Institute for Historical Studies
2013-14 Events Calendar

Workshops & Talks

Stephen M. Sonnenberg, UT Humanities Institute and School of Architecture, The University of Texas at Austin
Seduction and Rape: Dora Revisited and the Social Construction of Trauma
Monday, September 16 • Noon • GAR 4.100

Ronen Steinberg, Michigan State University
Traumatic Spaces: Mass Graves in Post-Revolutionary France
Monday, September 30 • Noon • GAR 4.100

Carel Bertram, San Francisco State University
Putting Historical Memory in its Place: Armenian Journeys to Turkey to Find the Houses and Villages of a Lost Ottoman Past
Monday, October 7 • Noon • GAR 4.100

Mae Ngai, Columbia University
Chinese Gold Miners and the Chinese Question in Pacific World Settler Colonies
Monday, October 14 • Noon • GAR 4.100
Co-sponsored by Center for Asian American Studies

David Crew, The University of Texas at Austin
Learning War Photography: Benno Wundshammer’s relationship to his wartime photographs before and after 1945
Monday, November 4 • Noon • GAR 4.100

Dominic Yang, Postdoctoral Fellow, The University of Texas at Austin
Writing the Exodus, Writing Trauma: Exile, Return, and the Politics of Chinese Mainlander Identity Formation in Taiwan
Monday, November 11 • Noon • GAR 4.100

Emilio Zamora, The University of Texas at Austin
Translating José de la Luz Sáenz and his WWI Diary
Monday, November 18 • Noon • GAR 4.100

Leslie M. Harris, Emory University
Hurricane Season
Monday, December 9 • Noon • GAR 4.100

Donna DeCesare, The University of Texas at Austin
Witness: Visual Journalists Respond to Trauma
Monday, February 3 • Noon • GAR 4.100

Benjamin C. Brower, The University of Texas at Austin
Rethinking the Political Use of Trauma, Algeria 1830-1962
Monday, February 24 • Noon • GAR 4.100

Derek Sayer, Lancaster University
Book Talk: Prague, Capital of the Twentieth Century: A Surrealist History
Thursday, February 27 • 3pm • GAR 4.100

Hasia Diner, New York University
Post-World War II American Jewry and the Confrontation with Catastrophe
Monday, March 24 • Noon • GAR 4.100
Co-sponsored by Schusterman Center for Jewish Studies

Fred Donner, University of Chicago
Talk: The Debate over Islam’s Origins and an Enigmatic Arabic Papyrus
Tuesday, March 25 • 3:30 • GAR 4.100
Co-sponsored by Center for Middle Eastern Studies; and Religious Studies

Francine Hirsch, University of Wisconsin, Madison
Soviet Judgment at Nuremberg: A Cold War Story
Monday, March 31 • Noon • GAR 4.100

Enzo Traverso, Cornell University
The European Civil War 1914–1945: Culture and Violence
Friday, April 18 • 4:00pm • HRC Prothro Theatre
Co-sponsored by Center for European Studies and others

Ann Cvetkovich, The University of Texas at Austin
Revisiting An Archive of Feelings: Queer Approaches to Trauma and Affect
Monday, April 21 • Noon • GAR 4.100

Laurie B. Green, The University of Texas at Austin
Monday, April 28 • Noon • GAR 4.100

Tracie M. Matsik, The University of Texas at Austin
Between Trauma and Affect: Lou Andreas-Salomé’s Spinozist Psychoanalysis
Monday, May 5 • Noon • GAR 4.100

“Trauma and History” Conference

Registration, Program, Participants, and Information: utexas.edu/cola/insts/historicalstudies/
Thursday and Friday, March 20-21 • CLA 1.302D and 1.302B

New Work in Progress Series

Highlighting new research by advanced Graduate Students in History – All events at Noon in GAR 4.100

Libby Nutting, Ph.D. Candidate in History, UT Austin | Between Escape/Expulsion: Morisco Migration in Early Modern Mediterranean, 1568-1659 | Monday, October 21

Julia Ogden, Ph.D. Candidate in History, UT Austin | Sodomy, Morality, and Defining Boyhood in Buenos Aires, 1853-1912 | Monday, December 2

Peter Hamilton, Ph.D. Candidate in History, UT Austin | Empire through Education: The Chinese Univ of Hong Kong and Its American Founders | Monday, January 27

Matthew Bunn, Ph.D. Candidate in History, UT Austin | Entanglements State & Civil Society: Deutsche Tribüne & Reemergence of Open Opposition, 1830-32 | Monday, February 10

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Faculty New Book Series
Discussion series on new book publications by UT History faculty

Brian P. Levack
The Devil Within: Possession and Exorcism in the Christian West
Wednesday, September 25 • 2:00 PM • GAR 4.100

Denise A. Spellberg
Thomas Jefferson’s Qur’an: Islam and the Founders
Friday, October 18 • 3:00 PM • GAR 4.100

Mark Metzler
Capital as Will & Imagination: Schumpeter’s GT Postwar Japanese Miracle
Monday, November 25 • 3:00 PM • GAR 4.100

Jorge Canizares-Esguerra and JamesSidbury
The Black Urban Atlantic in the Age of the Slave Trade
Friday, December 6 • 3:00 PM • GAR 4.100

Jacqueline Jones
A Dreadful Deceit: The Myth of Race from Colonial Era to Obama’s America
Wednesday, January 22 • 2:00 PM • GAR 4.100

Indrani Chatterjee
Forgotten Friends: Monks Marriages & Memories of Northeast India
Monday, February 17 • 2:00 PM • GAR 4.100

Hua-yin Li
Reinventing Modern China: Imagination and Authenticity in Chinese Historical Writing
Wednesday, March 26 • 2:00 PM • GAR 4.100

H. W. Brands
The Man Who Saved the Union: Ulysses Grant in War and Peace
Wednesday, April 9 • 2:00 PM • GAR 4.100

Daina Ramey Berry and Leslie M. Harris
Slavery and Freedom
Wednesday, May 7 • 2:00 PM • GAR 4.100

Co-Sponsored Events

"A Nation Traumatized: The Assassination of John F. Kennedy and its Aftermath"
Monday, November 18 • 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM • CLA 1.302B

"The Brazilian Coup d’état of 1964: A Roundtable Discussion to Mark its 50th Anniversary"
Thursday, March 27 • 3:30 PM - 5:30 PM • GAR 4.100

"Remembering World War I on its Centennial: A Roundtable Discussion"
Wednesday, April 16 • 3:30 PM - 5:30 PM • GAR 4.100

"Freud’s Legacy: A Retrospective on the 75th Anniversary of His Death"
Thursday, May 8 • 3:00 PM – 5:00 PM • GAR 4.100

Sponsored Events

Talk: Ari Kelman, University of California, Davis | A Misplaced Massacre: Sand Creek in History and Memory | Sep. 20 (American Studies Department)
Talk: Ben Fallaw, Colby College | The Bishop, the 'Beast,' and Indigenous Catholics in the Postrevolutionary Huasteca, MX | Oct. 3 (Lozano Long Institute for Latin American Studies)
Talk: Rune Svarverud, University of Oslo | Changing Chinese World Orientation: The Introduction of International Law in Late Qing China | Oct. 11 (Asian Studies Department)
Talk: Elizabeth Cobbs Hoffman, San Diego State University | America: Empire or Umpire, and at What Cost | Oct. 29 (Clements Center for History, Strategy, and Statecraft)
Conference: Can the Eurozone Be Saved | Nov. 5 - 6 (Center for European Studies)
Talk: Daniel Kowalksy, Queen’s Univ Belfast | Looking Back at Operation X: The Soviet Union and the Spanish Civil War, 1936-39 | Nov. 8 (Ctr for Russian, E. Euro, Eurasian Studies)
Conference: Sexual Citizenship and Human Rights: What Can the U.S. Learn from the EU and European Law? | Nov. 22 - 24 (Center for European Studies)
Talk: Pamela Karimi, University of Massachusetts, Dartmouth | Middle East Lecture Series - information forthcoming | Feb. 3 (Center for Middle Eastern Studies)
Conference: Illustrating Anarchy and Revolution: Mexican Legacies of Global Change | Feb. 5 – 7 (Center for Mexican American Studies, and Mexic-Arte Museum)
Book Panel: Kyle Longley, Arizona State University | The Morenci Marines: A Tale of Small Town America and the Vietnam War | Feb. 7 | (Department of History)
Symposium: Transcultural Lenses on Islam | Feb. 7 (Religious Studies Department)
Conference: Archiving the Central American Revolutions | Feb. 19 – 21 (Teresa Lozano Long Institute for Latin American Studies)
Colloquium: (Re)Telling and (Re)Living: Heterogeneous Discourses in the Luso-Hispanic World | Mar. 20 – 22 (Department of Spanish and Portuguese)
Talk: Shelley Lee, Oberlin College | Gateway to the Orient: Seattle’s Nikkei and West Coast Urban History | Mar. 27 (Center for Asian American Studies)
Talk: Robert (Roy) C. Ritchie | Info forthcoming | Mar. 28 (British Studies Center)
Talk: Jocelyn Hendrickson, University of Alberta | Middle East Lecture Series - information forthcoming | Apr. 14 (Center for Middle Eastern Studies)
Talk: Martha Hanna, Univ of Colorado, Boulder | What Can the Canadian Expeditionary Force Tell Us about Consent and Coercion in the Great War? | Apr. 29 (Ctr. for Euro Studies)

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