Third Summer Academy of Atlantic History

Circuits of Knowledge in the Atlantic World

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Workshop Program

Sunday, August 25
16:00—17:00 Opening of the Conference
17:00—19:00 Karen O. Kupferman (New York City):
Music and Universal Language in the Early Modern Atlantic
19:00 Reception

Monday, August 26
9:30—11:00 Illaria Berti (Genoa): European Colonizer and Caribbean Colonized. Identity and Creolisation of Food Consumption Patterns in the 18th Century
comment: Trevor Burnard (Melbourne)
11:00—11:30 Coffee Break
11:30—13:00 Katherine E. Arner (Baltimore): Republic of Fever: Commerce, Warfare and the Making of Warm Climate medicine in the Age of Atlantic Revolution
comment: Sarah Barber (Lancaster)
13:00—14:00 Lunch
14:00—16:00 Atlantic world discussion group:
Claudia Schnurmann (Hamburg): Knowledge and Correspondence Networks
16:00 Free Roaming

Tuesday, August 27
9:30—11:00 Craig Gallagher (Boston): Scottish Merchants and Knowledge in the Early Modern Atlantic World
comment: Nicholas Canny (Galway)
11:00—11:30 Coffee Break
11:30—13:00 Jordan Buchanan Smith (Washington DC): Liquor and Knowledge Transfer in Europe, Africa, and the Americas
Comment: Owen Stanwood (Boston)
13:00 Excursion
20:00—21:00 Hermann Wellenreuther (Göttingen):
Interdependency, Interaction, and Communication as Key Terms of Atlantic History
21:00 Reception

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Wednesday, August 28
9:30—11:00 Asheesh Kapur Siddique (New York City):
Daring to Ask: the Questionnaire and the Problem of Knowledge in the Late 18th Century British Atlantic Enlightenment
Comment: David L. Smith (Cambridge)
11:00—11:30 Coffee Break
11:30—13:00 Ida Federica Pugliese (Galway): The Asymmetric Dimension of Enlightenment Circulation of Knowledge: Atlantic Questionaires in the 18th Century
Comment: Lauric Henneton (Versailles-St. Quentin-en-Yvelines)
13:00—15:00 Lunch
15:00—17:00 Roundtable on Atlantic History Between Area Studies and Global History
Nicholas Canny (Galway),
Susanne Lachenicht (Bayreuth),
Matthias Middell (Leipzig),
Bartolomé Yun Casalilla (Florence)
Trevor Burnard (Melbourne)
20:00 Conference Dinner, Restaurant Brodersen
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Thursday, August 29
9:30—11:00 Anne Sophie Overkamp (Bayreuth): An Eldorado of the Industrious, a Zion of the Pious—Middling Classes of Elberfeld and Barmen Around 1800 in their Global context
Comment: Bartolomé Yun Casalilla (Florence)
11:00—11:30 Coffee Break
11:30—13:00 Alyssa Zuercher Reichardt (New Haven):
French, British and Indigenous Imperial Communication Networks in the Contest for the Ohio Valley and North America, 1739—1768
comment: Hermann Wellenreuther (Göttingen)
13:00—14:00 General wrap up