Library, Hertford, unless otherwise noted.

Conveners: Professor Ballaster, Professor Gerrard, Dr Johnston, Professor Williams

1 May, *Old Hall, Mansfield*: Poster display workshop: graduate students and postdoctoral researchers present their research through posters and discussion

Professor Chloe Wigston-Smith, York

15 May: 'Bodkin aesthetics: ordinary luxury and material metamorphosis in the 18th century'

Rathika Muthukumaran and Christy Edwall

29 May: '“Modesty in nakedness”: Siam and the politics of modesty in the anonymous *The Unnatural Mother*' and 'How to do things with Linnaeus'

Professor Ros Ballaster

12 Jun: 'Being there: the fiction of presence in 18th-century theatre and novel'

Medieval English research seminar

The following seminars will take place at 5.15pm on Wednesdays in the History of the Book Room or Lecture Theatre 2, St Cross Building, in case of a large audience.

Conveners: Professor Orchard, Professor Gillespie

Marilina Cesario, Queen's Belfast

26 Apr: 'Gloomy forecasts and impending disasters: the blowing of the wind in the twelve nights of Christmas'

Daniel Sawyer

3 May: 'Forms and manuscripts: reading later Middle English verse'

Emily Kesling

10 May: 'Elves, exorcism and medical uses of the liturgy in Anglo-Saxon England'

Annie Sutherland

17 May: 'The wooing of our Lord and the house without walls'

Alice Jorgensen, Trinity College Dublin

24 May: 'Performing the fear of God in some Old English homilies'

Barry Windeatt, Cambridge

31 May: 'Chaucer's tears'

'Great writers inspire at home': Postcolonial writing and theory seminar

The following seminars will take place 5-7pm on Thursdays in the Seminar Room, Radcliffe Humanities Building, unless otherwise noted. All welcome, but places limited. More information and to register: www.writersmakeworlds.com/workshops. Conveners: Professor Boehmer, Dr Lombard

*Series launch***Elleke Boehmer and Erica Lombard**

27 Apr: 'Readers and readings'

Kamila Shamsie

4 May: in dialogue with Elleke Boehmer

Bernadine Evaristo

11 May: in dialogue with Marsha Hutchinson and Zoe Norridge, KCL

Daljit Nagra

18 May: in dialogue with Rachael Gilmour, QMUL

Dianne Regisford

25 May, *St Luke's Chapel, Radcliffe Observatory Quarter*: 'Hersto-rhetoric? Na so today!!!'

Nadifa Mohamed

1 Jun: in conversation with Kate Haines, Bristol and Oxford Brookes

Aminatta Forna

8 Jun: in dialogue with Ankhi Mukherjee

Susheila Nasta and Mark Stein

15 Jun: *The Cambridge History of Black and Asian British Writing*: editors and contributors in discussion

*Panel discussion***M NourbeSe Philip**

Mon, 26 Jun: in a panel discussion with Marina Warner, Birkbeck, Matthew Reynolds and Elleke Boehmer

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

Dr Mihaela Schiopu, Bucharest

8 May: 'Pain, death and Christian identity: a visual interpretation'

Dr David Shepherd, Dublin

15 May: 'He's got a big mouth': Bertolt Brecht's play-fragments of *David*, 1920-1'

Dr Nancy Jiwon Cho, Seoul

22 May: 'The mask of the wise Virgin: Charlotte Elliott, 1789-1871's Advent poetry as female eschatology'

Faculty of History

Oxford Centre for Global History

OXFORD GRADUATE SEMINAR IN HISTORY 1680-1850

A workshop will take place 4.15-6.30pm on 26 April at Turl Yard Lecture Room, Lincoln. Speakers include: **Will Pettigrew**, Kent; **Michael Bennett**, Sheffield; **Aske Brock**, Kent; **Liam Haydon**, Kent; **Haig Smith**, Liverpool; **Edmond Smith**, Kent; **David Veevers**, Kent; and **Emily Mann**, Kent. All welcome. More information: http://global.history.ox.ac.uk/?page_id=2656.

Subject: 'Transoceanic constitutions: the corporation as protagonist in global history'

TRANSNATIONAL AND GLOBAL HISTORY SEMINARS

the History Faculty, George St

Dr John Donoghue, Loyola, will lecture at 5pm on 30 May at ~~Pembroke~~. More information: <http://global.history.ox.ac.uk>.

Subject: 'Buccaneering and the political economy of colonialism: a case study from the Caribbean frontier'

A special seminar will take place at 4.30pm on 28 April at the History Faculty, followed by drinks. To register: simon.stubbings@history.ox.ac.uk.

Subject: 'History on the move: commemorating the teaching of Jan-Georg Deutsch'

CONFERENCES

A conference will take place 10-12 May at the Middle East Centre, St Antony's and Trinity. Speakers include: **Khedidja Adel**; **Marc André**; **Andrea Brazzoduro**; **Khaled Chérif-Sabeur**; **Charlotte Courrière**; **Anissa Daoudi**; **James R House**; **Neil MacMaster**; **Paul Marquis**; **Claire Mauss-Copeaux**; **James McDougall**; **Amar Mohand Amer**; **Malika Rahal**; **Hassan Remaoun**; **Todd Shepard**; **Ouarda Siari Tengour**; **Nedjib Sidi Moussa**; **Kelsey Suggitt**; **Yassine Temlali**; **Sylvie Thénault**; **Natalya Vince**. More information: http://global.history.ox.ac.uk/?page_id=2599. Conveners: **Andrea Brazzoduro**, **James McDougall**, **Natalya Vince**.

Subject: 'The Algerian War of Independence: global and local histories, 1954-62, and after'

A conference will take place 29 June-1 July at All Souls. Speakers include: **Wayne Lee**, UNC; **Anthony McFarlane**, Warwick; **Stuart Carroll**, York; **Pratyay Nath**, Ashoka; **Cécile Vidal**, EHSS; **Lauren Benton**, Vanderbilt; **Adam Clulow**, Monash; **Richard Reid**, SOAS; and **James Belich**. Registration fee: £36. More information: http://global.history.ox.ac.uk/?page_id=2395. Conveners: **Peter Wilson**, **Marie Houlemare**, **Erica Charters**. *Subject:* 'A violent world? Changes and limits to large-scale violence in early modernity'

WORKSHOP

A workshop will take place 2-5.30pm on 6 June at the ~~Wellcome Unit for the History of Medicine~~ **History Faculty, George St**. Speakers include: **Margaret Humphreys**, Duke; **Chulhee Lee**, Korea; **Mark Harrison**; **Micah Muscolino**; **Rod Bailey**; **Jay Lewis**; **Mary Brazelton**, Cambridge. All welcome. More information: <http://global.history.ox.ac.uk>. Conveners: **Mark Harrison**, **Erica Charters**, **Rod Bailey**.

Subject: 'War, health and the environment in the modern age'

SEMINARS

A seminar will take place 1.20-4.40pm on 8 June in the Pavilion Room, St Antony's, in conjunction with the African Studies seminar. Speakers include: **Joel Cabrita**, Cambridge; **Stephanie Laemmert**; **Emma Wild-Wood**, Cambridge; **Reuben Loffman**, QMUL. Discussants: **Ramon Sarró** and **Miles Larmer**. More information: <http://copperbelt.history.ox.ac.uk>. To register: global@history.ox.ac.uk.

Subject: 'Urban spirituality in Central and Southern Africa'

Dr Tobias Metzler, Thammasat, will deliver a seminar at the History Faculty (date and time tbc). More information: <http://global.history.ox.ac.uk>.

Subject: 'The emergence of global fears: yellow vs white peril'

New perspectives in Mediterranean history

The following seminars will take place at 11.15am on Mondays in the Old Common Room, Balliol, unless otherwise noted. Supported by funding from the Programme in Eastern Mediterranean Studies. Convener: **Dr J-P Ghobrial**

Sir Noel Malcolm

24 Apr: 'Tracking a transnational family in the 16th-century Mediterranean world: the Brunis and the Brutis'

Dr Elizabeth Key Fowden, Cambridge
1 May: 'Plato's throne and Solomon's temple: Graeco-Islamic historical imagination in Ottoman Athens'

Nejad Filipović, Oriental Institute, Sarajevo

8 May: 'Tis Pity She's a Whore: an attempt at a microhistorical reading of an early-16th-century Ottoman petition'

Dr Hannah Skoda

15 May: 'His master's chattel in matters superadded to nature, though in nature things all are equal' (Aquinas). Towards a legal anthropology of late medieval slavery'

Professor Marilyn Booth, with response from **Dr Christina De Bellaigue**

22 May: 'Girlhood translated? Reading Fénelon's *Traité de l'éducation des filles* (1687) in 20th-century Egypt'

Dr Cecilia Tarruell

29 May: 'Beyond exclusion: migrations from the Islamic world to the Spanish Empire in the 16th and 17th centuries'

Dr Cesare Santus, École française de Rome

5 Jun: 'Forbidden contacts: Catholic and Orthodox Christians in the Ottoman Empire (17th-18th centuries)' (co-sponsored by Maison française d'Oxford, Early Modern Catholicism Network and École française de Rome)

Professor Stephen Davis, Yale

12 Jun: 'At the periphery of texts, at the center of textual heritage: a study of Christian Arabic manuscripts at the Monastery of the Syrians in Egypt'

Professor Ali Yaycioglu, Stanford, with response from **Professor Marc Baer**, LSE.

Conveners: **Dr J-P Ghobrial**, **Professor J Innes**

15 Jun, New Powell Room, Somerville:

'Partners of the Empire and the formation of a state-society: rethinking the Ottoman Order in the 18th and 19th centuries'

History Faculty/Maison française d'Oxford seminar

A seminar will take place 2-6pm on 25 April in the Rainolds Room, Corpus Christi, to discuss the publication of the first two volumes of a new book series focused on the union of the western and eastern churches. Speakers include: **Marie-Hélène Blanchet**, Collège de France; **Simon Ditchfield**, York; **Frédéric Gabriel**, École normale supérieure de Lyon; **John-Paul Ghobrial**; **Julia Konstantinovskiy**; **Laurent Tatarenko**, EHSS; and **Vera Tchentsova**. More information: www.mfo.ac.uk. Conveners: **Dr V Prigent**, **Dr J-P Ghobrial**

Subject: 'Ecclesiology and politics between east and west'

TORCH/Oxford Centre for Global History/Modern European History Centre
RETHINKING THE CONTEMPORARY: THE WORLD SINCE THE COLD WAR

The following lectures will take place at 5pm in St Antony's. All welcome. Conveners: Marilyn Booth, Faisal Devji, David Priestland

Pankaj Mishra in conversation with **Shruti Kapila**, Cambridge, and **David Priestland**

3 May: 'Age of anger: a conversation on nihilism in the 21st century'

Robert Young, NYU

30 May: 'Fanon transformed? The new writings'

Wellcome Unit for the History of Medicine
HISTORY OF SCIENCE, MEDICINE AND TECHNOLOGY RESEARCH SEMINARS

The following seminars will take place at 4pm on Mondays in the History Faculty Lecture Theatre, George Street (coffee from 3.30pm in the Common Room). Conveners: Professor Mark Harrison, Professor Rob Iliffe, Dr Sloan Mahone, Dr Erica Charters

Dr James Poskett, Cambridge

24 Apr: 'Django's phrenologist: science, slavery and material culture, 1791-1861'

Dr Berris Charnley

8 May: 'A Corner in Wheat: large technological systems and the history of genetics, 1900-30'

Professor Chulhee Lee, Seoul

15 May: 'Health, military service and economic mobility of US Civil War soldiers'

Dr Aaron Graham, UCL

22 May: 'Medical reform in Jamaica, 1826-43: imperial and colonial contexts'

Professor Margaret Humphreys, Duke

5 Jun: 'Challenges to teaching the history of global health'

Dr Stephen Clucas, Birkbeck

*12 Jun: 'Leviathan and the air rifle: the *sclopetus pneumaticus* in early modern natural philosophy'*

History of Art Department
Terra Lectures in American Art: picturing a nation

Professor David M Lubin, Terra Foundation for American Art Visiting Professor, will lecture at 5pm on Wednesdays in the Main Hall, Taylor Institution.

3 May: 'Riding into history, marching into oblivion: the Civil War, racial justice and the Shaw Memorial'

10 May: 'Buried treasure: America's great book illustrator Howard Pyle and the silver screen'

17 May: 'The ashcan goes to war: George Bellows, belligerence and the rape of Belgium'

24 May: 'Frozen in history: the arrival of the Kennedys at Love Field'

Antiquity after antiquity: appropriations of the classical tradition in art and culture from Byzantium to modernism

The following lectures will take place at 10am on Wednesdays in the History of Art Lecture Theatre, 2nd Floor, Littlegate House, St Ebbe's. Convener: Professor Geraldine Johnson

Hannah Kinney

26 Apr: 'Imitation, assimilation, copy or forgery? Early modern makers' responses to the antique'

Dr Matthew Walker

3 May: 'Understanding ancient architecture in early modern Europe'

Professor Jas' Elsner

10 May: 'Alois Riegl and classical archaeology'

Professor David M Lubin

17 May: 'Classicism, American style'

Professor Gervase Rosser

24 May: 'Antique fragments and the artistic imagination'

Professor Craig Clunas

31 May: 'The idea of antiquity in Chinese art'

The photography seminar

The following seminars will take place at 1pm on Tuesdays in St Luke's Chapel, Radcliffe Humanities, preceded by an informal lunch at 12.30pm in the Mathematical Institute café. Conveners: Professor Geraldine Johnson, Sajda van der Leeuw

Sajda van der Leeuw

9 May: 'Earth in focus: photography and land art around 1970'

Dr Daniel Rubinstein, Central St Martin's

16 May: 'Photosynthesis: fractals, algorithms and wild matter in new forms of photographic practice'

Professor David Zeitlyn

23 May: 'Views on a photo studio in a small town in Cameroon: obsessions and high fashion as a response to insurrection'

Dr Patrizia Di Bello, Birkbeck

*30 May: 'Pictorialist prints: Eduard J Steichen's *Rodin - Le Penseur*, 1902 to 1906'*

Dr Sarah James, UCL

6 Jun: 'Edmund Kesting's polyphonic portraits and the socialist self in East Germany'

Faculty of Linguistics, Philology and Phonetics
General linguistics seminar

The following seminars will take place at 5.15pm on Mondays in Room 2, Taylor Institution. Conveners: Professor A Lahiri, Professor A Asudeh, Professor W de Melo

Professor Sam Tilsen, Cornell

24 Apr: 'Selection-coordination theory: viewing phonological structure as a projection over developmental time'

Professor Cleo Condoravdi, Stanford

1 May: 'Imperative force'

Dr Mary MacRobert

8 May: 'Present events: the interaction of verbal aspect and non-past tense in early Church Slavonic'

Dr Nathan Klinedinst, UCL

15 May: 'Coreference and identity'

Dr Mark Donohue, ANU

22 May: 'Insights from Kusunda: phonological and syntactic aspects of the early Himalayan linguistic ecology'

Faculty of Medieval and Modern Languages
Oxford Dante Society Paget Toynbee Lecture

Professor Albert Russell Ascoli, Berkeley, will lecture at 5pm on 23 May in the Main Hall, Taylor Institution.

Subject: 'Back to nature: Giotto and Cavalcanti between Dante and Boccaccio'

Italian graduate seminar

The following seminars will take place at 5.15pm on Mondays. Convener: Professor M McLaughlin

Jennifer Rushworth will present two books on 24 April in the New Seminar Room, Canterbury Quad, St John's. Respondents: **David Bowie**, **Francesca Southerden**. Followed by a wine reception.

Title: Discourses of mourning in Dante, Petrarch, and Proust and Petrarch and the literary culture of 19th-century France

Paul Howard, Cambridge, will lecture on 8 May in Ground Floor Lecture Room 2, 47 Wellington Square.

Subject: 'Genetic translation and the British reception of Giuseppe Gioachino Belli'

Conference

A conference will take place 26 and 27 June at the Taylor Institution. Speakers: **Roberto Cardini**, Florence; **Alberto G Cassani**, Venice; **Marta Celati**, Stefano Cracolici, Durham; **Elisabetta Di Stefano**, Palermo; **Francesco Furlan**, Paris; **James Hankins**, Harvard; **David Marsh**, Rutgers; **Michel Paoli**, Amiens; **Caspar Pearson**, Essex; **Andrea Piccardi**, Warsaw; **Mariangela Regoliosi**, Prato; **Hartmut Wulfram**, Vienna. Papers in English or Italian. Fee: £50 (£36 students). More information and to register: www.mod-langs.ox.ac.uk/news. Registration closes 18 June. Convener: Professor M McLaughlin

Subject: 'Alberti ludens: a conference in memory of Cecil Grayson'

Faculty of Music**Humanitas Illustrated Lecture**

Dame Mitsuko Uchida will deliver the Humanitas Illustrated Lecture at 5pm on 27 April in the Holywell Music Room. Free but registration required: www.music.ox.ac.uk.

Subject: 'How they differ, comparing two major piano concertos: Beethoven's N4 in G Major and Mozart's K503'

Research colloquia

The following seminars will take place at 5.15pm in the Denis Arnold Hall, Faculty of Music. Conveners: Stefanie Arend, William Drummond

Jeremy Barham, Surrey

25 Apr: 'Musical time-framing in film'

Zeynep Bulut, KCL

2 May: 'Waste, voice, recycling'

Arved Ashby, Ohio State

9 May: 'Ut pictura musica: revisiting representation in Mahler'

Tamara Levitz, UCLA

16 May: 'The limits of internationalism as a model for musicology'

Sander Van Maas, Amsterdam

23 May: 'Creativity and institutional dynamics in music'

David Trippett, Cambridge

30 May: 'Ultrasonics in the 19th century'

John Cunningham, Bangor

6 Jun: 'Re-imagining the "English" trio sonata between Purcell and Handel'

13 Jun: tbc

Seminars in ethnomusicology and sound studies

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

Carolyn Birdsall, Amsterdam

4 May: 'Sound archiving and the heritage of war'

Andy Fry, KCL

18 May: 'The revival will be televised: technologies of New Orleans jazz'

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

The following seminars will take place 3.20–4pm on Tuesdays in the Clarendon Institute, Walton Street. Convener: Professor Martin Goodman

Dr Foteini Spingou and **Dr Judith McKenzie**

25 Apr: 'Jewish or Christian? Late antique Egyptian wall-hangings painted with scenes from Genesis and Exodus'

Asaf Gayer, Haifa

2 May: 'Literary uses of weights and measures in Qumran'

Professor Sir Fergus Millar

9 May: 'Jews, Greeks and the Bible in Greek translation: so what? (2) The silence of Greek- (and Latin-) speaking Judaism, 130–630 CE'

David Friedman

16 May: 'Rhetoric and argument in Josephus'

Dr Arjen Bakker, Leuven

23 May: 'Care of the self in Hellenistic Judaism and the Dead Sea scrolls'

Professor Sarah Pearce, Southampton

30 May: 'Ptolemy Philadelphus in the Letter of Aristeas'

Dr Donald T Ariel, Israel Antiquities Authority

6 Jun: 'The significance of the coin evidence from Judaea for Jewish history'

Faculty of Theology and Religion**Wilde Lectures 2017: the nature of faith**

Professor Jonathan Kvanvig, Washington at St Louis, will deliver the 2017 Wilde Lectures at 5pm on the following days in the Harris Lecture Theatre, Oriel.

27 Apr: 'Faith: not what you think. Methodological reflections and their implications'

4 May: 'Mundane faith. A functional account and its alternatives'

9 May: 'Religious faith. An application of the functional account'

11 May: 'Faith, humility and the complementarity thesis. Atomism and holism in the theory of virtues'

McDonald Centre for Theology, Ethics and Public Life**CONFERENCE**

A conference will take place on 25 and 26 May at Christ Church, in partnership with the Oxford Character Project and Wake Forest University, to explore the role of character development in higher education. Speakers include: **Nigel Biggar**; **Jonathan Brant**; **Joanna Collicutt**; **Liz Gulliford**, Birmingham; **Michael Lamb**, Wake Forest; **Christian B Miller**, Wake Forest; **Blaire Morgan**, Birmingham; **Paula Moya**, Stanford; **Onora O'Neill**, Cambridge; **Julie A Reuben**, Harvard; **Jessica Richard**, Wake Forest; and **Chad Wellmon**, UVA. Fee, including lunch: £80 (£40 students). To register: www.mcdonaldcentre.org.uk. Conveners: Professor Nigel Biggar, Dr Jonathan Brant, Dr Michael Lamb

Subject: 'Cultivating virtue in the university'

Colloquia on monastic imagination

The following colloquia will take place at 3pm on Wednesdays in Seminar Room 2, Faculty of Theology and Religion. Convener: Dr M Carlos

Mr Alexander Markham, European Graduate School

26 Apr: 'Agriculture, monasticism and the English folk music tradition'

Fr Dr Romilo Knežević

3 May: 'Surprising God: an ontological proposition for creative monasticism'

The following colloquia have been rescheduled. Contact matthew.carlos@theology.ox.ac.uk.

Ven Aiśvarya Das

10 May: 'Imaginative or imagination: visualisation in Vaishnava practice'

Ven Professor Alexander Bruce

17 May: 'The imaginative faculty in Mahayana Buddhist Tantra'

Professor June Boyce-Tillman, Winchester

24 May: 'Monastic arts as seen through the lens of Hildegard of Bingen'

Dr Renuka Gurung, Kathmandu

31 May: 'Paubha: traditional painting in the Newar Buddhist community of Nepal'

Professor Iliá Galán Díez, Carlos III de Madrid

7 Jun: 'Monastic beauty and sublime experiences: Christian features, world religions'

Dr Protoklis Nicola

14 Jun: 'From the heart: icon painting in Anglo-Greek solitary practice'

TORCH | The Oxford Research Centre in the Humanities**Book at lunchtime series**

The following events will take place at 1pm (lunch from 12.30pm) on Wednesdays in the Seminar Room, Radcliffe Humanities. Registration required: <http://torch.ox.ac.uk/book-at-lunchtime>.

Dr Antony Buxton, Dr Cathy Oakes, Dr Oliver Cox and Professor William Whyte
3 May: 'InHabit: people, places and possessions'

Professor Anna Marmodoro, Dr Naoya Iwata, Cambridge, Dr Neil McLynn and Dr Simona Aimar, UCL

10 May: 'Everything in everything: Anaxagoras's metaphysics'

Dr Dominic Dalglish, Professor Richard Gordon, Erfurt, Dr Peter Stewart, Dr Jo Quinn and Vesta Curtis, British Museum

7 Jun: 'Images of Mithra'

Humanities and identities headline series seminars

Dr Clara Barker will discuss LGBT+ terminology and answer questions at 1pm on 24 April in the Seminar Room, Radcliffe Humanities. To register: <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/lgbt-101-tickets-32812105892>.

Subject: 'LGBT+ 101'

Professor Richard Scholar, Annie Castro, Vanessa Lee, Jemima Paine and Dr Imaobong Umoren will lead a seminar at 1pm on 5 May in the Lecture Theatre, Weston Library. To register: www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/volcanoes-natural-disaster-narratives-and-the-environment-in-caribbean-literature-tickets-33040297419.

Subject: 'Volcanoes: natural disaster narratives and the environment in Caribbean literature'

Public engagement with research and knowledge exchange seminar

Professor Richard Scholar and Professor Wes Williams will lecture at 1pm on 11 May at St Luke's Chapel, Radcliffe Observatory Quarter. To register: www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/storming-utopia-mores-utopia-in-the-age-of-brex-it-tickets-33076075432.

Subject: 'Storming Utopia: More's Utopia in the age of Brexit'

Oxford Psalms Network**NEW PERSPECTIVES ON THE PSALMS PUBLIC LECTURE SERIES**

The following lectures will take place at 6.15pm on Tuesdays in the Ursell Room, Pusey House. More information: www.torch.ox.ac.uk/psalms. Conveners: Dr H Appleton, Professor S Gillingham, Dr F Leneghan

Professor Henrike Lähnemann

25 Apr: 'Singing the Psalms in 16th-century Germany'

Bill Goodman

2 May: '“So will I ever sing praises to your name.” Psalms in contemporary music'

Professor Anne Hudson and Dr Elizabeth Solopova

23 May: 'Devotion or a language lesson? The revision of Rolle's English Psalter' and 'Englished Latin or the language of love? The revision of the Wycliffite psalter'

Roger Wagner

6 Jun: 'Illustrating the Psalms'

Mathematical, Physical and Life Sciences**Department of Chemistry****Theoretical Chemistry Group seminars**

The following seminars will take place at 4.15pm on Mondays in the John Rowlinson Seminar Room, PTCL. All welcome. Convener: Professor William Barfood

Dr Alex Chin, Cambridge

24 Apr: 'Tensor network methods for the simulation of open quantum systems: application to singlet fission in pentacene dimers'

Professor Fred Manby, Bristol

8 May: 'Quantum mechanics of light-matter and system-bath interactions in photosynthesis'

Professor Mark Tuckerman, New York

22 May: 'Exploration and learning of free energy landscapes of molecular crystals and oligopeptides'

Department of Earth Sciences**Departmental seminars**

The following seminars will take place at noon on Fridays in the Lecture Theatre, Department of Earth Sciences, unless otherwise noted. Conveners: Professor Richard Katz, Dr Nick Tosca

Lobanov-Rostovsky Lecture

Professor John Grotzinger, Caltech and MSL Science Team

21 Apr, Martin Wood Lecture Theatre, Department of Physics: 'Curiosity's search for ancient habitable environments at Gale Crater, Mars'

Professor Victor Tsai, Caltech

28 Apr: 'Quantifying natural hazards: from earthquake damage to debris flows'

Dr Ellen Stofan, chief scientist, NASA

Thurs, 4 May: 'Ocean worlds of the solar system'

Dr Matthew Genge, Imperial

12 May: 'Cosmic dust - the fossil shooting stars'

Dr Jacky Austermann, Cambridge

19 May: 'Sea level on a deforming Earth'

Dr Randall Irmis, NHM Utah

26 May: tbc

Dr Sascha Brune, GFZ Germany

2 Jun: 'Rift dynamics across the scales: from shear zones and rift basins to plate motions and paleo-climate'

Dr Chris Brierley, UCL

9 Jun: 'Past and future Pacific Ocean upwelling'

Dr Catherine Rose, Trinity College Dublin

16 Jun: tbc

Department of Engineering Science

Maurice Lubbock Memorial Lecture

Naomi Climer will deliver the 43rd Maurice Lubbock Memorial Lecture at 4.45pm on 10 May in Lecture Room 1, Mathematical Institute. Free but registration required: <https://lubbock2017.eventbrite.co.uk>.

Subject: 'Will future communications technologies lead to cyber wars or a better world?'

Department of Physics

Theoretical particle physics seminars

The following seminars will take place at 4.15pm on Thursdays in the Dennis Sciamia Lecture Theatre, Department of Physics. Convener: Professor Subir Sarkar

Dr Dan Hooper, Fermilab

27 Apr: 'Dark matter and the Galactic centre GeV excess'

Dr Chris McCabe, KCL

4 May: 'From light dark matter to supernova neutrinos'

Professor Pierre Sikivie, Florida

11 May: 'Ultralight axion-like particles'

Dr Roberto Contino, Scuola Normale

Superiore, Pisa

18 May: 'Neutral naturalness and the twin Higgs'

Dr Shin'ichiro Ando, Amsterdam

25 May: 'The high energy neutrino sky'

Professor Kostas Skenderis, Southampton

1 Jun: 'Observational tests of holographic cosmology'

Dr Michael Trott, Niels Bohr Institute, Copenhagen

8 Jun: 'The neutrino option, to the EW scale hierarchy'

15 Jun: tbc

Oxford Physics colloquia

The following lectures will take place at 3.30pm on Fridays in the Martin Wood Lecture Theatre, Clarendon Laboratory, unless otherwise noted. Followed by tea in the Physics Common Room. All welcome. More information: niamh.coll@physics.ox.ac.uk.

Hintze Lecture

Professor Conny Aerts, Leuven

5pm, Thur, 4 May: 'Starquakes expose stellar heartbeats'

Professor Dame Jocelyn Bell Burnell

5 May: 'Pulsars and extreme physics - a 50th anniversary'

Cherwell-Simon Lecture

Professor Immanuel Bloch, Max-Planck Institute and Munich

4pm, 12 May: 'Controlling and exploring quantum matter using ultracold atoms in optical lattices'

19 May: tbc

Professor Myles Padgett, Glasgow

26 May: 'Ghost imaging with quantum light'

Halley Lecture

Professor Rainer Weiss, MIT

5pm, Wed, 7 Jun: 'Observation of the mergers of binary black holes: the opening of gravitational wave astronomy'

Department of Plant Sciences

Departmental research seminars

The following seminars will take place at 12.30pm on Thursdays in the Large Lecture Theatre, Department of Plant Sciences, unless otherwise noted. Convener: Professor Dmitry Filatov

Dr Robert Sharwood, ANU

27 Apr: 'Prospects for improving photosynthesis in food and fibre under future climates'

Professor Beverley Glover, Cambridge

11 May: 'A trick of the light? Development, function and evolution of plant nanostructures that influence animal behaviour'

Professor Andrew Millar, Edinburgh

18 May: 'Predicting the pleiotropic effects of circadian timing, from clock gene expression to biomass'

Professor Dieter Helm and Professor Jonathan Silvertown, Edinburgh

1.15pm, Wed, 24 May: 'Contrasting views on the economic, natural capital and ecosystem service approaches for a sustainable natural world'

Dr Janneke Balk, JIC

1 Jun: 'Iron homeostasis in plants and how to biofortify crops'

Professor Cyril Zipfel, TSL

8 Jun: 'Regulation of receptor kinase-mediated immunity'

Professor Kentaro Shimizu, Zurich

15 Jun: 'Ecological genomics of model species and tropical trees'

Department of Zoology

Seminar series

The following seminars will take place at 1pm on Mondays in the Ship Street Centre, Jesus, unless otherwise noted. More information: www.zoo.ox.ac.uk/events.

Professor Tanja Schwander, Lausanne

24 Apr: 'Phenotypic and genomic consequences of asexuality'

Professor Morena Mills, Imperial

8 May: 'Challenges and opportunities to advance biodiversity conservation in a rapidly changing world'

Tinbergen Lecture

Professor Eske Willerslev, Copenhagen

4pm, 22 May, *Natural History Museum Lecture Theatre*: tbc

Medical Sciences

Department of Biochemistry

Rodney Porter Memorial Lecture

Dr Richard Henderson, Cambridge, will deliver the 19th Rodney Porter Memorial Lecture at 4pm on 24 May in the Main Seminar Room, Department of Biochemistry.

Subject: 'The cryoEM revolution in structural biology'

Oxford Centre for Diabetes, Endocrinology and Metabolism

Seminar series

The following seminars will take place at 1pm on Wednesdays in the Robert Turner Lecture Theatre, OCDEM Building, Churchill Hospital. Convener: Professor Fredrik Karpe

Professor Stefan Neubauer

26 Apr: 'Non-invasive assessment of cardiac and liver disease with magnetic resonance methods'

Professor Pierre Lefebvre, Liège

3 May: 'Glucagon: a bystander or a key actor in the pathophysiology of diabetes mellitus? Milestones and lessons'

Dr Will Cawthorn, Edinburgh

10 May: 'Bone marrow adipose tissue: a novel endocrine organ?'

Professor Wiebke Arlt, Birmingham

17 May: 'Androgens, glucocorticoids and metabolic risk - novel steroid metabolomics approaches'

Dr Michael Holmes

24 May: 'Using genetics to disentangle causality from confounding in human health'

Professor James Johnson, British Columbia

7 Jun: 'A vision for an academic-industry hybrid institute in Oxford'

Dr Tim Tree, KCL

14 Jun: 'Regulatory T cell function in type 1 diabetes: more than numbers'

Nuffield Department of Orthopaedics, Rheumatology and Musculoskeletal Sciences

Oxford Clinical Trials Research Unit**OCTRU SEMINAR SERIES**

The following seminars will take place at 1pm in the Lecture Theatre, Botnar Research Centre, unless otherwise noted. Free, but reservation required: ocrttrials@ndorms.ox.ac.uk.

Professor Doug Altman

3 May, Lecture Theatre, Richard Doll Building: 'Poor medical research: a significant problem for a century'

Professor David Taggart

7 Jun: 'The use of randomised trials to distort best clinical practice'

Gemma Marsden

10am, 20 Jun: 'Human Tissue Act, Human Tissue Authority and licensing'

Department of Paediatrics

Oxford University Medical Education Fellows**LEDINGHAM LECTURE SERIES**

Professor Matthew Costa will present a TED-like talk at 6pm on 17 May at Green Templeton. All trainees welcome. To register: www.oumef.org.uk.

Subject: 'Inspiring through excellence'

Sir William Dunn School of Pathology

Seminar programme

The following seminars will take place at 2pm on Fridays in the Medical Sciences Teaching Centre, South Parks Road, unless otherwise noted.

Dr Snezhana Oliferenko, KCL

21 Apr: 'Comparative approach to understanding mitotic division'

Professor Jeremy Gunawardena, Harvard Medical School

1pm, 28 Apr: 'Beyond the bacterial paradigm in gene regulation'

Professor Erich Nigg, Biozentrum, Basel

5 May: 'The centrosome duplication cycle: impact of centrosome aberrations on microcephaly and cancer'

Dr Arne Lindqvist, Karolinska Institute

12 May: 'Triggering mitosis: DNA replication as an integral component of the cell-cycle engine'

Yasmin Belkaid, NIAD, Bethesda

19 May: tbc

Professor Robertus de Bruin, UCL

9 Jun: 'Exploring cancer's addiction to deregulated G1/S cell cycle transcription'

Professor Jason Cyster, San Francisco

16 Jun: tbc

Professor Adrian Liston, Leuven

18 Jul: 'Activating inflammation'

Nuffield Department of Population Health

Sir Richard Doll Seminars in Public Health and Epidemiology

The following seminars will take place at 1pm on Tuesdays in the Lecture Theatre, Richard Doll Building, Old Road Campus. All welcome. More information: www.ndph.ox.ac.uk/rdseminars. Conveners: Dr Sarah Floud, Professor David Preiss

Professor Franco Sassi, Imperial and OECD

25 Apr: 'Incentives, choice and public health policy'

Professor Gregory Lip, Birmingham

2 May: 'Stroke prevention in atrial fibrillation: assessing risk and simple decision-making in everyday clinical practice'

Professor Sir Andy Haines, LSHTM

9 May: 'Safeguarding health in the Anthropocene epoch'

Professor Majid Ezzati, Imperial

16 May: 'Measuring and visualising worldwide trends in cardiovascular risk factors'

Professor Peter Scarborough

23 May: 'Predicting and evaluating the impact of the UK Sugar Drink Industry Levy'

Professor David Taggart

30 May: 'The use of randomised trials to distort best clinical practice'

Professor Amanda Sacker, UCL

6 Jun: 'Can measures of biological age tell us anything more than chronological age?'

Professor Peter Sever, Imperial

13 Jun: 'New ways to lower cholesterol - PCSK9 inhibition and the FOURIER trial'

National Perinatal Epidemiology Unit**SEMINARS IN MATERNAL AND INFANT HEALTH AND CARE**

The following seminars will take place at 10.30am on Tuesdays in the Lecture Theatre, Richard Doll Building, Old Road Campus. All welcome. Convener: Dr Manisha Nair

Dr Laura King, Leeds

25 Apr: 'A father's place? The move towards men's presence during childbirth in Britain, 1940s-2000s'

Professor Linda Franck, California

23 May: 'Appy parents: supporting NICU families in the digital age'

Dr Fiona Williams, Dundee

13 Jun: 'I2S2 - a multicentre RCT of iodide supplementation versus placebo in preterm infants - developmental outcomes at 2 years'

Dr Carrie Williams, UCL

18 Jul: 'Cancer risk after assisted conception'

Department of Psychiatry

Meetings

The following lectures will take place 9.30-10.30am on Tuesdays in the Seminar Room, University Department of Psychiatry, Warneford Hospital.

Professor Guy Goodwin

2 May: 'Diurnal rhythms and mood variability: more borderline than bipolar?'

Dr Magnus Walter, Lilly UK

9 May: 'Psychiatric drug discovery in industry - quo vadis?'

Professor Belinda Lennox

16 May: 'Autoimmune basis of psychosis - new dawn or false hope?'

Dr Mary-Jane Attenburrow

23 May: 'TrueColours mood monitoring - an update'

Professor Catherine Harmer

6 Jun: 'Experimental medicine in the BRC'

Dr Edward Harcourt

13 Jun: 'Boundaries between character and illness: a philosophical perspective'

Dr Jonathan Price

20 Jun: 'Medical education - an overview'

Social Sciences

School of Anthropology and Museum Ethnography

Departmental seminar series

The following seminars will take place at 3.30pm on Fridays in the Lecture Theatre, 64 Banbury Road, unless otherwise noted. Conveners: Dr K Adhikari, Dr C El Khachab

Greg Carr, Gorongosa Restoration Project
5 May: 'The Gorongosa Restoration Project, Mozambique'

Professor Barbara Harriss-White
12 May, Pauling Centre, 58a Banbury Road: 'Women in India's waste economy'

Professor Elizabeth B Silva, Open
19 May: 'Exhibiting violence and social change in Brazil'

Professor Paul Jackson, Birmingham
26 May: 'What happened to Nepal's Maoist combatants?'

Marett Memorial Lecture

Professor Anna Tsing, California at Santa Cruz, will deliver the 2017 Marett Memorial Lecture at 5pm on 28 April in the Saskatchewan Room, Exeter. Convened in association with Exeter.
Subject: 'What is history? Or, the life and times of water hyacinth'

Mary Douglas Memorial Lecture

Professor Pat Caplan, Goldsmiths, will deliver the 2017 Mary Douglas Memorial Lecture at 6pm on 24 May in the Mary Ogilvie Lecture Theatre, St Anne's. Convened in association with the Department of Anthropology, UCL, the Royal Anthropological Institute and St Anne's.
Subject: 'Gifts, entitlements, benefits and surplus: interrogating food poverty and food aid in the UK'

Special lecture

Professor Paul Harris, Harvard, will lecture at 4.30pm on 12 May in the Lecture Theatre, 64 Banbury Road.
Subject: 'Why do children doubt magic, but believe in the miraculous?'

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

The following seminars will take place at 1pm on Fridays in the Lecture Theatre, Pitt Rivers Museum. Conveners: Professor L Peers, Dr C Morton

Jennifer Shannon, Colorado
28 Apr: 'Allies in unexpected places: indigenous peoples, anthropologists and museums'

Emily Hayes, Exeter
5 May: 'Common ground and distinguishing features: the co-production of knowledge by the Royal Geographical Society and the Royal Anthropological Institute, c1883-1900'

Christina Maags
12 May: 'Analysing state intervention in transmission of cultural knowledge: the case of the Chinese ICH Inheritors Program'

Unit for Biocultural Variation and Obesity seminar series

The following seminars will take place at 1pm on Thursdays in 61 Banbury Road. Conveners: Professor S Uljaszek, T Bird

Heather Howard, Michigan State
11 May: 'Bariatric surgery's intersubjective embodiments'

Micelle Pentecost
18 May: 'Life between protocols: the pragmatics of care in a nutrition intervention in Khayelitsha, South Africa'

Darryl Stellmach, Sydney and Médecins Sans Frontières
25 May: 'Crowdsourced: cartographic citizenship, digital legitimacy and future humanitarianism'

Evans-Pritchard Lectures

GETTING COSA NOSTRA: KNOWLEDGE AND CRIMINAL JUSTICE IN SOUTHWESTERN SICILY

Dr Naor Ben-Yehoyada, Columbia, will deliver the 2017 Evans-Pritchard Lectures, in association with Anthropology, at 5pm in the Old Library, All Souls.
1 May: '“I can feel the Mafia but I can't see it”: investigatory dilemmas in present-day Trapani'

2 May: 'Ulterior motives: structure and action surrounding the murder of Mayor Vito Lipari, 1980'

4 May: 'Corruption as excuse: the struggle over the explanation for the murder of Judge Giangiacomo Ciaccio Montalto since 1983'

8 May: 'Before and after Omega: the provincial career of the Antimafia Prosecutorial Method since the Palermo Maxi-trial'

9 May: 'What happened to the Godfather? The legal illegibility of relationships and its consequences'

Saïd Business School

Kailash Satyarthi, Nobel Peace Prize laureate, will lecture at 12.15pm on 25 April at Saïd Business School. More information and to register: www.kailash-satyarthi.eventbrite.com.

Subject: 'Ending child slavery and exploitation'

Department of Economics

Economic and social history seminar

The following seminars will take place at 5pm in Lecture Room XI, Brasenose. Convener: Dr R Esteves

Dr Alfonso Herranz, Barcelona
2 May: '“For the public benefit”? Railways in the British Cape Colony'

Dr Michael Schiltz, Graduate Institute
9 May: 'On an even keel: silver risk, exchange banking and trade finance in the late 19th century'

Dr Carmine Guerriero, Bologna
16 May: 'Extractive states: the case of the Italian unification'

Professor Andrew Wilson
23 May: 'History in ice: 3,000 years of anthropogenic metal pollution'

Department of Education

Quantitative Methods Hub

The following seminars will take place 12.30-1.45pm on Mondays in Seminar Room D, Department of Education. All welcome; more information: www.education.ox.ac.uk/qm/qm-hub-seminar-programme. Convener: Dr Lars-Erik Malmberg

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24 Apr: 'An introduction to matrix algebra for multivariate statistics'

Dr Fridolin Wild, Oxford Brookes
8 May: 'Learning analytics in R - with SNA, LSA and MPIA'

Dr Maarten de Vos
15 May: 'Machine learning in digital health'

Annina Hessel
22 May: 'YES to linear mixed effect models in psycholinguistics - but how to best use them?'

Professor Emma Smith, Leicester

5 Jun: 'Using secondary data to examine the transition of science graduates into highly skilled STEM jobs'

Professor David Andrich, Australia

12 Jun: 'Controlling bias in both constructed-response and multiple-choice items when analysed with the dichotomous Rasch model'

Qualitative Research Methods Hub

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

Dr Anne-Marie Sim

27 Apr: 'Children: aspiration, agency, future'

Professor Lynn McAlpine

4 May: 'Longitudinal qualitative study'

Dr Amy Gelbart, Herzog

11 May: 'Playback theater as change agent: student teachers act out in the English language classroom'

Dr Isabelle Skakni

18 May: 'How to stay "objective", and not become depressed! When researching your peers: the journey of a junior researcher analysing junior researchers' journeys'

Dr Nigel Fancourt

25 May: 'Visual stimuli for data generation'

Jenny Hough

1 Jun: 'The ethnographer as English teacher: reflections on anthropological fieldwork with young North Koreans in Seoul'

Diana Ng

8 Jun: 'Cognitive interviews - peeping into children's reasoning'

Dr Sonali Nag

15 Jun: ' "Meta-ethnography": an approach to interpretative synthesis'

Public seminar programme

The following seminars will be given at 5pm on Mondays at the Department of Education, 15 Norham Gardens.

Professor Elaine Kempson, Bristol.

Convener: Professor Jo-Anne Baird
24 Apr: tbc

Professor Jo-Anne Baird. Convener: Dr Therese N Hopfenbeck

8 May: 'Standard setting in educational assessment'

Professor Julie Selwyn, Bristol. Convener:

Professor Judy Sebba

15 May: 'Bright Spots Project: the subjective well-being of looked-after children and survey development'

Professor Sibel Erduran. Convener: Dr Ann Childs

22 May: 'What is this thing called "science" and what should be included in education about science?'

Dr Robin Shields, Bath. Convener: Dr Maia Chankseliani

5 Jun: 'Education, inequality and institutions: evidence from international assessments 1995-2015'

Professor Dieter Euler, St Gallen. Convener: Dr Hubert Ertl

12 Jun: 'How can a modularised VET system be designed to be flexible and result in advanced competencies?'

School of Interdisciplinary Area Studies

Middle East Studies

MODERN ISRAEL STUDIES SEMINARS

The following seminars will take place at 5pm on Tuesdays in the Ground Floor Seminar Room, 11 Bevington Road, unless otherwise noted. Conveners: Professor Derek Penslar, Dr Sara Hirschhorn, Roman Vater

Dr Yuval Evri, SOAS

2 May: 'Arab Jews and the Balfour Declaration'

Dr Hila Zaban, Warwick

9 May: 'City of Go(l)d: Jerusalem's gentrification and the role of western Jews'

Professor Derek Penslar, Harvard

23 May: 'Declarations of (in)dependence: the dialectics of Zionist diplomacy'

Roundtable

Dr Noa Schonmann, Leiden, Gershom Gorenberg, journalist, and Dr Sara Yael Hirschhorn

6 Jun, OCHJS, Clarendon Institute: '1967, fifty years on - reflections on past and future in Israel/Palestine'

Conference

A conference will take place on 28 and 29 May at St Anne's. Conveners: Professor Derek Penslar, Harvard; Dr Johannes Becke, Hochschule für Jüdische Studien Heidelberg; Roman Vater. Registration required: middle.east@area.ox.ac.uk.

Subject: 'Israel Studies as a global discipline'

Department of International Development, Queen Elizabeth House

Olof Palme Memorial Lecture

Professor James Ferguson, Stanford, will deliver the Olof Palme Memorial Lecture at 5pm on 8 June in the Nissan Lecture Theatre, St Antony's. Registration required: https://olof_palme_2017.eventbrite.co.uk.

Subject: 'Presence and social obligation: an essay on the share'

Oxford Development Studies Annual Lecture

Professor James Fairhead, Sussex, will deliver the 2017 Oxford Development Studies Lecture at 5pm on 18 May in the Manor Road Lecture Theatre.

Subject: 'Conservation and development in the digital era'

International Migration Institute

THE POLITICAL ECONOMY OF IMMIGRATION SEMINAR SERIES

The following seminars will take place at 1pm on Wednesdays in Seminar Room 1, Department of International Development, 3 Mansfield Road. More information: www.imi.ox.ac.uk/events?category=dg-Seminar%20Series. Convener: Emre Eren Korkmaz

Bahar Başer, Centre for Trust, Peace and Social Relations, Coventry

26 Apr: 'The politics of diaspora-making: a critical approach to Turkey's diaspora engagement policy'

İbrahim Sirkeci, Regent's Centre for Transnational Studies

3 May: 'Integration of Brits in Turkey and Turks in Britain'

Martin Buttle, Ethical Trading Initiative

10 May: 'A dynamic, but skewed industry: supply chain relations and working conditions in UK garment manufacturing'

Ivan Ureta, Applied Sciences and Arts, Southern Switzerland

17 May: 'Migration governance and security in the Euro-Mediterranean space: a communicational and discursive analysis'

Emre Eren Korkmaz

24 May: 'How do Syrian refugee workers challenge supply chain management in the Turkish garment industry?'

Linn Axelsson, Stockholm

31 May: 'Emerging topologies of transnational employment: "posting" Thai workers in Sweden's wild berry industry beyond regulatory reach'

María Gutiérrez Portilla, Cantabria
7 Jun: 'What drives migration outflows of foreign populations from Spain? Evidence from the Great Recession'

Valeria Pulignano, KU Leuven
14 Jun: 'Trade unions, agency, migrant workers and the insiders/outside debate: Germany and Belgium compared'

Oxford Internet Institute

Inaugural Lecture

Professor Philip Howard, Professor of Internet Studies, will deliver his inaugural lecture at 5.15pm on 15 June in Lecture Room 23, Balliol.
Subject: 'Is social media killing democracy? Computational propaganda, algorithms, automation and public life'

Faculty of Law

OIPRC invited speaker series

The following lectures will take place at 5.15pm in the Dorfman Room, St Peter's. All welcome; please report to the Porter's Lodge on arrival. Refreshments provided. More information: jennifer.hassan@law.ox.ac.uk. Conveners: Graeme Dinwoodie, Dev Gangjee, Robert Pitkethly

Arpan Banerjee, Jindal Global Law School
27 Apr: 'The judicial expansion of trade mark tarnishment in India'

Dr Barbara Lauriat, KCL
4 May: 'The true story of *Walter v Lane*'

Professor Graeme Austin, Melbourne and Victoria New Zealand
14 May: 'Trademarks and private governance'

PIL lunchtime discussion group series

The following events will take place 12.45–2pm on Thursdays in the Old Library, All Souls, preceded by lunch at 12.30. Open to practitioners, academics and students from within and outside the University of Oxford; registration not required. Conveners: Patricia Jimenez Kwast, Nikiforos Panagis

Professor Anne van Aaken, St Gallen
27 Apr: 'Behavioral economics and global public goods and global commons'

Dr Marie Jacobsson, Swedish Ministry
4 May: 'Protecting the environment in relation to armed conflict: are legal measures possible? Some reflections on the work of the ILC'

Professor Matthew Happold, Luxembourg
11 May: 'Immunity from execution of military and cultural goods'

Dr James Harrison, Edinburgh
18 May: 'Judicial review' of coastal state enforcement action by international courts and tribunals: the emergence of dynamic and expansive interpretations of UNCLOS safeguards'

Department of Politics and International Relations

Fulbright Lecture in International Relations

Professor Louise Richardson, Vice-Chancellor, will deliver the Fulbright Lecture at 5pm on 16 June in the Pichette Auditorium, Pembroke. To register: www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/oxford-fulbright-distinguished-lecture-in-international-relations-2017-tickets-33457763070.
Subject: 'Universities in an age of populism'

Political theory research seminar series

The following seminars will take place at 12.15pm on Tuesdays in Seminar Room A, Department of Politics and International Relations, unless otherwise noted. All welcome. Conveners: Jessica Begon, Stuart White

Annabelle Lever, Geneva
27 Apr, Seminar Room G: 'Towards a democracy-centred ethics'

Jesse Tomalty, Bergen
4 May, Seminar Room G: 'When human rights conflict'

Victor Tadros, Warwick
9 May: 'The past is in the past'

Miles Unterreiner
16 May: 'Cultural appropriation as insult'

Keith Dowding, ANU
23 May: tbc

Linda Eggert
30 May, Lecture Theatre: 'The moral costs of costless warfare: distributing harms and risks in armed humanitarian intervention'

Ruth Kinna, Alex Prichard and Thomas Swann, Loughborough and Exeter
6 Jun: 'Constitutionalising anarchy: the case of Occupy Wall Street'

Department of Social Policy and Intervention

Departmental colloquia

The following colloquia will take place at 9.30am on Thursdays in the Violet Butler Room, Barnett House, 32 Wellington Square, unless otherwise noted. Convener: Professor J Barlow

Dr Lichao Yan **Postponed**
27 Apr: 'Poverty and dignity'

Dr Thomas Grund, Dublin
5pm, 4 May: 'Applied social network analysis: two separate studies on child abuse and corruption'

Professor Lucie Cluver
11 May: 'Trials, tribulations and triumphs: trying to prevent child abuse in low- and middle-income countries'

Dr Rachel Bray
18 May: 'Using anthropological approaches to inform and analyse policies'

Professor Bernhard Ebbinghaus and Dr Thomas Biegert
25 May: 'Accumulation or absorption? Household non-employment before and after the Great Recession'
1 Jun: tbc

Dr Jouni Kuha, LSE
8 Jun: 'Comparing regression coefficients between different groups – problem or non-problem?'
15 Jun: tbc

Department of Sociology

The following seminars will take place at 12.30pm on Mondays in Seminar Room G, Manor Road Building. All welcome. Convener: Christiaan Monden

Seongsoo Choi
24 Apr: 'Sibling effects and demographic context in comparative perspective'

David Rehkopf, Stanford
8 May: 'Social and biological factors underlying the surprising health and longevity of the Nicoya region of Costa Rica'

Turkay Nefes
15 May: 'The causes of the anti-Jewish sentiments in Turkish politics'

Kate Hampshire, Durham
22 May: 'The application of signalling theory to health trust problems: the example of herbal clinics in Ghana and Tanzania'

Guido Neidhöfer, FU Berlin

5 Jun: 'Educational inequality and intergenerational mobility in Latin America: a new database'

Alexander Kentikelenis

12 Jun: 'How neoliberalism went global: the rise of structural adjustment in the international monetary fund'

Continuing Education

MSc in Evidence-Based Health Care

The following talks will take place at 5.30pm at Rewley House, unless otherwise noted. More information and to register: cpdhealth@conted.ox.ac.uk.

Dr Felicity Bishop

27 Apr: 'Using mixed methods in health psychology: reflections on research design, epistemology and practicalities'

Dan Richards-Doran

11 May, Kellogg: 'Writing science for the lay public'

Professor Carl Heneghan

6pm, 22 May: tbc

Professor Richard Stevens

5 Jun: 'Sensible answers to strange questions: generating evidence in special circumstances'

Professor Gwyn Bevan

6pm, 19 Jun: 'Is the NHS sustainable?'

Dr Sara Ryan

5pm, 21 Jun, Ewert House: 'Desperately not seeking healthcare; autism, primary care and wellbeing'

Professor Jonathan Cook

3 Jul: 'Life as a trial statistician - the good, the bad and the ugly'

Carol Lefebvre

6pm, 24 Jul: 'Evidence and information: the shifting paradigm'

Institutes, Centres and Museums

Ashmolean Museum

Research seminars

The following seminars will take place at 1pm on Thursdays in the Headley Lecture Theatre, Ashmolean Museum. Convener: Dr P Collins

Dr Catherine Whistler and Ms

Angelamaria Aceto

11 May: 'New approaches to Raphael and drawing'

Professor Jas Elsner and Dr Stefanie Lenk

8 Jun: 'From *Empires of Faith* to *Imagining the Divine*'

Bodleian Libraries

The following events will take place in Weston Lecture Theatre, Weston Library. Free; all welcome but places limited and registration recommended: www.bodleian.ox.ac.uk/whatson.

Lyell Lectures

THE VATICAN LIBRARY AND THE COUNTER-REFORMATION

Dr Paul Nelles, Carleton, will deliver the 2017 Lyell Lectures at 5pm.

4 May: 'Libraries, space and power' (followed by reception in Blackwell Hall)

9 May: 'Cardinals and councils'

11 May: 'An eternal archive'

16 May: 'Scribes in the city'

18 May: '*Urbs et orbis*. Popes and printers'

Celebrating the Hogarth Press at 100

Dr Nicola Wilson

noon, 13 May: 'The other Hogarth Press'

Dame Hermione Lee

3.30pm, 13 May: 'Virginia the printer'

Lectures

Dr Robin Wilson

1pm, 10 May: 'Dragons of the mind, dead volcanoes and the entrance to Hell: volcanism, art and culture in Melanesia'

Professor Nicolai Sinai, Alasdair Watson and Dr Keith Small

4pm, 30 May: 'From Medina to Oxford, from codex to the cloud: scenes from the life of the Qur'an'

Dr Lorna Clark

5.30pm, 6 Jun: 'A family culture of creativity: Charles Burney and his children'

Dr Martin Kauffmann and Andrew Honey

1pm, 14 Jun: 'Two Winchester Bibles meet in the Bodleian'

Oxford seminars in cartography

Edward P F Rose

4.30pm, 25 May: 'The Geological Section, Inter Service Topographical Department: contributions by Oxford geologists, the Bodleian Library and thematic mapping to Allied military intelligence during the Second World War'

Rosemary Wall

4pm, 16 Jun: 'War and humanitarianism symposium'

Botanic Garden

Public education programme

The following events will take place at the Botanic Garden, unless otherwise noted. More information and to register: www.botanic-garden.ox.ac.uk/news/public-education-programme.

HISTORY AND HERITAGE

Dr Stephen Harris

10am-4pm, 3 Jun: 'A history of the garden and herbaria' (£95)

Dr Stephen Harris

3-4pm, 29 Jul: 'Plant hunters and exploration' (£20)

Mark Davies

6-7.30pm, 3 Aug: 'An uplifting historical voyage' (£15)

VOYAGES AND SAFARIS

Dr Chris Thorogood and Professor Simon Hiscock

noon-1.30pm, 13 May, Hartslock Nature Reserve: 'Monkey orchid safari' (£20)

Ben Jones

6-7.30pm, 25 May, Harcourt Arboretum: 'Behind the scenes at the arboretum' (£15)

Dr Chris Thorogood and Dr Stephen Harris

noon-1.30pm, 10 Jun, Homefield Wood: 'Military orchid safari' (£20)

Ben Jones

6-7.30pm, 22 Jun, Harcourt Arboretum: 'Present-day plant hunting' (£15)

Dr Chris Thorogood

7-8.30pm, 20 Jul: 'Mediterranean wild flowers' (£15)

Ben Jones

6-7.30pm, 27 Jul, Harcourt Arboretum: 'Wildlife tour of the arboretum' (£15)

CRAFT AND DESIGN CLASSES

Rosemary Wise will lead the following classes 10am–4pm (£115 each).

16 May: 'How to paint carnivorous plants'

6 Jun: 'Painting tropical glasshouse plants'

HORTICULTURAL CLASSES

The following classes will take place 10am–1pm and cost £30 each, unless otherwise noted.

25 Apr: 'Successful staking'

23 May: 'Creative pot displays'

10.30am–noon, 13 Jun: 'Carnivorous plants for beginners' (£20)

Oxford Centre for Hebrew and Jewish Studies**David Patterson Lectures**

The following lectures will take place at 7.15pm on Mondays at the Oxford Centre for Hebrew and Jewish Studies, Clarendon Institute.

Dr Nadege Ragaru, Paris Institute of Political Studies

24 Apr: 'Justice and the Holocaust: postwar trials for anti-Jewish crimes in Bulgaria'

Professor Raymond Scheindlin, Jewish Theological Seminary, New York

1 May: "'Vulture in a Cage": the poetry and persona of Solomon Ibn Gabirol'

Dr Elias Dinas

8 May: 'Collective victimhood and social prejudice: a post-Holocaust theory of antisemitism'

Book launch

Dr Sara Y Hirschhorn

15 May: 'City on a hilltop: American Jews and the Israeli settler movement' (co-sponsored by Middle East Studies)

Professor Pablo Torijano, Complutense de Madrid

22 May: 'Biblical textual criticism after Qumran'

Dr Rachel Harris, Illinois

29 May: 'A film of her own: women's activism in the Israeli film industry'

James Redfield

5 Jun: 'Letters from a distant relation: Berdichevsky's Yiddish translations'

Dr John Screnock

12 Jun: 'Rewriting the Bible in Jewish antiquity: insights from translation studies'

Thursday lunchtime seminar in Jewish studies

The following seminars will take place at 1pm on Thursdays at the Clarendon Institute.

Isabella Ginor and Gideon Remez, Truman Institute, Hebrew

18 May: 'The Six-Year War: how Israel's 1967 victory became the hottest clash of the Cold War'

Dr Eli Vinokur, Haifa

25 May: 'Cosmopolitan education viewed from a Jewish prism: the case of Rabbi Yehuda Ashlag'

Oxford Centre for Hindu Studies

The following events will take place in the library, Oxford Centre for Hindu Studies.

JP and Beena Khaitan Visiting Fellow Lectures

Dr Måns Broo, Åbo Akademi, will deliver the JP and Beena Khaitan Visiting Fellow Lectures at 2pm on Thursdays.

11 May: 'Rādhā Tantra and the agonies and ecstasies of studying obscure texts'

8 Jun: 'Haribhaktivilāsa as the meeting of Vedic, Tantric and Puranic ritualism'

Early modern Hindu theologies seminars

The following seminars will take place at 2pm on Thursdays. Convener: Dr Rembert Lutjeharms

Sunit Patel

4 May: 'Constructing a theological basis for social engagement during the rule of Jai Singh II in early modern North India'

Dr Rembert Lutjeharms

25 May: 'Caitanya and the Gosvāmīs of Vṛndāvana'

Debating religion: key scholars in discussion on the study of religions

The following filmed interviews will take place at 4pm on Thursdays. Convener: Dr Jessica Frazier

Professor Sondra Hausner

4 May: 'Fieldwork, Durkheim and the study of religious community'

Professor John Hinnells

11 May: 'Expanding religion: studying migration and diaspora'

Other lectures

Dr Martin Gansten, Lund

3pm, 3 May: "'The lotus in the mire": the Indian reception of Tājika astrology'

Dr Aleksandra Wenta, Nālandā

2pm, 5 Jun: 'What does it mean to be a playful agent? The Kashmiri Śaiva reformulation of Naṭarāja'

Elementary Sanskrit

Dr Bjarne Wernicke-Olesen will teach elementary Sanskrit, in continuation of Sanskrit Prelims 2, at 10am on Wednesdays and 10am–noon on Fridays in weeks 1–4.

Buddhist Sanskrit

Dr Bjarne Wernicke-Olesen will teach an introductory course in Buddhist Sanskrit (eg the Heart Sūtra) at 5pm on Mondays in weeks 1–4.

Oxford Centre for Islamic Studies

The following events will take place at the Oxford Centre for Islamic Studies, Marston Road.

Special lectures

All welcome but reservation required: www.oxcis.ac.uk.

Professor Abdel-Wahed El-Wakil, Chief Architect, OCIS, will lecture at 5pm on 16 May.

Subject: 'Architecture in the light of tradition'

HE Mr Jusuf Kalla, Vice President, Republic of Indonesia, will lecture at 5pm on 18 May.

Subject: tbc

Mr Saeed Naqvi, Delhi, will lecture at 5pm on 23 May.

Subject: 'Being the other: the Muslims in India'

Contemporary Islamic world seminar series

The following seminars will take place at 5pm on Wednesdays. All welcome.

Dr Michael Feener

26 Apr: 'Engineering an Islamic society: religion, law and education in Aceh'

Dr Matthew S Erie

3 May: 'Shari'a as taboo of modern law: Halal food, Islamophobia and China'

Professor Benjamin Soares, Florida

10 May: 'The study of Islam after the ethical turn'

Professor Michel Boivin, Director of Research, National Centre for Scientific Research, and co-director-elected, Centre for South Asian Studies

24 May: 'Darbar culture and "Muslim-Hindu" encounter in South Asia: Sindh as a case study'

Dr Morgan Clarke

31 May: 'The impossible court? Lebanon's Ja'fari tribunals and the intimacy of authority'

Dr Carool Kersten, KCL and SOAS

7 Jun: 'From Islam in Indonesia to Indonesian Islam'

Dr Ahmad Khan, Hamburg

14 Jun: 'Islam in an age of print: antiquarianism, editors and a republic of letters'

Lectures

Dr Mohammad Talib will lecture at 2pm on Tuesdays of weeks 1-3. To register: mohammed.talib@anthro.ox.ac.uk.

Subject: 'Methods and perspectives in social anthropology'

Dr Mohammad Talib will lecture at 2pm on Wednesdays of weeks 1-4. To register: mohammed.talib@anthro.ox.ac.uk.

Subject: 'Anthropology of Muslim societies'

Classes**QUR'ANIC ARABIC**

Classes in Qur'anic Arabic will take place at 2pm on Fridays. All welcome. Registration required: www.oxcis.ac.uk/othercourses.html.

Reuters Institute for the Study of Journalism**The business and practice of journalism seminars**

The following seminars will take place at 2pm on Wednesdays in the Barclay Room, Green Templeton. Conveners: James Painter, Richard Sambrook

Rima Marrouch, freelance journalist

26 Apr: 'The enemy of my enemy is still my enemy: the polarised media landscape in Syria'

3 May: tbc

Suzanne Franks, City

10 May: 'The use of women experts in the media'

Tom Standage, deputy editor, *The Economist*

17 May: 'News in the digital age, and how *The Economist* fits in'

Jim Waterson, deputy editor, BuzzFeed UK

24 May: 'How BuzzFeed covers news'

Emma Jane Kirby, BBC correspondent and author, *The Optician of Lampedusa*

31 May: 'The Optician of Lampedusa - opening the world's eyes to the human story behind mass migration'

7 Jun: tbc

Justin Webb, Today presenter, Radio 4

14 Jun: 'Broadcasting in the age of Brexit and Trump'

Reuters/Nuffield media and politics seminars

The following seminars will take place at 5pm on Fridays in the Butler Room, Nuffield. Conveners: Andrew Dilnot, David Levy, James Painter

Jane Green, Manchester and co-director, 2015 British Election Study

28 Apr: 'How the global financial crisis is shaping political upheavals: reflections on UKIP, Brexit and Trump'

Isabel Oakeshott, political journalist, commentator and author, *Call me Dave*

5 May: 'From black and white to read all over - political reporting in a digital age'

Frances Stead Sellers, senior writer,

Washington Post

12 May: 'Talking to Trump'

Kate O'Regan, former constitutional court judge, South Africa

19 May: 'Media freedom and free speech in South Africa'

James Brokenshire, Conservative MP and Secretary of State for Northern Ireland

9 Jun: tbc

Foundation for Law, Justice and Society**Lectures**

Professor Mark Knights, Warwick, will lecture at 5.30pm on 2 May in the Leonard Wolfson Auditorium, Wolfson.

Subject: 'The will of the people? The history of petitioning in Britain and its implications for today'

Professor Timothy Garton Ash will lecture at 5pm on 16 May in the Leonard Wolfson Auditorium, Wolfson.

Subject: 'Free speech: ten principles for a connected world'

Workshop

A workshop will take place from 9.30am to 4pm on 26 May in the Buttery, Wolfson. Speakers include: **Denis Galligan**, **Ying Yu**, **Donna Kurtz** and **Troy Steinberg**.

Convener: Professor Denis Galligan

Subject: 'The old Silk Road: retracing steps toward One Belt One Road'

Oxford Martin School**The nature of conflict lectures**

The following lectures will take place at 5pm on Thursdays in the Oxford Martin School. Free and open to all but registration recommended. More information and to register: www.oxfordmartin.ox.ac.uk/event/2448, events@oxfordmartin.ox.ac.uk or 01865 287437. Convener: Achim Steiner

Professor Clionadh Raleigh, Sussex

4 May: 'Conflict and the consequences of climate change'

Dr Anouk Rigterink

11 May: 'How natural resources, especially conflict minerals, are related to violent conflict'

Professor Gunnar Sørbrø, CHR Michelsen Institute

18 May: 'Food security and conflict: narratives and intervention'

Professor Dominic Johnson

25 May: 'Biological/anthropological origins of war and continuities in patterns of conflict'

Public lectures

The following lectures will take place at 5pm at the Oxford Martin School. All welcome.

Professor Erik Brynjolfsson, MIT (in association with the Oxford Internet Institute). Registration required: www.oxfordmartin.ox.ac.uk/event/2437.

20 Apr: 'The second wave of the second machine age'

Professor Brian J Enquist, Arizona.

Registration required: www.oxfordmartin.ox.ac.uk/event/2445.

8 May: 'The concept of time in biology and the unity of life'

Professor Molly Crockett. Registration required: www.oxfordmartin.ox.ac.uk/event/2447.

17 May: tbc

Amory Lovins. Registration required: www.oxfordmartin.ox.ac.uk/event/2446.

6 Jun: 'Disruptive oil and electricity futures'

Oxford Institute of Population Ageing

Ageing, wellbeing and health seminars

The following seminars will take place at 2pm on Thursdays in the Seminar Room, Institute of Population Ageing, 66 Banbury Road. More information: www.ageing.ox.ac.uk. Convener: Dr Sara Zella

Professor Clare Mackay

27 Apr: 'Brain ageing: using neuroimaging to understand risk for and resilience against dementia'

Professor Andrew Steptoe, UCL

4 May: 'Subjective wellbeing and health at older ages: understanding the mechanisms'

Dr Laurie Corna, KCL

11 May: 'Extended working lives, inequality and well-being: evidence from the UK'

Professor Emily Grundy, LSE

18 May: 'Number of children, partnership status and later life depression in eastern and Western Europe'

Professor Klaus Ebmeier

25 May: 'Using MRI scans as measures of biological ageing - the Whitehall II, Stress and Health MRI Substudy'

Professor Asghar Zaidi, Southampton

1 Jun: 'Constructing Age UK's Index of Wellbeing in Later Life, "WILL"'

Professor Boris Wernli, Lausanne

8 Jun: 'The impact of the transition to retirement on individuals' emotions and well-being. Evidence from the Swiss context'

Professor John Ermisch

15 Jun: 'Family, friends and well-being among older parents'

Voltaire Foundation/Besterman Centre for the Enlightenment

Besterman Lecture

Professor David Wootton, York, will deliver the 2017 Besterman Lecture at 5.15pm on 18 May at the Shulman Auditorium, Queen's. More information and to register: email@voltaire.ox.ac.uk.

Subject: 'Adam Smith: poverty and famine'

Colleges, Halls and Societies

All Souls

Film screening

The National Theatre play *Dara* will be screened at 6pm on 5 May, followed by a panel discussion and audience Q&A with **Anwar Akhtar**, production consultant, and **Polly O'Hanlon** and moderated by **Edward Mortimer**, author of *Faith and Power: the Politics of Islam* and former Director of Communications for UN Secretary-General Kofi Annan. More information and to register: https://form.jotformeu.com/Events_All_Souls/DaraScreeningOxford5May.

Green Templeton

Seminars

The following seminars will take place at 6pm in the EP Abraham Lecture Theatre. Registration required: ruth.loseby@gtc.ox.ac.uk.

Global Health Policy Programme seminar
Roberto Grilli, Local Health Authority, Reggio Emilia

18 May: 'The complexity of low value care'

Health and Care Studies seminar

Dr Josep Figueras, Director, European Observatory on Health Systems and Policies

22 May: 'How do we keep going? Addressing the long-term challenges facing health systems across Europe'

Management in Medicine workshops

This programme has been established to help trainee doctors develop management and leadership skills. The workshops are primarily for clinicians in training including medical students. Registration required: donna.mcmenemy@gtc.ox.ac.uk.

Professor Tim Hoff, Northeastern

6pm, 24 Apr, Barclay Room: 'An update from the USA: the growing diminishment of the doctor in health care delivery'

John Drew, McKinsey Hospital Institute

9.30am-1pm, 10 Jun, EP Abraham Lecture Theatre: 'Politics, philosophy and economics of the workplace in healthcare'

Sanjaya Lall Memorial Trust
PANEL DISCUSSION

Martin Wolf, *Financial Times*, and **Professor John Muellbauer** will hold a panel discussion to welcome Sanjaya Lall Visiting Professor **Kenneth Rogoff**, Harvard, at 5pm on 9 May in the Andrew Wiles Building. Followed by a Q&A.

Subject: 'Trumponomics'

Harris Manchester

Bapsybanoo Marchioness of Winchester Lecture

Sandra Harding, Graduate School of Education and Information Studies, UCLA, will deliver the 2017 Bapsybanoo Marchioness of Winchester Lecture at 5pm on 4 May in the Examination Schools.

Subject: 'After Mr Nowhere: new proper philosophic selfs?'

Sandra Harding will be in discussion with **Beverley Clack**, **Liz Frazer**, **Sabina Lovibond** and **Katherine Morris** at 4pm on 5 May.

Subject: 'Feminist standpoint epistemology'

Keble

Eric Symes Abbott Memorial Lecture

Salley Vickers will deliver the Eric Symes Abbott Memorial Lecture at 5.30pm on 12 May in the chapel.

Subject: 'Faith and imagination - how the arts speak to the reality of the unseen'

Kellogg

The following events will take place at 5.30pm in the Mawby Room, unless otherwise noted. All welcome; refreshments served from 5pm.

David R Meyer, Washington at St Louis
2 May: 'China's "One belt, one road" strategy to access global trade'

Lynn Erler Lecture

Professor Gregory Hadley, Niigata
5pm, 18 May: 'Data-driven insight or information overload? Researching foreign and second language learning with Grounded Theory'

Archaeology seminar

Gary Lock and **John Pouncett**
9 Jun, 62 Meeting Room: 'A Welsh hillfort: recent work at Moel-y-Gaer Bodfari, Denbighshire'

Medical Science seminar

14 Jun: tbc

Kellogg College Centre for Creative Writing

CREATIVE WRITING SEMINAR SERIES

Professor Tabish Khair will give a seminar at 5.30pm on 11 May in the Mawby Room, preceded by refreshments at 5pm. All welcome.

Subject: 'Thinking in stories: or why the process of reading literature is the antidote to fundamentalism'

Lady Margaret Hall**International Gender Studies at LMH**

THE MAKING AND UNMAKING OF HOME IN AN UNCERTAIN WORLD SEMINAR SERIES

The following seminars will take place 2–3.30pm on Thursdays in the Old Library, unless otherwise noted. Conveners: Tess Bird, Janette Davies

Rachael Kiddey

27 Apr: 'Precarious homes: the materiality of homelessness and refugee shelter'

Audrey Richards Commemorative Lecture
Ann Varley, Professor of Human Geography and Convener of Gender and Sexuality Studies, UCL

5pm, Wed, 3 May, Simpkins Lee Theatre: 'Urban nomads? Gender and housing in Latin America' (followed by drinks reception in the Monson Room)

Susan MacDougall

11 May: 'The public home: the politics of women's socialising in Jordan'

Tess Bird

18 May: 'The uncertainty of love: gender and wellbeing in the urban American home'

Maria Lopez, London Metropolitan

25 May: 'Terrorised women at home? The case of femicide in Ciudad Juárez, Mexico'

Katherine Brickell, RHUL

1 Jun: 'Home SOS: gender, violence and law in Cambodia'

Cathrine Brun, School of Architecture, Oxford Brookes

8 Jun: 'Mobilising home for forced migration: a feminist proposition'

Rachel Randall

15 Jun: 'It's very difficult for you to like, to love and not be well treated, respected, valued': nannies, domestic workers and home-spaces in contemporary Brazilian documentary'

Lincoln**John Wesley Lecture**

Professor Grayson Ditchfield, Emeritus Professor of History, Kent, will deliver the John Wesley Lecture at 5pm on 23 May in the Oakeshott Room. All welcome.

Subject: 'John Wesley, heterodoxy and dissent'

Mansfield**Lecture series**

The following lectures will be given at 5pm on Fridays in the Lecture Theatre. Convener: Baroness Helena Kennedy, QC

Anthony Barnett

28 Apr: 'The changing nature of democracies'

Joe Klein and Paul Solman in conversation

5 May: 'Trump's America: a political and an economics journalist take stock'

Linda Moreno

12 May: 'Representing the Muslim in America'

Ben Okri

19 May: 'Putting poetry into politics'

Professor Eleanor Stein and Cecil Corbin-Mark

26 May: 'Climate change, human rights and the way forward'

Professor Carol Sanger

2 Jun: 'Images and influence: the foetus in art'

Gina Miller

9 Jun: 'The great divorce. Leaving Europe and the consequences' (registration required: jane.buswell@mansfield.ox.ac.uk)

Nuffield**Political science seminars**

The following seminars will take place at 12.30pm on Tuesdays in the Clay Room, unless otherwise noted. Organisers: Ben Ansell, Desmond King

Professor Rafaela M Dancygier, Princeton

25 Apr: 'Dilemmas of inclusion: Muslims in European politics'

Professor Silja Häusermann, Zurich

2 May: 'The politics of trade-offs: studying the dynamics of welfare state reform with conjoint experiments'

Dr Abbey Steele, Amsterdam

9 May: tbc

Professor Nicholas Carnes, Duke

16 May: 'The cash ceiling: why only the rich run for office in the US'

Professor Adam Dean, Middlebury College

23 May: tbc

Professor Sharun Mukand, Warwick

23 May: 'Propaganda and nation building: evidence from Rwanda'

Professor Joseph S Nye, Harvard

Mon, 12 Jun: 'Trump and the future of the liberal international order'

Sociology seminars

The following seminars will take place at 5pm on Wednesdays in the Clay Room. Organiser: Ridhi Kashyap

Professor Milena Tsvetkova, LSE

3 May: 'Sociological research with online games and gamification'

Dr Albert Esteve, Autonomous University of Barcelona

10 May: tbc

Jonathan Lusthaus

17 May: 'Cybercrime: the industry of anonymity'

Professor Anette Fasang, Humboldt

24 May: 'Gender and race across the life course: the interplay of work and family trajectories'

Lars Andersen, Rockwool Foundation

31 May: 'The effect of marriage on crime: evidence from a natural experiment'

Professor Emilio Zagheni, Washington

6 Jun: tbc

Dr Alice Goisis, LSE

14 Jun: tbc

Oriel**Thomas Harriot Lecture**

Professor Mark Horton, Bristol, will deliver the Thomas Harriot Lecture at 5pm on 24 May in the Champneys Room. More information: rebecca.bricklebank@oriel.ox.ac.uk.

Subject: 'Thomas Harriot, the world's first ethnographer?'

St Antony's**Law and politics seminar**

Lord Falconer, former Lord Chancellor and former shadow cabinet member; **Ed Miliband** MP, former Leader of the Opposition; **Baroness Helena Kennedy** QC, human rights lawyer; and **Professor Graham Gee**, Professor of Human Rights Law, Sheffield, and co-author, *The Politics of Judicial Independence in the UK's Changing Constitution*, will lead a seminar 5–6.45pm on 25 April in the Nissan Lecture Theatre.
Subject: 'Enemies of the people: defending the independence of the judges. A little too late and a lot too little? Does their independence matter? Is it being adequately defended? If not, what should be done?'

Asian Studies Centre**SOUTH ASIA SEMINAR SERIES**

The following seminars, organised with the support of the History Faculty, will take place at 2pm on Tuesdays in the Fellows' Dining Room, unless otherwise noted. Convener: Faisal Devji

Dilip Menon, Witswatersrand
25 Apr: 'Securing losers' consent for India's constitution: the role of directive principles'

Tim Harper, Cambridge
2 May: tbc

Nayanika Mookherjee, Durham
9 May: 'The spectral wound: sexual violence, public memories and the Bangladesh war of 1971'

Jon Wilson, KCL
16 May: 'India conquered: the British Raj and the chaos of empire'

Hayden Bellenoit, United States Naval Academy
23 May: 'Scribes, paper and the formation of the colonial state in North India, 1780–1840'

Teena Purohit, Boston
30 May: 'Jamal al-din al-Afghani and Syed Ahmad Khan: reform, rivalry and heresy in late-19th-century India'

Rudrangshu Mukherjee, Ashoka
5pm, Mon, 5 Jun, Pavilion Room: 'The dismissal of a teacher and academic freedom: an annal of early Calcutta and its echoes' (organised with the Department for International Development and the Free Speech Debate Project)

Jason Keith Fernandes, Lisbon
6 Jun: 'The untouchable citizen'

SOUTHEAST ASIA SEMINAR SERIES

The following seminars will take place at 2pm on Wednesdays in the Deakin Room, unless otherwise noted. Convener: Matthew J Walton

Kirsten McConnachie, Warwick
26 Apr: 'Boundaries and belonging in the Indo-Myanmar borderlands: Chin refugees in Mizoram'

Rizal Sukma, Republic of Indonesia ambassador to the UK, and **Antonio M Lagdameo**, Republic of the Philippines ambassador to the UK
5pm, Thurs, 4 May, Investcorp Lecture Theatre: 'Towards the ASEAN Economic Community: a conversation with ASEAN ambassadors to the United Kingdom'

Renato Cruz De Castro, De La Salle
24 May: 'Change and challenge: Philippine foreign policy and the Philippine-US alliance'

POSTGRADUATE RESEARCH SHOWCASE

A postgraduate research showcase will take place at 2pm on 10 May in the Deakin Room.

Putu Natih: 'Incorporating the Delphi Method within poverty measurement: a case study of West Java, Indonesia'

Theophilus Kwek: 'Reading rejection: what does the rhetoric of Southeast Asian diplomacy tell us about the regional response to the Rohingya crisis?'

Thanti Octavianti: 'The evolution of Jakarta's flooding policy'

Wai Siong See Tho: 'A comparative analysis of the evolution of migrant worker desirability in Malaysia and Indonesia since the 1970s'

Middle East Centre

The following events will take place at 5pm in the Investcorp Auditorium, Middle East Centre, unless otherwise noted. More information: www.sant.ox.ac.uk/research-centres/middle-east-centre/events.

LECTURES

Dr Alice Wilson, Sussex
25 Apr: 'Tribes, elections and social mobility: legacies from two Arab liberation movements'

Panel discussion

Hemin Hawrami, Senior Adviser to President Masoud Barzani, and **Ceng Sagnic**, Moshe Dayan Centre, Israel
2 May, venue tbc: 'The independence of Iraqi Kurdistan'

Dr Reza Zia-Ebrahimi, KCL

10 May: 'The emergence of Iranian nationalism: race and the politics of dislocation' (joint event with Oxford University Iranian Society)

Professor Aron Shai, Tel Aviv

12 May, China Centre Lecture Theatre: 'China and Israel: strange bedfellows, 1948–2016'

Professor Zachary Lockman, NYU

30 May: 'Adventures in field-building: on the history of Area Studies/Middle East Studies in the United States'

George Antonius Memorial Lecture

Sir Jeremy Greenstock

15 Jun: 'The Iraq invasion and aftermath: lessons for Arab world reform'

BOOK LAUNCHES

Professor Laila Parsons, McGill
28 Apr: *The Commander*

Professor Tariq Ramadan
9 May: *Islam: The Essentials*

Dr James McDougall
6pm, 11 May: *A History of Algeria*

WOMEN'S RIGHT RESEARCH SEMINARS

Nicola Pratt, Warwick, will lead a seminar at 2pm on 8 May in the Board Room.
Subject: tbc

SUDANESE PROGRAMME

A conference sponsored by the Middle East Centre and African Studies Centre will take place on 10 June in the Nissan Lecture Theatre. Speakers include: **Stella Gaitano**, **Sara Hamza Aljack**, **Najat Idris**, **Ismail Adam** and **Najlaa Osman Mohammed**. More information and to register: www.sant.ox.ac.uk/research-centres/sudanese-programme.

Subject: 'Women writers of the two Sudans'

Russian and Eurasian Studies Centre**AFTER 1945: SOVIET CULTURE DURING THE EARLY COLD WAR PERIOD SEMINARS**

The following seminars will take place at 5pm on Mondays in the Nissan Lecture Theatre. Convener: Dr Claire Knight

Dr Jeremy Hicks, QMUL

24 Apr: 'Life of a charismatic object under and after Stalin: the Victory Banner 1945–64'

Dr Robert Dale, Newcastle

1 May: 'Picturing the Red Army's demobilisation: the visual image of demobilisation and the construction of official war memory'

Dr Stefano Pisu, Cagliari

4 May: 'Cold war and peaceful coexistence on the red carpet: the USSR and western film festivals, 1946-62'

Dr Miriam Dobson, Sheffield

15 May: 'Citizens with rights, or crazed hysterics?: "believers" in the Soviet imaginary, post-1945'

Dr Rachel Applebaum, Tufts

22 May: 'A friendship forged by war: the transnational legacy of the Soviet liberation of Czechoslovakia, 1945-91'

Dr Claire Knight

29 May: 'Joseph Stalin, film star: cinema and the postwar Stalin cult'

St Catherine's

Public lecture

Ambassador Peter Galbraith, former US Ambassador to Croatia, will lecture at 5.30pm on 25 April. More information and to register: www.stcatz.ox.ac.uk/galbraith.

Subject: 'How does it all end? Syria, Iraq, Kurdistan'

St Cross

Centre for the History and Philosophy of Physics

A one-day conference will take place 10.30am-5pm on 10 June. Free. More information and to register: www.stx.ox.ac.uk/happ/events/nature-quantum-reality-one-day-conference.

Subject: 'The nature of quantum reality'

St Edmund Hall

Lecture

Joy Hibbins, founder and CEO, Suicide Crisis, will lecture at 2pm on 25 April in Jarvis Doctorow Hall. More information and to register: www.seh.ox.ac.uk/events/preventing-suicide-tenacious-approach-saving-lives-talk-alumna-joy-hibbins-founder-and-ceo.

Subject: 'Preventing suicide: a tenacious approach to saving lives'

St Hugh's

Symposium

VIRGINIA WOOLF CELEBRATION

A Virginia Woolf symposium will take place 10am-4.30pm on 5 May in Mordan Hall. Speakers: **Professor Frances Spalding**, Cambridge; **Juliet Nicholson**, author and historian; **Professor Alexandra Harris**, Liverpool; and **Christopher Woodward**, Garden Museum. To register: www.st-hughs.ox.ac.uk/events/st-hughs-college-virginia-woolf-celebration or development.office@st-hughs.ox.ac.uk.

Lecture

Gabriele C De Luca will lecture at 6.30pm on 31 May in Maplethorpe Hall, followed by a drinks reception. To register: development.office@st-hughs.ox.ac.uk.

Subject: 'Sir Hugh Cairns: a pioneering neurosurgeon'

Somerville

Bryce Lecture

Richard Holmes will deliver the 2017 Bryce Lecture at 5.30pm on 3 May in Flora Anderson Hall. Free and open to the public.

Subject: 'The Mary Somerville connexion'

University College

HLA Hart Memorial Lecture

Professor Frederick Schauer, David and Mary Harrison Distinguished Professor of Law, Virginia, will deliver the HLA Hart Memorial Lecture at 5pm on 9 May in the Blue Boar Lecture Theatre, Christ Church, followed by a reception in the Fellows' Garden, University College. Registration required: louise.wright@univ.ox.ac.uk.

Subject: 'The perils of Panglossian constitutionalism'

Wolfson

Wolfson Berlin Lecture

Professor Galen Strawson will deliver the Wolfson Berlin Lecture at 6pm on 25 May.

Subject: 'One hundred years of consciousness, "a long training in absurdity"'

Wolfson architecture and society lecture series

FROM VISIONS OF UTOPIA TO LIPSTICK ON THE GORILLA

Alan Berman, architect, will lecture at 6pm on 4 May.

Subject: 'Putting lipstick on the gorilla'

Oxford Centre for Life-Writing

The following events are open to all and free of charge and will take place in the Leonard Wolfson Auditorium, unless otherwise noted. Conveners: Professor Dame Hermione Lee, Professor Elleke Boehmer, Dr Kate Kennedy

MASTERCLASS, INTERVIEW AND RECITAL

Roderick Williams, baritone, will deliver a masterclass for young singers at 2pm and will be in conversation with **Professor Philip Ross Bullock** at 5pm on 26 April.

DOCUMENTARY SCREENING

Nicoletta Demetriou's documentary *Cypriot Fiddler* will be screened at 5pm on 2 May.

RICHARD ELLMANN LECTURE

Professor Richard Holmes, UEA, will deliver the Richard Ellmann Lecture at 5.30pm on 9 May.

Subject: 'Pursuer or pursued: reflections on biography'

CONFERENCE

A conference will take place on 12 and 13 May to examine Tibet's rich tradition of biographical writing as documented in Tibetan narrative, poetic, legal and religious literature. Lunch provided. Registration required: lifewriting.wolfson@gmail.com.

Subject: 'Global lives and local perspectives: new approaches to Tibetan life-writing'

POETRY READING

Simon Armitage and **Bernard O'Donoghue** will read at 6pm on 15 May.

Subject: 'Poems of life and death - a reading'

LIFE WRITING LUNCH

Professor Heather Walton, Glasgow, and **Professor Peter Ackers**, De Montfort, will talk at 1pm on 23 May in the Haldane Room. To register: <http://bit.ly/2o8uVeS>.

Subject: 'Faith biographies'

COLLOQUIUM

A colloquium will take place on 27 May bringing together academics, biographers and curators to explore the ways in which the life stories of well-known individuals are preserved and presented through the architecture and material culture of their homes. Contributors: **Daisy Hay**, **Gillian Darley**, **James Grasby**, **Lucy Walker**, **Alexandra Harris**, **Frankie Kubicki**, **Nicola Watson**, **Nino Strachey** and **Serena Dyer**. Fee, including lunch: £20 (£10 unwaged). To register: <http://bit.ly/2mCRBVO>.

Subject: 'Lives of houses'

SCREENING AND DISCUSSION

A discussion and screening of Clio Barnard's BAFTA-nominated film *The Selfish Giant* will take place at 5.30pm on 30 May.

IN CONVERSATION

Professor Dame Hermione Lee and **Mark Lawson**, arts journalist and broadcaster, will be in conversation at 5.30pm on 6 June.

Subject: 'The art and method of the interview'

CONFERENCE

A conference will take place on 8 July to examine how people write about the lives of dancers and choreographers: how does dance as a silent form represent life stories? Combining practical demonstration, film, biographers, practitioners, discussion and speakers. Speakers include **Dame Monica Mason**, Director, Royal Ballet 2002–12; **Jennifer Homans**, NYU; **Michael Burden**; **Julia Bührlé**; **Jane Pritchard**, curator of dance, Victoria and Albert Museum; **Judith Mackrell**, dance critic; **Michael Huxley** and **Ramsay Burt**, De Montfort; and **Hélène Neveu Kringelbach**. Fee, including lunch, coffee and a glass of wine: £20 (£10 unwaged). To register: <http://bit.ly/2mXeCmH>.

Subject: 'Dancing lives'

St Stephen's House**Summer school**

The 4th Annual Oxford Animal Ethics Summer School will take place 23–26 July in partnership with Respect for Animals. More information and to register: www.oxfordanimaethics.com/what-we-do/summer-school-2017.

Subject: 'Ethics of fur'

Other Groups**Andrew Chamblin Memorial Lecture**

Professor Kip Thorne, Caltech, will deliver the 2017 Andrew Chamblin Memorial Lecture at 5pm on 23 May in the Centre for Mathematical Sciences, Wilberforce Road, Cambridge. Free admission but registration required: <https://tinyurl.com/andrewchamblinlecture2017>.

Subject: 'Exploring the universe with gravitational waves: LIGO and beyond'

Friends of the Bodleian

The following lectures will take place at 1pm on Tuesdays in the Lecture Theatre, Weston Library.

Mike Webb

2 May: 'Civil War and Restoration London lives: three new manuscript sources in the Bodleian'

Peter Parker

6 Jun: 'English words, English music: AE Housman and George Butterworth'

Oxford Italian Association**Lectures**

The following lectures will take place at 7.30 for 8pm in the Mary Ogilvie Lecture Theatre, St Anne's, unless otherwise noted.

Gavin Hewitt, BBC

11 May: 'In Europe's drama: the enigma of Italy'

Simonetta Agnello Hornby and **Professor Emmanuela Tandello**

23 May: in conversation

Professor Nicola Gardini

7.30pm, 31 May, Pusey Room, Keble: 'Eros and metamorphosis in Ovid'

Richard Owen

6 Jun: 'Hemingway in Italy'

Film

A film screening of *Sacro Gra*, dir Gianfranco Rosi, will take place at 7.30pm on 24 April in the Lecture Theatre, Rewley House. In Italian with English subtitles.

Friends of the Pitt Rivers Museum

Laura Van Broekhoven will lecture at 6 for 6.30pm on 14 June at the Pitt Rivers New Extension, Robinson Close, South Parks Road. Visitors welcome (tickets £2).

Subject: 'New practices around collection research and the ways museum collections have relevance beyond stores or displays'

Beatrice Blackwood Lecture

Alexander Armstrong will lecture at 5.45 for 6.15pm on 5 May at the Oxford University Museum of Natural History Lecture Theatre, Parks Road. Followed by refreshments in Pitt Rivers Museum until 9pm. Tickets: £16 (£14 for friends) from PRM shop or Oxford Playhouse 305305.

Subject: 'The British stiff upper lip - noises, sounds and sweet airs'

Pusey House

The following events will take place at 4pm in the Hood Room at Pusey House, unless otherwise noted. More information: www.puseyhouse.org.uk.

~~**Peter Toon Lecture** cancelled~~

~~The Rt Revd Dr Geoffrey Rowell will deliver the Peter Toon Lecture at 5.30pm, following Evensong at 4pm, on 15 May in the chapel.~~

~~*Subject:* 'Questioning tradition? Continuity, identity and authority in the church and society'~~

Recollection lecture series

The following lectures will take place on Wednesdays, preceded by tea and coffee at 3.30pm.

Dr Ian Ker

3 May: 'Newman on Vatican II'

Peter Webster

17 May: 'Responses to theological crisis in the 1960s: Michael Ramsey and EL Mascall'

Dr Ralph Waller

31 May: 'John Wesley: the man and his influence on 18th-century Britain and Ireland'

Paul Oliver

14 Jun: 'John Donne: apostate Catholic, visionary Anglican'

Anglicanism since 1688: research seminar

The following seminars will take place on Thursdays, preceded by tea and coffee at 3.45pm.

Dr Ayla Lepine, Essex

27 Apr: 'Partial views and controversial visions: Victorian choir screens and rood screens reconsidered'

Alistair Beecher

11 May: 'First among equals: Anglican hegemony in rural Hampshire c1780–1939'

Dr Serenhedd James

25 May: 'The Cowley fathers'

Canon Professor Mark Chapman

8 Jun: 'The Church of England, Serbia and the First World War'