Conference Program

# Kings & Queens 13

Gift-Giving & Communication Networks in Paris and at the Château de Châteaudun

MAY 27-29 2024





ROYAL STUDIES NETWORK



UNIVERSITY OF BIRMINGHAM

# Day One

#### 9h00-10h00

# **KEYNOTE**

#### Why Study Kings & Oueens in 2024?

Rooms | C-102, C-103, C-104

Ellie Woodacre University of Winchester Jonathan Spangler Manchester Metropolitan University

Introduction Kathleen Wilson-Chevalier

# 10h00-10h30

Coffee break

# 10h30-12h00

# SESSIONS

#### Gift-Giving and Communication Networks Between Castilian and **English Monarchies in** the Late 12th-Early 13th Century

**Room |** C-102 Organizer | Hélène Sirantoine Chair | Zita Rohr

From the Royal Palace to the Cathedral, and Back: English Clerics in North Iberia and the Configuration of Discourses Around the Castilian Monarchy

Amaia Arizaleta Université de Toulouse

Gifts from Henry II to Alfonso VIII: Marriage Alliance and Royal Communication Between England and Castile in the Late Twelfth Century José Manuel Cerda Universidad San Sebastián (Chile)

Monarchic History as Networking: Around the "Emperors of Spain" of Ralph the Black's Chronica universalis Hélène Sirantoine The University of Sydney

#### Female Networking at Early Modern Courts **Room |** C-103

Chair | Cynthia Brown

The Emperor's Daughters: Gifts, Lineage, and Affections Across Sixteenth-Century Habsburg Europe Alicia Sempere Marín Universidad de Murcia (Spain)

Legacies and the Public Image of Sixteenth-Century Queen Consorts Charlotte Samways University of Southampton

Gift-Giving "en miniature": Portrait Miniatures As Agents of Royal Female Networking at Early Modern European Courts Karin Schrader Independent Scholar

#### **Diplomatic Gifts Room |** C-104

Chair | Cinzia Recca

New Findings on the Diplomatic Gifts of the Duke of Urbino to Philip III of Spain in 1593 Àngel Campos-Perales\*\* Universidad Nacional de Educación a Distancia

The Pope's Horse: The Royal Gift in the Writings of Stefano Borgia and Francesco S. Salfi (1788) Gabriella Tigani Sava University of Malta and University of Padua

Hunting Presents: Gift-Giving Hunting Equipment of the Medici Cathérine Annette Lüdwig-Ockenfels Justus-Liebig-Universität, Giessen

#### Unwanted Gifts

**Room |** 0604 Chair | Kelly Peebles

"Good God if we are discovered": Romance. Illness and Gift-Giving in the Georgian Court Carolyn A. Day Furman University Amelia Rauser Franklin & Marshall College

The Bad Image of a Gift-Giver: How Afonso VI of Portugal Gifted the Wrong People, and How It Led to His Misrepresentation André Caracol Teixeira Centro de História da Universidade de Lisboa

The Presence of Toledo in a Courtly Gift: The Political

Strategy of the III Marquis of Falces for the Repositioning of the Imperial City as the Head of Spain Gerardo Rappazzo Amura Universidad Nacional de

Educacion a Distancia

#### Gift-Giving in Royal Circles **Room I** O801 Chair I Ellie Woodacre

"Catamite Who Rules Alone the State": Gift-Giving and Roval Favourites at the Court of King William III Jack Beesley Manchester Metropolitan University

The Gift-Giviing of a Sidestepped Royal Heir: The Gifts and Court of Duke Johan of Sweden, 1600–1618 Alexander Isacsson Lund University, Sweden

Feliks Dobrzyński's Suite "Musical Pictures of the Twelve Nations": Reconsidering the "Imperial" in the Music Gift for Alexander II's Coronation Oksana Grigoreva and Nikita Pliusnin Saint Petersburg State University

# 12h00-13h00

Lunch

# 13h00-14h30

SESSIONS

### Queenship and Cross-Border Networks of Communication

**Room I** C-102 Organizer | Johanna Strong Chair I Ellie Woodacre

Cross-Border Networks of Communication: Strengthening, Memorialising, and Representing Queenship in England and Scotland from the Twelfth Century to the Present Day.

The Legacy of Mary I in John Foxe's Acts and Monuments Johanna Strong University of Winchester

Anna of Denmark's Oueenship across Borders Amy Saunders University of Winchester

Twelfth-Century England: Two Courts and Two Queens Ashlee Johnson University of Winchester

# **English Queens in Henry** VIII's Orbit: Anne Boleyn, Katherine Howard and Mary I

**Room |** C-103 Chair | Sheila ffolliot

"Kisses, Touchings, Gifts, and Other Infamous Incitations": Adulterous Gift-Giving in Tudor England Conor Byrne University of Southampton

Gifts and Negative Communication: The Case of Oueen Katherine Howard

University of Newcastle,

The Power of Networks and the Networks of Power: Mary I's Gift-Giving Practice Melita Thomas University College London

Early Medieval Gift-Giving I

Room | C-104 Chair I Anna Russakoff

Weapons, Gold and Relics: Norwegian Royal Gift-Giving During the Viking Age Karl Alvestad\*\* University of South-Eastern Norway

"Ego autem Anna, corde intelligens..." The Endowment of Saint-Vincent of Senlis by Queen Anna Yaroslavna of France (d. between 1075 and 1079) Talia Zajac Niagara University

Oueen of France in Name & Deed: Ingeborg of Denmark's Gift-Giving to the Hospitaller Order, and the Definition of Capetian Oueenship Darren Henry-Noel Queen's University, Kingston, Ontario

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# Michele Seah Australia

#### Politics and Diplomatic Gift-Giving

Room | C-604 Chair | Silvia Mitchell

Information as a Gift: Informants at the Court of Rudolf II Kateřina Pražáková University of South Bohemia (Czech Republic)

Annibale Iberti, Philip III et Vincenzo Gonzaga: Un Triangle dans les mains de Rubens entre Mantoue et Valladolid Laura Garcia Sanchez\*\* Université de Barcelone

Safavid and Mughal Courtly Gift-Giving in Comparative Perspective Ahmad Guliyev\*\* Institute of History of Azerbaijan National Academy of Sciences

#### Immaterial Gifts

Room | Q-801 Chair | Zita Rohr

The Gift of Good Advice: Louis VII of France's Crusader Manuscript **Myra M. Bom** University of Cambridge

The Gift of Pardon: French Kings' "Grace and Mercy" Aleksandra "Sasha" Pfau Hendrix College

The Circulation of Goods as an Instrument of Diplomacy: From Gifts to Ideas **Sofia Degli Esposti** *University of Pavia*  \*\* indicates an online presenter

#### 14h30-15h00

Coffee break

#### 15h00-16h30

### SESSIONS

Networks of Exchange: Gifts, Epistolary Interactions, and Cultural Transmission in Late Medieval and Early Modern Aragon & France Room | C-102

**Organizer |** Zita Rohr **Chair |** Ellie Woodacre

Matha of Armagnac's "Crown Affair"(1378): Gift-Giving, and Its Political Consequences and Conflicts in the Late Medieval Crown of Aragon Alexandra Beauchamp Université de Limoges

Réseaux de cadeaux et de communication de Yolande de Bar avec le Maghreb **Claire Ponsich** Université de Pau/Paris I Sorbonne

Making Friends with Music and Books: Networking Political Gifts and Cultural Exchange in Late Medieval Aragon and France Zita Rohr Macquarie University Sydney, Australia

#### Gifts from the Dead Room | C-103 Chair | Sheila ffolliot

The Power of the Testament: Unveiling Medici Women's Agency Isaac Carreon Manchester Metropolitan University

Gifts From the Dead: Gift-Giving in Early Modern Royal Testaments **Charlotte Backerra** *University of Göttingen* 

Embodying Dynasty Through Gift-Giving and to the Very End: The Testamentary Gifts of Mariana of Austria (1634-1696) Silvia Z. Mitchell Universidad Rey

Juan Carlos Purdue University

**Gifting the Living Room |** C-104 **Chair |** Tracy Adams

Diplomacy, Deference and Desire: Animal Gift-Giving in the Scottish Court of James VI, c.1579-1603 **Nicole Cumming** *University of Strathclyde and the University of Glasgow* 

Gifts of Life and Death: Royal Gifts of the Living & the Dead Fabian Persson Linnaeus University

Les largesses du roi-parrain en France : les cadeaux de Louis XVI à ses filleuls, entre générosité royale et système réglé Julien Muet Sorbonne Université

#### Diplomatic Gifts Room | Q-604 Chair | Michele Seah

The Magnificence of a Great Lord: John of Gaunt, Duke of Lancaster, Pretender to the Throne of Castile and His Gifts for His Family and Vassals

Manuela Santos Silva Universidade de Lisboa

Dépasser les rivalités et communiquer grâce au don : le rôle des cadeaux diplomatiques entre les Médicis et les Este au XVIe siècle André Rocco

Université de Liège

Material Necessities and Royal Patronage: John V's Donation to the Oratorians and Its Meaning for Brigantine Cultural Politics in 18th-Century Portugal Filipe Marques Fernandes Universidade de Lisboa

#### Gift-Giving and Self-Fashioning

Room | Q-801 Chair | Kathleen Wilson-Chevalier Gift-Giving, Material Communication and Self-Fashioning in the French Adventures of James V, 1536-1537 Lucy Dean University of Highlands and Islands 'H for Henry': Catherine de' Medici and Clement VII's Sartorial Strategy -- A Wedding Gift to Fashion a Medici Princess of France Emily Averiss Warburg Institute

The Power of Black Velvet Royal Gift-Giving and the Creation of the New Elite in 16th-Century Sweden **Sofia Ekelund** Stockholm University

The Emperor's New Books: Pedro II of Brazil Between Cultural Diplomacy and Identity-Making Augusto Petter The European University Institute Florence

# 16h30-16h45

#### Break

# 16h45-18h15

# SESSIONS

To Take or Not to Take: The Question of the Gift in French Courtly Diplomacy / À prendre ou à laisser : la question du cadeau dans la diplomatie de cour française Room | C-102 Organizer | John Condren Chair | Jonathan Spangler

Guardianship and Gift-Giving: The Role of Gifts in the Relationship Between John Stuart, Duke of Albany, James V of Scotland, and Catherine de' Medici **Pauline van Thienen** L'École des chartes

Impolite Refusals:Problematic Gifts from Versailles to Venice Philippa Woodcock University of the Highlands and Islands

Negotiating Neutrality Through the Use of Gifts: Tommaso del Bene's Sojourn as Tuscan Envoy in France, 1690–91 John Condren University of Nottingham

Women's Networks Through Books Room | C-103 Chair | Cynthia Brown

Dons et la dimension politique de la bibliothèque de Jeanne de Laval Anne-Marie Legaré Université de Lille III-Charlesde-Gaulle

Women's Book Gifting Beyond the Mother-Daughter Relationship **S. C. Kaplan\*\*** *University of California, Santa Barbara* 

An Accidental Female Network: Diane de Poitiers and Fleurette d'Armagnac as Forgotten Arbiters of Joan of Arc's Memory **Deborah McGrady** *University of Virginia* 

## Gift-Giving in Medieval England and France

Room | C-104 Chair | Elizabeth L'Estrange

A Commemorative Manuscript for Marie and a Coronation Gift from Marie Christene D'Anca\*\* University of California, Santa Barbara

Gifts, Pay, or Use? The Bonvillars Family and King Edward I of England Wendy J. Turner Augusta University

De la circulation des couronnes des reines de France au XIVe siècle Diane Antille Musée d'art et d'histoire de Neuchôtel

From the Dauphin to Henry VI: Gifting and Appropriating Personal Prayer Books as a Declaration of Lancastrian Legitimacy in France Amit Orly Tel-Aviv University

# Nineteenth- and Twentieth-Century Politics of Presents

Room | Q-604 Chair | Cindy McCreery

Gift Exchange and International Relations in the 19th Century: Prussian Norms and Practices in European Context Annelie Grosse Berlin-Brandenburgische Akademie der Wissenschaften Prince Alfred and the Brokerage of a Dynastic Union Aidan Jones\*\* King's College London

From Tradition to Strategy: Elizabeth II's Active Role in Cold War Diplomacy Falko Schnicke Johannes Keppler University of Linz

#### Early Medieval Gift-Giving

II Room | Q-801 Chair | Anna Russakoff

Queen Sancha's Gift: Sancha of León and Her Image in the Liber Diurnus of King Fernando I Mariana J. Guzman Gomez Aguado University of Missouri, Columbia

The Esiteroi of Agnes of France: Forming Bonds of Solidarity in 12th-Century Byzantium Erin L. Jordan Colorado State University

The Gift of Virginity in the Story of Duke Kęstutis and Birutė: Between the Epic and the Realities of 14th-Century Lithuanian Society **Vytas Jankauskas** *Vytautas Magnus University* 

Gifts in the Hundred Years' War, Particularly During the Reign of Fernando I and Leonor Teles (1367-1383) Isabel de Pina Baleiras Université de Lisboa



#### 9h00-10h30

SESSIONS

#### Gifts to and from Asian and European Empires

Room | C-102 Organizer | Cindy McCreery Chair | Susan Conway

Bearing Gifts and Traversing Afar: Embassies and Presents from Asian Monarchs to Emperor Napoleon III of France **Robert Aldrich** *The University of Sydney* 

Queen Victoria's Font: Vying for Spiritual Sovereignty in Mandalay Penny Edwards University of California, Berkeley Precious Souvenirs: Royal gifts and Purchases Acquired on Prince Alfred's Tour of Asia, 1868-70 Cindy McCreery The University of Sydney

The Policies of Gift-Giving of Medieval Queens I: Protocol, Political Communication, and Queenly Identities

Room | C-103 Organizer | Diana Pelaz Flores Chair | Manuela Santos Silva Sponsor | MUNARQAS 2.0 Research

"Pro vestra amiticia et vestro bono amore": Gift Exchanges and Politics of the Infantas in the Leon-Castile High Middle Ages

Carla Trincado Rodriguez University of Santiago de Compostela

"(S)he who does not give what (s)he loves, does not receive what (s)he desires": Eleanor of Provence's Political Communication Through Her Gift-Giving Paula Del Val Vales University of Lincoln

Unravelling Royal Generosity in 14th-Century Iberia: Gift-Giving Policies of Violant of Bar, Queen of the Crown of Aragon 1387-1396 Lledó Ruiz Domingo University of Lisbon, University of Spain

A Gift for Every Occasion: Good Taste and Protocol in the Gift-Giving from/to the Queens of Castile in the Late Middle Ages Diana Pelaz Flores University of Santiago de Compostela

#### Childbearing, Prayers and Reliquary Fever

Room | C-104 Chair | Elizabeth L'Estrange

"Whan she was comen into hir great chamber": The Royal Childbirth Experience as a Location of Female Textile Gift-Giving and Networks Amy Burcher Independent Scholar

Prayers for an Heir: Catherine de Médicis' Use of Religious Networks and Communities to Remedy Her Childlessness Alexandra Forsyth University of Auckland

"Now I can already assemble a pretty formidable shrine": Relic Fever in 16th-Century Spain Julia Gebke Austrian Academy of Sciences, Institute for Habsburg and Balkan Studies

The Age of Queens Claude de France and Leonor of Austria: Inside and Outside the Realm Room | Q-604 Chair | Gabriella Scarlatta

The Plague in the Age of Claude de France Brenton Hobart The American University of Paris Elephant, Rhinoceros, Jaguar: Exchanging Diplomatic Gifts with the King of Portugal, "Lord of the Conquest" Marcos Marinho Fernandes Université d'Aix-Marseille

From Habsburg With Love: The Gift and Communication Network of Leonor of Austria as Queen of France Maxim Hoffman Ghent University

#### **Gifts of Protection**

Room | Q-801 Chair | Jonathan Spangler

The Court of Louis XVIII and Gifts: Maintaining a Network, Between Family Ties, Affections and Dependence Mathieu Mensch University of Strasbourg

Gifting Asylum, Courting Conflict: Don Carlos in Bourges, 1839-1845 Joseph Puchner Princeton University

Gifts of Protection: Negotiating Political Hegemony with the Dutch by Princes of Bali (1846-1908) Nur'ain Binte Taha Utrecht University

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10h30-11h00

Coffee break

# SESSIONS

#### Gifts from "Independent" States: China, the Indian Princely States and Siam

Room | C-102 Organizer | Cindy McCreery Chair | Cindy McCreery

Special Gifts from a Special Ambassador? Chinese Diplomat Li Jonzhang's Presents for Queen Victoria, 1896 Rachel Peat Underhill\*\* Royal Collection Trust, UK

Plane Gifts: Aerial Technology as Gifts Between the Indian Princes and the British Crown (1914-1945) Priya Mirza\*\* University of Delhi

Tribute Systems and Power Struggles: Local and International Gift Exchange in 19th-Century Siam Susan Conway University of Sussex

#### The Policies of Gift-Giving of Medieval Queens II: Exchange Networks and Geographies of Favours

Room | C-103 Organizer | Diana Pelaz Flores Chair | Manuela Santos Silva Sponsor | MUNARQAS 2.0 Research

Non Gift-Giving as a Gesture of Diplomatic Offense:The

Case of Olga of Kyiv's Embassy in Constantinople in 955

Cristian López Ushakov University of Santiago de Compostela

Building a Cathedral: Royal Donations to the See of Lugo Within the Frame-Work of a Construction Project **Celia Vila Fernández** *University of Santiago de Compostela* 

The Gifts of the Dukes of Beja to the Churches of the Duchy: Power and Representation in Portugal in the 15th Century Maria Barreto Dávila University of Lisbon

The Relational Networks of Mary of Aragon and Castile, Queen of Portugal (r. 1500-1517) Inês Olaia & Ana María Rodrigues University of Lisbon

# Gifts Associated with Anne Boleyn

Room | C-104 Chair | Cynthia Brown

Gift-Giving and Two Books of Hours That Belonged to Anne Boleyn Kate McCaffrey Castle Historian & Assistant Curator at Hever Castle

The French Psalter of Anne Boleyn: Gift-Giving at the Henrician Courtin the 1530s Sophie Bacchus-Waterman University of London A Gift to Queen Elizabeth Regifted: Reinterpreting the Legend of the Boleyn Cup of Cirencester Jane A. Lawson Emory University

Forms of the Gift: Practices, Symbols and Objects in/at Italian Courts of the Ancient Regime (17th-18th Centuries)

Room | Q-604 Chair | Gabriella Scarlatta

La diplomatie des saveurs : les cadeaux alimentaires de la cour de Savoie dans la deuxième moitié du XVIIe siècle Andrea Merlotti

Centro studi del Consorzio delle Residenze Reali Sabaude

Le don sacré : Côme III et la Toscane dévote (XVIIe-XVIIIe siècles) Vincenzo Lagioia University of Bologna

"The Chinea": From Feudal Gift to Object of Contention Between the Papacy and the Bourbon Kingdom of Naples in the 18th Century **Cinzia Recca** University of Catania

The Art of Gift-Giving at the Milanese Court of Archduke Ferdinand Habsburg-Lorraine (1771-1796) **Elena Riva** Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore

# Political and Epistolary Networks in 16th- and 18th-Century Europe

Room | Q-801 Chair | Ellie Woodacre

Royal Letter-Writing in the16th Century: The Edition of the Letters-Missive of Francis I David Potter\*\* University of Kent

Recognition and Rewards: Letters of Recommendation in the Correspondence of the Archdukes Albert and Isabella (1598-1621) **Dries Raeymaekers** Radboud University in Nijmegen, the Netherlands

The Return of the Female Courtier: Women's Political Networks Under the Directory (1795–1799) **Christine Adams** *St. Mary's College of Maryland* 

Aspects of 18th-Century Diplomacy: Exchanges of Gifts Between the Neapolitan Court and the Ottoman Empire, the Regency of Tripoli and Russia Salvatore Bottari University of Messina & Mirella Vera Mafrici University of Salerno

# 12h30-13h30

# 13h30-15h00

# SESSIONS

"All these I gave, seemed to give pleasure": A Comparative Analysis of Intellectual, Colonial, Theatrical, and Religious Contexts

Room | C-102 Chair | Cinzia Recca

Mapping Power: Gift Exchanges and Colonial Expansion in the Reigns of Charles II and James II **Camila de Koning** *Historic Royal Palaces & the University of Manchester* 

A Champion of Religion? Money for "poore women" and the Performative Gifting of Mary II Holly Marsden Historic Royal Palaces & University of Winchester

"Like a highly instructive book": Reading as an Instrument of Intellectual Exchange in the Life of Queen Victoria Gabrielle Fields Historic Royal Palaces, University of Exeter & University of Reading

Queenly Gifts in Medieval Iberia and the Visual Communication of Female Power Room | C-103 Organizer | Verónica Carla Abenza Soria Chair | Elena Paulino-Montero Sponsor | MARCAM-Las Mujeres y las Artes en la Castilla Medieval. Promoción, Recepción y Capacidades de Acción

Queens, Countesses, and Elite Women from Northern Spain: Female Power and Transcultural Objects Verónica Abenza Soria Universidad Complutense de Madrid

Refashioning the "Adulterous" Queen: The Specular Court of Juana de Portugal (+1475) Ángel Fuentes-Ortiz Universidad Complutense de Madrid

Iberian Queens and the Preservation of Dynastic Memory through Textiles Maria Judith Feliciano Museo Nacional del Prado

# Visual and Political Images of Women

Room | C-104 Chair | Elizabeth L'Estrange

Eleanor of Provence's Gift-Giving and Political Networks Abby Armstrong University of Hamburg

Effacing the Printers in Women's Books of Hours **Mary Beth Winn** State University of New York, Albany

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The "Gift" of the Golden Age: An Analysis of Anne Boleyn's 1533 Coronation Procession Kristen Engel\*\* University of Connecticut

#### Weapon-Related Gift-Giving in Early Modern Europe

Room | Q-604 Chair | Robert Aldrich

Offerings to Mars: Diplomatic Gifts in Warfare Context on the Acclamation Eve of D. Filipe I of Portugal **Milton Pacheco\*\*** *Universidade de Coimbra* 

Gifts by the Sword: Fencing Masters, Their Patrons and Gift Exchange in Early Modern Europe **Rob Runacres** *University of Winchester* 

Gifts for August the Strong: Electoral Saxony and Military Gifts Cathleen Sarti University of Oxford

#### Gift-Giving Worldwide

Room | Q-801 Chair | Susan Conway

Gifts for the Emperor of China: Jesuits and European Embassies at the Ming and Qing Courts in the 16th and 17th Centuries Vittoria Vaccaro Scuola Normale Superiore di Pisa

"She received my heartfelt effusion very well..." GiftGiving and the Relationship Between Catherine II and Empress Elizabeth Petrovna Charlotte Valis University of York

Gift Exchange Between the Princess of Joinville and the Emperor of Brazil: Family Affection and Circulation of Objects Between France and Brazil (1843-1848) Enzo Novello University of Coimbro

#### 15h00-15h30

Break

#### 15h30-17h00

# SESSIONS

#### French Royal Networks

Room | C-102 Chair | Cynthia Brown

Le réseau angevin d'Anne de Bretagne au service de sa fille, Renée Michel Nassiet Université d'Angers

The Tragic Deaths of Claude de France's Children and the Processing of Grief Through Poetry Kelly Peebles Clemson University

Entourage savoysien à la cour de Claude de France Daniela Cereia Archivio di Stato Torino

#### Queens, Material Culture and Territory: Communication Strategies in Medieval Iberia

Room | C-103 Organizer | Elena Paulino-Montero Chair | Ángel Fuentes-Ortiz Sponsor | Femarte: Arte, Territorio y Poder en Femenino en la Castilla bajomedieval

Luxury Exchange and Female Nobility Networks: Some Reflections on Queenly Gift-Giving in Medieval Castile **Ana Echevarría-Arsuaga** *Universidad Nacional de Educación a Distancia* 

Objects, Letters, People: Materializing Royal Initials in the Iberian Peninsula **Neus Serra-Vives** *Universitat de les Illes Balears* 

The Long-Lived Resonance of a Royal Nun: Visual and Territorial Communication Strategies of Constanza de Castilla (+1478) Maria Teresa Chicote-Pompanin Universidad Complutense de Madrid

Eucharistic Devotion and Female Gifts in the Court of Isabel I (1474-1504) **Elena Paulino-Montero** *Universidad Nacional de Educación a Distancia* 

# Gift-Giving and Cultural Exchange in Early Modern East-Central Europe

Room | C-104 Chair | Ellie Woodacre

Bona Sforza's Female Network in the 16th Century: Gift Exchange, Development of Style, Building of Collections and Prestigein Light of the Correspondence With Lucrezia Borgia and Isabella d'Este

Olga Hajduk Polish Academy of Sciences

The King's Spindly Legs: Henry of Valois, Crimean Tatars, Diplomacy and Gift-Giving, 1574 Katarzyna Kosior

Northumbria University, UK

Louise Marie Gonzaga de Nevers and Maria Kazimiera d'Arquien Sobieska: Two Foreign Queens on the Polish Throne and the Practice of Gifts as a Political Tool Jarosław Pietrzak Pedagogical University of Kraków

# Network Building in Italy and Across Europe

Room | Q-604 Chair | Sheila ffolliot

Fateful Peregrinations and the Album of Louise de Coligny **Gabriella Scarlatta** The University of Michigan-Dearborn

Keeping It in the Family: Dynastic Identities and Cultural Exchanges Between France, Lorraine and Tuscany, 1570-1670 Jonathan Spangler Manchester Metropolitan University

Gift-Exchanging, Networking and How the Infanta Francisca Josefa Maintained Her Influence at Court Margarida Póvoa University of Lisbon

#### Gift-Giving Between Europe and World-Wide

Powers Room | Q-801 Chair | Susan Conway

A 1555 German Gift Book to Queen Mary I Valerie Schutte\*\* Independent Scholar

"a snake stone ... presented her Maty ... from the King of Siam": Catherine of Braganza, Diplomatic Gifts, and Networks of Knowledge Susannah Lyon-Whaley University of Auckland

Gifts Diplomacy and Its Success in the Moroccan Court During the Reign of Sultan Moulay Ismail (1672-1727 AD) Fatima Rhorchi Royal Studies Network

# 17h00-17h15

Break

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# 17h15-18h15

# KEYNOTE

Claude de France dans la correspondance de Lucrèce Borgia : échanges et enjeux Room | C-102 Guy Le Thiec Université d'Aix-Marseille

Introduction Kathleen Wilson-Chevalier

#### 18h15

#### Wine Reception

The American University of Paris

# Day Three

# CHÂTEAUDUN

# 8h45

Departure of buses for Châteaudun

# 10h30

Réception à Châteaudun Visite du Château

### 12h15-13h15

Déjeuner dans la Salle Saint André

# 13h30-15h00

#### Claude de France: Political and Cultural Image

Chair | Deborah McGrady

Une reine des prunes Elisabeth Latrémolière Conservateur adjoint, Château de Blois

La politique de Claude de France Aubrée David-Chapy Université Paris-Sorbonne

Family Matters: Claude's Relations and the Marots

Cynthia J. Brown University of California Santa Barbara

# 15h00-15h30

Break

# 15h30-17h30

# Claude de France Inside and Outside the Realm

Chair | Jonathan Spangler

"Au commandement de la royne": Anne de Graville and Women's Literary Networks in the Entourage of Claude of France Elizabeth L'Estrange University of Birminghom

"Chief de feminine grace": Claude de France and Her Influence on Anne Boleyn Tracy Adams University of Auckland

Claude de France: The (In)Visibility of a Short-Lived Queen Kathleen Wilson-Chevalier The American University of Paris

# 17h15

#### Départ pour Tours

# 19h45

Dîner: Brasserie l'Univers

# The American University of Paris



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