SEVENTH ANNUAL ASSC GRADUATE STUDENT CONFERENCE
Centre for Medieval Studies, University of Toronto
“Crises of Categorization”

PROGRAM

All events to be held at the Centre for Medieval Studies (third floor, 125 Queen’s Park) unless otherwise noted.

9:00 Breakfast & registration

9:45 Welcome

10:00 Session I: Transhistorical Anglo-Saxon England

Eric Weiskott (Yale University): “Where They Please: the punctuation of Old English poetry”
Respondent: Patrick Meusel (University of Toronto)
Sarah Miller (Trent University): “The Battle of Maldon: A Medieval Screenplay”
Respondent: Kathleen Ogden (University of Toronto)
Stephen Pelle (University of Toronto): “The Fifteen Signs before Doomsday” and Post-Conquest English Identity
Respondent: Carla Thomas (New York University)
Camin Melton (Fordham University): “Vernacular Authority in a Materialized God: Reading the Text of Christ’s Body in Old and Middle English”
Respondent: Emma Gorst (University of Toronto)

12:00 Lunch

1:00 Session II: Storms Within and Without

Paul Langeslag (University of Toronto): “Winter: Landscape and Season”
Respondent: Josephine Livingstone (New York University)
James Paz (King’s College London): “Internal/External Interactions in the Exeter Book ‘Storm’ Riddles”
Respondent: Alex Fleck (University of Toronto)
Respondent: Julia Bolotina (University of Toronto)
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2:30 Coffee break

3:00 Session III: Sex and Magic in Anglo-Saxon England

Grant Leyton Simpson (Indiana University): “Crises in the Pronoun Paradigm and the Transgendered Body: Crossdressing in the Old English Saints’ Lives of Euphrosyne and Eugenia”
Respondent: Kristen Mills (University of Toronto)
Richard Shaw (University of Toronto): “At the Borders of Medicine and Magic: A New Work by Ælfric?”
Respondent: Jessica Lockhart (University of Toronto)
Leif Einarson (University of Western Ontario): “Sex and the Smithy: (mis-)representations of sexuality in Anglo-Saxon and Old Norse narratives of metalworkers”
Respondent: Elizabeth Walgenbach (Yale University)

4:30 Coffee break

5:15 Tour of the Dictionary of Old English
Hosted by Professor Antonette diPaolo Healey
Robarts Library, University of Toronto
130 St. George Street

6:00 Dinner & reception
Hosted by Professor Andy Orchard
Provost’s Lodge, Trinity College
6 Hoskin Avenue