Stokes Seminar Schedule, Fall 2021

Our plan is to hold the Stokes Seminars in-person this fall, but in the event that the campus goes into lock-down, sessions will be taking place online via Teams. The Stokes Seminar happens on Fridays, between 3:30 and 5:00 p.m. in Room 1170 of the McCain Building (next to the Dept. of History). In addition to being distributed electronically, papers will also be available in the dept. office.

Please note that we are beginning a new departmental feature this semester entitled “Trends in History” wherein the last session will be dedicated to a panel-style discussion by two faculty members about a recent book/article which has generated considerable debate in a particular field/area of history.

Questions about the Stokes Seminar can be sent to Colin Mitchell at c.mitchell@dal.ca or Michele Edgerton at gradhist@dal.ca

Schedule

Sept. 24 – Dr. Denis Kozlov (Dalhousie University) - "Village Prose, the Thaw, and Soviet Peasantry: A Reading Audience That Was Not There?"

Oct. 1 – Dr. Jack Crowley (Dalhousie University) – “New Facts: Calculating Averages in Early Modern Europe and Britain”

Oct. 8 – Dr. Will Langford (Dalhousie University) - “Apartheid Internationalism: Canadians in Solidarity with White Rule in Southern Africa, 1965-1994"

Oct. 15 – Dr. Barton Scott (University of Toronto) - "Codifying Blasphemy: 'Religious Feelings' between Colony and Metropole."

Oct. 22 – Chris Baldwin (University of Toronto) – “‘The Basest of All Modern Warfare’: Privateering and Enslavement in the Caribbean, 1739–1763”

Oct. 29 – Dr. Krista Kesselring (Dalhousie University) - "Queen Elizabeth's Swedish Gossips: Female Friends and Family in Early Modern England."
Nov. 5 – Dr. Colin Osmond (Mount Saint Vincent University) - “Reflections on the Utility of ‘Settler Colonialism’ as a Theoretical Lens in Canadian History”

Nov. 12 – NO SESSION


Nov. 26 – Dr. Jamie Jelinski (Dalhousie University) - “Who and Where was ‘Sailor Joe’?: Tattooing, Popular Entertainment, and Investigation by the FBI and RCMP, 1899-1965”

Dec. 3 – **Trends in History Session** with Drs. Will Langford and Aaron Wright (Dalhousie University): “Water Power: A discussion of Brittney Luby’s *Dammed: The Politics of Loss and Survival in Anishinaabe Territory*"