

HISTORY DEPARTMENT RESEARCH SEMINARS 2018-19 (SEMESTER I)
Venue: Seminar Room, First Floor, Iontas Building, North Campus, Maynooth University

- 11 October **6-7pm:** ‘A peaceful conquest? German and Irish immigration to the
Midwestern United States, 1850-1900’
Speaker: Dr Regina Donlon (Carlow College)
- 18 October **6-7pm:** ‘“Climbing up in the world’: educational travel and social
mobility, 1650-1750’
Speaker: Dr Richard Ansell (Maynooth University)
- 8 November **6-7pm:** ‘“Interchangeable venues of social and political life’:
horseracing and the public sphere in England and Ireland in the long
eighteenth century’
Speaker: Dr Oliver Cox (University of Oxford)
- 15 November **6-7pm:** ‘Women and improvement in eighteenth-century Ireland: the
case of Mary Delany’
Speaker: Christina Decker (University College Cork)
- 29 November **5-6pm:** ‘The Frontline experience of the Hungarian 27th Szekler Light
Division troops during the last two years of the Second World War’
Speaker: Sandor Magyarosi (PhD candidate, MU)
6-7pm: “next after God she has been the preservation of our
hou’s’: Frances Talbot, countess of Tyrconnell and religious houses in
Ireland, Flanders and France, 1677-1731’
Speaker: Dr Frances Nolan (Maynooth University)
- 6 December **6-7pm:** ‘Another meaning of ‘Black Irish’: white Nationalism and the
mythology of Irish slavery’
Speaker: Dr Natalie Zacek (Manchester University)
- 13 December **5-6pm:** ‘Voters and politicians – changes in local representation in
Fingal, 1898-1925’
Speaker: Declan Brady (PhD candidate, MU)
6-7pm: ‘Uses and usages of Oral History’
Speaker: Dr Nigel de Lee (University of Hull)
