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Centre for Catholic Studies

Catholic Theology in the Public Academy

Programme of Events

2022-23

Notes

All are welcome to attend the events listed herein.

To subscribe to updates about these events, please register for the CCS mailing list at <https://tinyurl.com/ccsmailinglist>.

Catholic Theology Research Seminar

2022-23



The CTRS is a regular forum for scholarly discussion of pertinent issues in the Catholic traditions of theology and Church. The seminar series ranges across the traditional theological disciplines (scriptural, historical, philosophical, systematic, liturgical, ethical and practical/pastoral); Catholic social thought and practice; Catholicism, literature, and the arts; and Lived Catholicism.

Thurs 13 Oct	Dr Jacob Phillips (St Mary's University, Twickenham)	<i>On Criticising Newman's 'Apologia'</i> Seminar for Newman's Feast Day 4.30pm drinks; 5pm seminar	Seminar Rm B
Thurs 10 Nov	Dr Gregory Hillis (Bellarmino University, US)	<i>'Heresy of Individualism': Thomas Merton and Interreligious Dialogue</i>	Online
Thurs 24 Nov	Dr Marc Roscoe Loustau (College of the Holy Cross)	<i>Hungarian Catholic Intellectuals and Christian Nationalism Today</i> A Lived Catholicism seminar	Online
Thurs 19 Jan	Dr Tia Noelle Pratt (Villanova University, US)	<i>Doing THE WORK: Anti-Racism and the Catholic Church</i> A Lived Catholicism seminar, held in partnership with DU Catholic Chaplaincy	Online
Thurs 16 Feb	Prof. Christopher Insole (Durham University)	Paper title TBC	Seminar Rm B
Thurs 16 Mar	Dr Alana Harris (King's College London)	<i>'Student Power in Christ': Mildred Neville, the Young Christian Students Movement, and International Relations in Britain 'After Empire'</i> A Lived Catholicism seminar, held in partnership with Durham University's Catholic Chaplaincy	Seminar Rm B
Thurs 27 Apr	Gareth Rowe (Durham University/CAFOD)	<i>Climate, Covid and Conflict: Can Catholic Social Teaching Show Us the Way Through the Storm?</i> Held in partnership with DU Catholic Chaplaincy	Seminar Rm B
Thurs 11 May	Dr Carmody Grey (Durham University)	Paper title TBC Annual Teilhard Seminar, supported by the British Teilhard Network, held in partnership with Durham University's Catholic Chaplaincy	Seminar Rm B
Mon 5 Jun	Drs Marcus Pound, Catherine Sexton, and Pat Jones (Durham University)	<i>Boundary Breaking: The Ecclesial Cultural Implications of Child Sexual Abuse in the Catholic Context (England & Wales)</i> A Lived Catholicism seminar	Online

Seminars start at 5pm UK time and last for 90 minutes. In-person seminars take place in Seminar Room B in Abbey House, Palace Green, Durham, and are followed by a 15-minute drinks reception unless otherwise specified. All welcome. Please register at <https://centreforcatholicstudies.eventbrite.com> (registration opens two weeks before each seminar).

Ushaw Lecture Series

2022-23



The Ushaw Lecture Series is a public lecture series celebrating the cultural and research significance of the remarkable bibliographical, archival, and material-cultural collections of the Durham Residential Research Library, and the wider history of which they are expressions.

The lectures, covering the arts, architecture, material-culture, politics, science and theology, are open to all. Attendance is free of charge.

Tues 18 Oct	Dr Cormac Begadon (Durham University)	<i>Enlightenment in the English Cloister? The Canonesses of the Holy Sepulchre in Exile and at Home, c. 1750–c. 1815</i>
Thurs 17 Nov	Prof. Michael Snape (Durham University)	<i>Forgetting to Remember: Catholics and Britain's Armed Forces, c. 1900–2020</i>
Tues 6 Dec	Dr Suzanna Ivanic (University of Kent)	<i>Early Modern Catholic Visual Culture</i>
Tues 21 Feb	Prof. Daniel Langton (University of Manchester)	Inaugural Judeo-Christian Lecture <i>Darwin's Jews: Evolutionary Theory, Jewish Thought, and Interfaith Relations</i>
Tues 9 May	Dr Bonnie Lander Johnson (University of Cambridge)	New Catholic women writers book series: <i>Catholic Women Writers in the 20th Century</i>
Weds 21 Jun	HE Cardinal Mario Grech and Sister Nathalie Becquart (Synod of Bishops)	Bishop Dunn Memorial Lecture 2022-23 <i>How Goes the People of God on their Pilgrim Way? Hopes, Challenges, and Prospects for the Catholic Synodal Pathway</i>

Lectures take place in the Exhibition Hall at Ushaw at 6pm, preceded by a drinks reception at 5.30pm in Ushaw's Refectory. Ushaw is the former Catholic seminary 4 miles west of Durham City.

For a map, please see www.ushaw.org. Transport between Durham City and Ushaw can be booked free of charge. If you need help with transport, please register at least 5 working days in advance and indicate your need for transport. All are most welcome.

If you wish to attend, please register via <https://centreforcatholicstudies.eventbrite.com> or 0191 334 1656. Registration opens three weeks before each lecture.

International Scholars of the History of Women Religious Association (ISHWRA)

ISHWRA is an international network of scholars founded in 2021 whose specific focus is to promote and facilitate enquiry into the history of Catholic female religious through a global lens.

Unless otherwise stated, ISHWRA seminars take place at 2pm-3.15pm UK time, and the hybrid seminars take place online and in Abbey House, Palace Green, Durham. The rest of the seminars are fully online.

All are welcome to attend. Registration opens at <https://centreforcatholicstudies.eventbrite.com> three weeks before each seminar.

Weds 26 Oct	Liliana Perez Miguel (Pontificia Universidad Católica del Perú/Universidad de Sevilla)	<i>Making the Law: The Role of Religious Women in the Construction of Law in the Viceroyalty of Peru</i>	Online 1pm BST (GMT+1)
Fri 25 Nov	Isabel Harvey (Université Catholique de Louvain/L'Université du Québec à Montréal)	<i>Non-cloistered Religious Women and Rome at the Aftermath of the Council of Trent: A Journey in Archives</i> Co-organised with USL-B (IN-person at L'Université Saint-Louis, 43 Boulevard du Jardin Botanique, Bruxelles)	Hybrid 3pm GMT
Weds 7 Dec	Kristien Suenens (Katholieke Universiteit Leuven)	<i>Mothers of a Local Church: Gender, Race, and Church Politics and the Emergence of African Sister Congregations in Burundi, Congo, and Rwanda (1900-1950)</i>	Online 2pm GMT
Weds 18 Jan	Elizabethada Wright (University of Minnesota Duluth)	<i>Rejection, Perseverance, Resistance, and Faith: Four Brief Narratives of Catholic Women's Religious Orders in the United States</i>	Online 2pm GMT
Weds 15 Feb	Shannen Dee Williams (University of Dayton)	<i>Bearing Witness to a Silenced Past: Black Catholic Nuns in the African American Freedom Struggle</i>	Online 2pm GMT
Weds 8 Mar	Peggy Dalmas (University of South Alabama)	<i>The Leadership of Catholic Women Religious in American Secular Institutions of Higher Education</i>	Online 2pm GMT
Weds 26 Apr	Susana Monreal (Universidad Católica del Uruguay)	<i>A Long Journey: the Dominican Sisters of Albi in a Transnational and Transcultural Perspective</i>	Online 3pm BST (GMT+1)
Weds 31 May	Ybeth Arias (Universidad Nacional Mayor de San Marcos)	<i>Feminine Agents of Saint Rose of Lima's Devotion in Mexico and Lima, 1600-1800</i>	Online 3pm BST (GMT+1)
Weds 14 June	Pablo Acosta-García (Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona)	<i>Genealogies: Tracing the Genealogy of the Visionary Sermon in Women's Religious Houses</i>	Online 3pm BST (GMT+1)

The Centre for Catholic Studies' Book Launch Series

2022-23

A series of online events celebrating and reflecting upon CCS members' newly released publications. All are welcome: come along, hear about a new book, meet new people, and help us celebrate the launches!

Tues 24 Jan	Paul D. Murray, Gregory A. Ryan, and Paul Fairfield	<i>Receptive Ecumenism as Transformative Ecclesial Learning: Walking the Way to a Church Re-formed</i>	5.30pm GMT
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Details of other events in the series TBC.

Centre for Catholic Studies Conferences

2022/23

5 June
2023

Early Career Conference in Catholic Theology and Catholic Studies

This is a chance for postgraduates and other early career scholars working in any aspect of contemporary Catholic theology and/or Catholic studies to present and discuss their research in a collegial environment. This year's conference will be held online. The call for papers and registration details will be circulated in early 2023.

11 - 13
July
2023

Popery, Politics and Prayer: British and Irish Catholicism

Fourth Early Modern British and Irish Catholicism Conference

This conference will concentrate on the relationship between politics and British and Irish Catholicism and will mark the 450th anniversary of the papal bull *Regnans in Excelsis*, through which Pope Pius V excommunicated Queen Elizabeth I. From that point on, the questions surrounding British and Irish Catholicism became unescapably political, the line between the temporal and the spiritual even more blurred than previously. This conference will consider: the relationships between politics and Catholicism in the widest possible framework, including through political debates and differences between English, Irish, Scottish and Welsh Catholics, as well as the global Church; the politics of religious exile; spirituality and theology as polemic; State consideration of British and Irish Catholics in the political sphere; and Catholics as political players in the non-Catholic imagination. The conference will consider a broad timeframe - c.1530-1800 – and it will be multi-disciplinary, including perspectives from History, Literary Studies, Theology, Philosophy, Musicology, and Art History.

The St Cuthbert's and Holy Name Lecture Series

2022/23

A public lecture series by staff members of the Centre for Catholic Studies at Durham University hosted by St Cuthbert's Catholic Church, Old Elvet, Durham, and the Holy Name Catholic Church, Jesmond, Newcastle.

Lectures take place at 7pm and there is no need to book a place.

Autumn 2022 Dr Marcus Pound
Theology and Comedy: A workshop
Thurs 3 Nov: St Cuthbert's
Weds 16 Nov: Holy Name – *POSTPONED TO SUMMER 2023*

Spring 2023 Prof. Rik Van Nieuwenhove
The Beauty and the Significance of the Blessed Jan von Ruusbroec's Mystical Theology of the Trinity
Thurs 9 Mar: Holy Name
Weds 15 Mar: St Cuthbert's

Summer 2023 Dr Carmody Grey
Details TBC