

The Institute for Historical Studies Programming 2008-09

Talks and Lectures

Odyssey Speaker Series

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October 6, 2008

Dr. George Forgie, Associate Professor of History, UT Austin
"The American Civil War--How Else Might It Have Ended?"

October 13, 2008

Dr. Howard Miller, Associate Professor of History, UT Austin
"The Race Goes On: Ben-Hur, Popular Religion and American Culture Since 1880"

October 20, 2008

Dr. Laurie B. Greene, Associate Professor of History, UT Austin
"Race, Memory, and The Black Freedom Movement in the Urban South"

October 27, 2008

Dr. David F. Crew, Professor of History, UT Austin
"Visualizing Genocide: The Holocaust in Photographs Since 1945"

November 3, 2008

Dr. Bruce Hunt, Associate Professor of History, UT Austin
"The Making of the First Atomic Bombs"

November 10, 2008

Dr. Robert Olwell, IHS Fellow and Associate Professor of History, UT Austin
"Playing Chess at Monticello: "Reasoning" with Thomas Jefferson at the Start of the 21st Century"

Other Talks

November 6, 2008

Dr. Jacqueline Jones, Walter Prescott Webb Chair in History, Ideas and Mastin Gentry White Professor of Southern History, speaking on her new book, *Saving Savannah, The City and Civil War* (Knopf, 2008), for History's Visiting Committee and general public.

March 11, 2009

Dr. Gareth Austin, Reader in Economic History, London School of Economics, presenting, "Slaves, States and Markets in West Africa, 1500 to the Present."

May 11, 2009

Dr. Cassandra Pybus, IHS Visiting Research Associate and Australian Research Council Professorial Fellow at the University of Sydney, Australia, presenting "The Book of Negroes: A Portal into Race, Slavery, and Emancipation in the Atlantic World, 1760-1790."

Workshops

September 15, 2008

Dr. Robert Olwell

IHS Fellow and Associate Professor of History, UT Austin

"First Impressions: Creating Florida in Mid-Eighteenth-Century British Print Culture and in the British Imperial Imagination"

Responder: Dr. Lisa Moore, Associate Professor of English, UT Austin

September 29, 2008

Dr. Frank Guridy

IHS Fellow and Assistant Professor of History, UT Austin

"Destination without Humiliation: Black Tourist Networks in the Transnational Circuit of Segregation"

Responder: Dr. Tiffany Gill, Assistant Professor of History, UT Austin

October 13, 2008

Dr. Gary Wilder

Associate Professor of History, Pomona College

"Decolonization without National Independence: Léopold Senghor's Utopian Vision of Postwar France"

Responder: Dr. Benjamin Brower, Assistant Professor of History, Texas A&M University

October 20, 2008

Dr. James Sweet and Dr. Marjoleine Kars

Dr. Sweet, IHS Fellow and Associate Professor, History, University of Wisconsin at Madison, will present "Domingos Álvares and the Politics of Public Healing in the Atlantic World." Dr. Kars, Associate Professor, University of Maryland-Baltimore County, will present "Frontiers of Identity: Mutiny and Rebellion in Dutch Berbice, 1763-1764."

October 27, 2008

Dr. Ebru Turan

IHS Fellow and Assistant Professor of History, Fordham University

“The Sultan's Favorite: Ibrahim Pasha (1523-1536) and the Making of Ottoman Universal Sovereignty in the Renaissance”

Responder: Dr. Brian Levack, Professor and John E. Green Regents Professorship in History Distinguished Teaching Professor of History, UT Austin

November 3, 2008

Dr. A. Joan Saab

Associate Professor, Art History and Visual & Cultural Studies, University of Rochester

“America Tropical: David Alfaro Siqueiros and the markets for global modernism”

Responder: Dr. Steven Hoelscher, Associate Professor of American Studies, UT Austin

November 10, 2008

Dr. David Kinkela

IHS Fellow, and Assistant Professor of History, SUNY Fredonia

"Accentuate the Positive": Defending the global war on insects in a Silent Spring world

Responder: Paul Rubinson, candidate of History, UT Austin

November 17, 2008

Dr. Ruben Flores

IHS Fellow, and Assistant Professor of American Studies, University of Kansas

“The Influence of Post-Revolutionary Mexican Debates over Social Equality on the Sociology of Pluralism in the United States”

Responder: Dr. Neil Foley, Associate Professor of History, UT Austin

November 24, 2008

Dr. Alf Lüdtke

Professor, University of Erfurt

“Rabbit and Hare - or: Is the Researcher Always Too Late? The Case of the Border between "East" and "West" in Germany, 1945-2000”

Responder: Dr. David Crew, Professor of History, UT Austin

December 8, 2008

Dr. Mark Metzler

IHS Fellow and Associate Professor, History, UT Austin

“Liberalism and Its Enemies in the Late Nineteenth-Century World”

Responder: Dr. Antony G. Hopkins, Professor and Walter Prescott Webb Chair of History, UT Austin

February 2, 2009

Dr. Adam McKeown

Assistant Professor of History, Columbia University

“World Migration and the Globalization of Borders, 1850-1940”

Responder: Dr. Eiichero Azuma, 2008 Harrington Faculty Fellow and Associate Professor of History, University of Pennsylvania.

February 16, 2009

Dr. Jay Rubenstein

Associate Professor, History, University of Tennessee- Knoxville

“The First Crusade: Slaughter and Chivalry”

Responder: Dr. Martha Newman, Professor of History and Chair of Religious Studies, UT Austin

February 20, 2009

Black History Month

Workshop and presentation by Texas Black History Preservation Project

Presented by Michael Hurd and Roxanne Evans, Leaders of TBHPP

March 2, 2009

Dr. Anne Martinez

IHS Fellow and Assistant Professor, History, UT Austin

“Reluctant Shepherd, Eager Diplomat: Francis Kelley and the Mexican Situation”

Responder: Dr. Ruben Flores, IHS Fellow and Assistant Professor of American Studies, University of Kansas

March 9, 2009

Dr. Nancy Appelbaum and Dr. Benjamin Schmidt

Dr. Appelbaum, IHS Fellow, and Associate Professor, History, SUNY Binghamton, will present, "Mapping the 'Country of Regions:' Agustín Codazzi and the Nineteenth-Century Colombian Chorographic Commission." Dr. Schmidt, Associate Professor, of History, University of Washington, will present, "Empires and Exoticism: Making Geography and Unmaking 'Global Borders' in Early Modern Europe."

March 30, 2009

Dr. Tracie Matysik

IHS Fellow and Assistant Professor, History, UT Austin

“The Ethics of Immanence: Spinoza, Science, and Materialism in the 19th Century”

Responder: Matthias Rothe, visiting scholar, European University Viadrina in Frankfurt/Oder, Germany

April 6, 2009

Dr. Micheal Kwass

Associate Professor, History, University of Georgia

“Globalization, Borders, & Smuggling: The Political Implications of Global Trade in 18th Century France”

Responder: Jesse Cromwell, candidate, History, UT Austin

April 13, 2009

Dr. Laurie Green

IHS Fellow and Associate Professor, History, UT Austin

“Discovering Hunger in America: Politics of Race, Poverty, & Malnutrition after the Fall of Jim Crow”

Responder: Dr. Kamran Ali, Associate Professor, Anthropology & Middle Eastern Studies, UT Austin

Informal Workshops**April 27, 2009**

Christophe Verbruggen

IHS Visiting Research Associate and Postdoctoral Fellow, Ghent University, Germany

“Transnational Group Formation of intellectuals, 1890-1930”

May 4, 2009

Afzar Moin

IHS Visiting Research Associate and PhD candidate, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor

“Messianism and Kingship: Islam and the Political imagination of early Modern India and Iran”

May 11, 2009

Dr. Cassandra Pybus

IHS Visiting Research Associate and Australian Research Council Professorial Fellow at the University of Sydney, Australia

“The Book of Negroes and Atlantic History”

May 18, 2009

Dr. Nancy Appelbaum

IHS Fellow and Associate Professor, History, SUNY Binghamton

Review of a chapter on Mapping and Nineteenth-Century Colombian Chorographic Commission