

Ninth Annual Loyola University Chicago History Graduate Student Conference

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Schedule of Events

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The HGSA Conference Organizing Committee would like to thank all of the departmental staff, faculty, and student volunteers for their participation and assistance with this event. We especially want to thank all of the students from outside of Loyola and the Chicago area who have traveled great distances to attend and whose participation have made this event a success. Thank you!

Coffee and other beverages will be available in Beane Hall throughout the day. We would also like to invite all conference participants and volunteers to our post-conference reception. It will take place from 4:45-5:45p.m. in Beane Hall and will include complimentary beverages and light hors d'oeuvres.

Greetings, Fellow Graduate Students!

On behalf of the Loyola University Chicago History Graduate Student Association and the Department of History, I would like to welcome you to the Ninth Annual Loyola University Chicago History Graduate Student Conference. The mission of Loyola's History Graduate Student Association is to represent the interests of the history graduate students to Loyola faculty, staff, and administration, as well as to cultivate academic excellence and community amongst graduate students.

Our ninth annual conference brings together history graduate students whose works chronologically span from the early modern era to the end of the twentieth century, and encompass a diversity of historical approaches and subjects. In addition to twelve panels on Saturday, this year we are pleased and honored to present three new features: a luncheon panel featuring a faculty Q&A addressing the graduate student experience, an afternoon Roundtable on the subject of "Revisionist Public History," and a site visit to the Jane Addams Hull-House.

I would like to thank the commentators both from Loyola and from the broader academe who are here simply for the joy of interacting with graduate scholars.

The Conference Committee would also like to offer a special word of thanks to Lillian Hardison, our devoted and knowledgeable Graduate Secretary, for all of her efforts on behalf of the HGSA and all Loyola University Chicago history graduate students.

Again, welcome to Loyola and thank you for your participation in our conference.

Sincerely,

*Amelia Serafine, President
Loyola University Chicago History Graduate Student Association*

8:00-8:45 a.m.

Registration and Continental Breakfast

Beane Hall, Lewis Towers – Floor 13

9:00-10:45 a.m.

Post-War Europe

Corboy Law, Room 206

Papers: *Ravensbrück on Trial: Perceptions of British Leniency in the Postwar German War Crimes Trials*

Beth Healey, Northwestern University

New Light through Old Windows: The Hague Summit & The Roots of the European Union

Peter Moloney, Boston College

“Throwing a Monkey Wrench into the Machinery:” The Federal Reserve System and the Key Currency Alternative to the International Monetary Fund

Timothy Wintour, Kent State University

Comment: Dr. Marek Suszko, Loyola University Chicago

Moderator: Matthew Janeczko, Loyola University Chicago

9:00-10:45 a.m.

Civil Rights

Corboy Law, Room 208

Papers: *Stepping Stone to 64: The Passage of the Civil Rights Acts of 1957 and 1960*
Dawn Cioffoletti, Florida Gulf Coast University

People Who Care v. Rockford School District: Using Legal Means to Right Social Wrongs

Amy Cyplick, Southern Illinois University

Comment: Dr. Kim Searcy, Loyola University Chicago

Moderator: Chris Ramsey, Loyola University Chicago

9:00-10:45 a.m.

Global Riots and Rebellion

Corboy Law, Room 209

Papers: *The Andean Pursuit of Paititi (Utopia) and its Role in the Tupac Amaru Rebellions*

Jim Allocco, Illinois State University

The "Great Calcutta Killing" and the Riots of Noakhali and Tippera: An Exploration into Communal Violence in Bengal, 1946
Stefanie Babb, Florida Gulf Coast University

An Avalanche of Discontent: Sandinista Insurrection as Brubakerian Event
Ryne Clos, University of Notre Dame

Points of the Lance: Counterinsurgency Lessons from, and the Peace Corps in, America's encounter with Malaya, 1954-65
Wen-Qing Ngoei, Northwestern University

Comment: Dr. Dina Berger, Loyola University Chicago

Moderator: Nicole Perez, Loyola University Chicago

9:00-10:45 a.m.

Labor and Laborers

Corboy Law, Room 211

Papers: *An 'Unkempt Army' of Hobos: Gendered Discourse in the IWW's Spokane Free Speech Fight, 1909-1910*
Marc Arenberg, Northeastern Illinois University

"Making Cities for Workmen:" The Failure of Physical Planning and the Rise of Welfare Capitalism in Gary, 1906-1919
Sam Kling, Northwestern University

"Hallelujah, He's a Bum:" Reformers, Muckrakers, and the Creation of the Manly Tramp
Amelia Serafine, Loyola University Chicago

Comment: Dr. Elliot Gorn, Loyola University Chicago

Moderator: Anthony Di Lorenzo, Loyola University Chicago

11:00-12:45 p.m.

Asian Material Culture

Corboy Law, Room 206

Papers: *Refinement through Retail: A. A. Vantine & Co. and the Civilizing Influence of Asian Export 'Art'*
Christa Adams, University of Akron

Chinese Export Silk for the American Market in the 19th Century and the Female Influence
Man Man Huang, University of Macau

Comment: Dr. John Pincince, Loyola University Chicago
Moderator: Kristin Emery, Loyola University Chicago

11:00-12:45 p.m.

Religion and Race in America

Corboy Law, Room 208

Papers: *Between the Movement and the Machine: The Chicago Conference on Religion and Race and the Local Politics of Religious Action, 1963-1984*
Trevor Burrows, Purdue University

An Editor's Ideology: Raymond Bosler, Vatican II, and the Indianapolis Criterion
Michael Skaggs, University of Notre Dame

The Cloak of Whiteness: Popular Representations of Catholics in the Nineteenth and Early Twentieth Centuries
Albert Vogt III, Loyola University Chicago

Comment: Dr. Christopher Cantwell, Assistant Director of the Scholl Center at the Newberry
Moderator: Nathan Jérémie-Brink, Loyola University Chicago

11:00-12:45 p.m.

Rethinking Community History

Corboy Law, Room 209

Papers: *Old Crow Wing: Reviving the Hidden History of a Town*
Carrie Bentley, St. Cloud State University

Animals and the Urban Environment in Chicago, 1837-1930
Katherine Macica, Loyola University Chicago

Vitrine History: From Agent to Artifact at the Hull-House Labor Museum
Gabriel Milner, University of California-Berkeley

Comment: Dr. Patricia Mooney-Melvin, Loyola University Chicago
Moderator: Rachel Boyle, Loyola University Chicago

11:00-12:45 p.m.

American Memory and the 19th Century

Corboy Law, Room 211

Papers: *Bones, Blood, and Soil: Virginian Identity and the Relics of George Washington*
Matthew Costello, Marquette University

*Re-Making a Massacre: Events in Centralia and the Formations of Guerrilla
Memories in Civil War Missouri*
Gregory Ruth, Loyola University Chicago

Comment: Dr. Theodore Karamanski, Loyola University Chicago

Moderator: Kimberly Connelly, Loyola University Chicago

12:45-2:30 p.m.

Lunch and Faculty Panel

Beane Hall, Lewis Towers – Floor 13

Welcome: Dr. Patricia Mooney-Melvin, Loyola University Chicago
Associate Professor of History and Associate Dean of the Graduate School

Faculty Panel on the Graduate Student Experience:

The panelists will address pre-circulated questions posed by graduate students on graduate student life, finding a job in academia, and being an historian.

Panelists: Dr. René Luis Alvarez, Northeastern Illinois University

Dr. Chris Cantwell, Scholl Center at the Newberry

Dr. Edin Hajdarasic, Loyola University Chicago

Dr. Kyle Roberts, Loyola University Chicago

Moderator: Amelia Serafine, Loyola University Chicago

2:45-4:30 p.m.

Revisionist Public History Roundtable

Corboy Law, Room 202

This roundtable is designed to foster discussion of recent efforts to revise interpretation at historic sites. The roundtable will include graduate student conference participants and public history professionals from the Chicago area. Everyone is welcome to attend and participate!

Feature: Dr. Amy Tyson, DePaul University

Host: Devin Hunter, Loyola University Chicago

2:45-4:30 p.m.

Human Bodies, Human Rights

Corboy Law, Room 206

Papers: *On the Impositions of Quacks: Doctors, Dead Bodies, and the Development of the 1752 Murder Act*
Erin Feichtinger, Loyola University Chicago

Commercialization of Women's Postnatal Care in South Korea: Women's Intergenerational Compromise and Rationalization of Domesticity
Eunhee Park, University of Wisconsin-Madison

The American Legal Community and Universal Human Rights, 1942-1950
Lael Weinberger, Northern Illinois University

Comment: Dr. Prudence Moylan, Loyola University Chicago

Moderator: Amy Oberlin, Loyola University Chicago

2:45-4:30 p.m.

Fascist Culture

Corboy Law, Room 208

Papers: *National Symbols? The Oriundi and the Italian National Football Team, 1928-1934*
Salvatore Cipriano, Jr., Fordham University

Futurism and Theater: Rabble, Ruckus, and the Pleasure of Being Booed
Ashley Ray, University of Missouri in St. Louis

Rethinking Sports in the 1930s: Away from Sports as International Political Theater
Keith Rathbone, Northwestern University

Comment: Dr. Anthony Cardoza, Loyola University Chicago

Moderator: Federico Padrones Salvador, Loyola University Chicago

2:45-4:30 p.m.

Gender and European Nationalism

Corboy Law, Room 209

Papers: *A Queen, A Nun, and A Mother: Political Transformations of St. Kinga's Cult*
Alicja Kusiak-Brownstein, University of Michigan

Irish Republican Women and the Creation of the Free State
L.B. Wilson III, Mississippi State University

To be or not to be: The fight for women's reproductive rights
Stephanie Messina, Loyola University Chicago

Comment: Dr. Edin Hajdarasic, Loyola University Chicago

Moderator: Zachary Weber, Loyola University Chicago

2:45-4:30 p.m.

Identity and Self-Determination in the Late 20th Century

Corboy Law, Room 211

Papers: *Learning to Walk in Beauty: The Protection of Identity at Navajo Community College, 1968-1976*
John Goodwin, Arizona State University

Urban Relocation and the Journey to Alcatraz
Natalie Novoa, University of California-Berkley

Comment: Dr. René Luis Alvarez, Northeastern Illinois University

Moderator: Pamela Johnson, Loyola University Chicago

4:45-5:45 p.m.

Reception and Awards

Beane Hall, Lewis Towers – Floor 13

Prizes for the top two conference presentations, as well as an honorable mention for the top Loyola student presentation, will be announced after the conference. Good luck!

Thank you again for attending the Ninth Annual Loyola University Chicago History Graduate Student Conference!



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- Entrance along Michigan Avenue *Floors 2-3*

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