



St Hilda's College Research Events

Issue 2

Trinity Term 2015

Events in College

DANSOX

Mapping Motion: impulse, object and trajectory



Tuesday, May 19,
2015 - 5:30pm to
7:00pm,
Jacqueline du Pre
Building

Kim Brandstup will conduct a workshop presentation with Royal Ballet dancer, Marcelino Sambé, and others to explore choreographers' methods and sources. The event is free and open to all and will be followed by refreshments. Booking via: <https://eventbrite.co.uk/event/16378395221/>

The Fascist Legs of Serge Lifar: French Ballet under the Occupation



Thursday, June 4, 2015
- 5:30pm to 7:00pm

Jacqueline du Pre
Building

[Professor Mark Franko](#) (Temple University, US), renowned dance scholar, gives a lecture on his recent research on the important early twentieth-century choreographer 'Serge Lifar'.

This event is free and open to all and will be followed by refreshments. Booking via: <https://eventbrite.co.uk/event/16611691015/>

Philosophy Symposium

Convention an Imagination: Authors meets Critics

Monday May 18th, 5.00 pm, The Lady Brodie Room, followed by a reception

The speakers are Ernie Lepore and Matthew Stone, authors of *Convention and Imagination* (OUP 2014). Arguing that language provides diverse tools for making ideas public, and that communication recruits distinct kinds of imagination, the work synthesizes results from across cognitive science into a new account of meaning in language. The critics are Professor John Hawthorne, Waynflete Professor of Metaphysical philosophy at Magdalen College, Oxford, and Professor Robyn Carston, a linguist from UCL. All are welcome. Contact: manuel.dries@philosophy.ox.ac.uk

The Principal's Research Seminar

May 20th 5.30 This seminar will be given by a member of the Fellowship. All are welcome, please save the date. More details to follow.

Research Events in College

Choreographing the Katabasis: A danced translation of Homer's *Odyssey*

From 1 June to 5 June, choreographer Cathy Marston will be artist-in-residence at St Hilda's College, working with Tom Sapsford and professional dancers on a project entitled 'Choreographing the Katabasis'. The aim of this

project is to explore how the mythical content of Odysseus' visit to the underworld (the *katabasis*) in *Odyssey* Book 11, as well as its dactylic hexameter metrical form, can be translated into the medium of dance. **The project culminates on Friday 5 June with a Lecture-Demonstration in the Lecture theatre at the Ioannou Centre, 66 St Giles', at 5pm. This event is free, open to all, with no booking.**

Prisoners' Families and Social Inequality

Dr Rachel Condry is organizing an invitational international symposium at St Hilda's on June 25th and 26th. It will examine the meaning of 'justice' within criminal justice and consider how the state's power is used in relation to those who are socially disadvantaged.

Talks by College Fellows elsewhere in the University

Maia Chankseliani (JRF) is talking in the Department of Education, 15 Norham Gardens on June 18th 12.30-1.45 on 'World Skills and Entrepreneurship: strengths and limitations of the study design, data analysis and findings'.

Fellows' Research News



[Professor Sir Gordon Duff, has been appointed as the new Chair of the Biotechnology and Biological Sciences Research Council](#)

Professor Julia Schnabel (Engineering) has been awarded a 2 year International Exchanges Scheme with Prof Kensaku Mori, Nagoya University, Japan to collaborate on 'Image Data Science for Lung Cancer'.

Dr Rachel Condry (Criminology) has been working with the Home Office to produce a guidance document on adolescent to parent violence, as a follow-up to her ESRC study. https://www.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/418400/Final-APVA.pdf

Professor Julia Yeomans (Physics) has received funding from HORIZON 2020 as a member of ABIOMATER, one of the first round of Future and Emerging Technologies (FET) Open projects. ABIOMATER aims to deliver a new class of metamaterials whose functionality can be controlled by external magnetic fields.

In early May Professor Anne Edwards (Education) is a visiting Boeing Scholar at the University of Washington where her work on relational expertise is informing their Education-community links.

Academic Visitor

We are pleased to welcome Professor Mustansir Barma who will be staying in the physics flat in Milham Ford from May 18th - June 19th and will be a visiting member of the SCR. Professor Barma is a physicist who has just stepped down after 7 years as Director of the Tata Institute of Fundamental Research, Mumbai, and is currently Distinguished Professor at TIFR. He is a Fellow of the Indian Academy of Sciences and until recently was a Member of the Scientific Advisory Council to the Prime Minister of India.

MCR Research Poster Event TT

May 6th 6.45 Vernon Harcourt Room

Immediately prior to the Graduate Supervisors' Dinner five MCR Students will be presenting research posters - please try to arrive in time to engage in discussion with the presenters.

Students and SCR who are not attending the Dinner are very welcome.

Alumnae Research News

Eleanor Rawling (St Hilda's Geography 1967-70) has been Lead Geography Consultant to the DfE, Oct 2012-Dec 2014, advising on changes to National Curriculum, GCSE and AS/A level.

All notices for the MT 2015 issue should be sent by September 20th to Maoliosa Kelly at: research@st-hildas.ox.ac.uk