

HISTORY DEPARTMENT RESEARCH SEMINARS 2018-19 (SEMESTER II)

Venue: Seminar Room, First Floor, Iontas Building, North Campus, Maynooth University

With the exception of 4 April **, all seminars start at 6pm

All are welcome to attend.

- 14 February **6-7pm: “There is scarcely a greater plague that can infest society than swarms of beggars”: the rise and fall of the mendicity society movement in Ireland, 1815-45’**
Speaker: Dr Ciaran McCabe (IRC Enterprise Partnership Scheme Postdoctoral Fellow, School of History, UCD & 14 Henrietta Street: Georgian Townhouse to Tenement Dwelling, Dublin)
- 21 February **6-7pm: ‘Editing the diaries of John Lee's Irish walking tour, 1806-1807’**
Speaker: Dr Angela Byrne (DFA Historian-in-Residence, EPIC The Irish Emigration Museum)
- 28 February **6-7pm: ‘Irish noblemen in Croatia (19th-20th Century)’**
Speaker: Professor Iskra Iveljic (History Department, University of Zagreb)
- 7 March **6-7pm: ‘Irish-America and the propaganda tours of Irish revolutionary women, 1916-23’**
Speaker: Dr Ann Marie O’Brien
- 14 March **6-7pm: ‘The Syrian War: First Great War of the 21st Century’**
Speaker: Professor Larry Goodson (Professor of Middle East Studies at the U.S. Army War College, Carlisle, Pennsylvania)
- 28 March **6-7pm: ‘Developing a spatial identity: Upper Franconia in the 19th and 20th centuries’**
Speaker: Professor Martin Ott (University of Bayreuth)
- 4 April ** **5-6pm: ‘The Frank Duff Archive: historical and archival perspectives’**
Speaker: Dr Evie Monaghan (Postdoctoral Fellow, The Frank Duffy Archive, Department of History, Maynooth University)
- 6-7pm: Holes in the Iron Curtain. E. P. Thompson, Western Marxism and the Historiographies of the Eastern-Bloc, 1948-1990**
Speaker: Dr Rudolf Kučera (Masaryk Institute and Archives of the Czech Academy of Sciences Gabčíkova, Prague) **This lecture has been cancelled.**
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- 11 April **6-7pm: ‘New England and Witch-hunting in the English Atlantic, 1640-1670’**
Speaker: Professor Paul Moyer (The College at Brockport, State University of New York)
- 25 April **6-7pm: ‘Witches in the News: Constructing Fear of Witchcraft in Early Modern Germany’**
Speaker: Dr Abaigéal Warfield (Department of History, Maynooth University)
- 2 May **6-7pm: ‘Feeding Valley Forge: the Fatal Crisis of 1778’**
Speaker: Professor Rick Herrera (School of Advanced Military Studies, US Army Command and General Staff College, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas)
