

Stokes Seminar Schedule, Winter 2022

It appears that we'll be starting the semester online, and thus the Stokes Seminar will be held at its usual time via MS Teams until further notice. Stokes Seminar papers will be distributed electronically in preparation for our usual discussions on Fridays at 3:30-5:00 p.m.

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

Schedule

Jan. 21 – Dr. Justin Roberts (Dalhousie University) – “Corruption of the Air: Disease and Climate Change in the Rise of English Caribbean Slavery”

Jan. 28 – Dr. Charmaine Nelson (NSCAD) – “The Precariousness of Freedom: Slave Resistance as Experience, Process, and Representation”

Feb. 4 – No scheduled session.

Feb. 11 – Heywot Tadesse (Dalhousie University), “Feast or famine? Or feast or work?: The significance of labour conditions to the height development of enslaved children in the antebellum US South”

Feb. 18 – Simon Fisher (University of Wisconsin-Madison), “Sketching a History of the Trans 'New Negro'” (ONLINE)

Feb. 25 – Reading Break

March 4 – To be confirmed

March 11 – Dr. Hannah Wood (Acadia University), “Finite Economies and Alms Competition: Bequests to the Friars and the Poor in the Court of Husting Probate Records, c.1260–1430.”

March 18 – Dr. Priyamvada Gopal (Cambridge University) - T.B.A.

March 25 – Dr. Cheryl Fury (University of New Brunswick) – “Joyful Executions aboard English East India Company ships (c. 1601-1621)”

April 1 - Dr. Parisa Zahiremami (University of King’s College), “The Politics of Patronage in the late Ghaznavid period: Sanā’ī (d. 1131 or 1135) and His Royal Patron Bahrāmshāh (r. 1117–1157)”