

## **PROGRAMME**

	2 June				
9h-16h	Workshop Cultural History of Monarchy+				
14h30-17h	Registration				
	Anfiteatro II				
17h-18h	Opening session				
	Keynote conference: Ana Maria S.A. Rodrigues - Leonor de Lencastre (1458-1525): a paradigmatic queen				
18h	Wine reception (Garden)				

<sup>+</sup> Sessions closed to the public.

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	Anfiteatro III	B.112B	B.112C	B.112D	
9h-9h30		F	Reception		
9h30-11h	Session 1.1. Early Medieval Queenship	Session 1.2. Portugal Abroad: Power, Trade, and Alliance	Session 1.3. Blood and Discord: Royal Siblings and the Politics of Emotion	Session 1.4. Networks and Negotiations: Diplomacy across Courts and Empires	
	Chair: Ellie Woodacre	Chair: Armando Norte	Chair: Manuela Santos Silva	Chair: Ana Maria Rodrigues	
	Matthew Firth - 'The Family Strategies of Gunnhildr konungamóðir'.	João Alves - The Diplomatic Action of Infante D. João de Avis (1400-1442): in the Portuguese Kingdom and Beyond	Monteserrat Piera - Sibling Rivalries in the Medieval Crown of Aragon: Treason, Murder and Royal Cannibalization	Cinzia Recca - The Early Diplomatic Relations between the Kingdom of Naples and Russia through the Neapolitan embassy service of Ambassador Andrey Kirillovich Razumovsky 1779- 1784	
	Wang Yuanding - Empress Dowager Yuanyou (1073– 1131) and Her Role in the Jianyan Restoration (1127– 1130)	Francisco Teles da Gama - Portugal and Venice: A Diplomatic Alliance between 1374 and 1506	Cathleen Sarti - Family Conflict and Rival Court in Denmark. Frederik IV and his siblings Sophia Hedwig and Carl	Falko Schnicke - A Network of Diverse Actors: Leveraging Royal Diplomacy in British Cold War Strategies	
		Ricardo Santana - Royal Advisors and Their Influence on Portuguese Commerce during the Reigns of D. Afonso V and D. João II of Portugal (1438-1495)	Matilde Marques e Pedro Teixeira – 'And Let There be Mercy': New Interpretations of the Kinship Between John V and the Duke of Beja		
11h-11h30	Coffee Break				
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11h30-13h	Session 1.5. Royal Household, Gendered Spaces and Service	Session 1.6. Monarchy and Modernity I	Session 1.7. Performing Sovereignty: Gender, Image, and Legitimacy	Session 1.8. Royal Women as Agents of Power and Diplomacy across Medieval Realms	
	Chair: Sheila ffolliott	Chair: Maria Dávila	Chair: Cinzia Recca	Chair: Simon Doubleday	
	Ben James - Donas e Damas: Generational Service and the Creation of Royal Households	Alison J. Miller - Mass Media Diplomacy: Inventing the Visual Global Community of Royals in 1920's Japanese Magazines	Chandini Jaswal* - Insān-i Kāmil: The 'Perfect Woman' Of The Mughal Empire* Revisiting The Narrative of the Sufi Princess, Jahanara Begum	Fanny Madeline; Hélène Sirantoine - Empires: The Women's Share. Two Case Studies from High Medieval England and Iberia	

	Isabel de Pina Baleiras -	Brandy J. Jolliff Scott* - Soft	Alexander Ryland - The Curses	Carla Trincado Rodríguez -
	Portuguese Royal	Power Beyond the Queen: The	of an Angry Father: Royal	Royal Women as Territorial
	Households (XIV-XV	Soft Power Influence of the	Legitimacy and Masculinities in	Delegates in the Iberian
	Centuries): Interconnections	Crown Prince Couple on	the Visual Culture of the Glorious	Monarchies during the 11th and
	Between Nobles and the	Danish Foreign and Economic	Revolution of 1688	12th Centuries: a Case of Sub-
	Crown	Interests, 1994-2023		Queens?
	Bruno A. Martinho - The		Lisa Cruikshank - Unmasculine	Fatima Rhorchi - The Role of
	Queens' Palace: An Exercise		Kings and Queenly Behaviour:	Marinid Princesses in
	of Curatorial Practice on		The Links Between Gender and	Consolidating Diplomatic Bonds
	Gendered Spaces in an		Performance and Perceptions of	Between the Maghreb and the
	Iberian Court Residence		Royal Image.	Mashreq.
13h-14h30			Lunch	

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14h30- 16h	Session 1.9. Staging Queenship: Performance and Representation	Session 1.10 Monarchy and Modernity II	Session 1.11. Staging Power: Artistic and Dynastic Representations in Early Modern Courts	Session 1.12. Medieval Queenship I
	Chair: Ellie Woodacre	Chair: Fatima Rhorchi	Chair: Annemarie Jordan	Chair: Maria Dávila
	Sheila ffolliott - Mixed Messages in a Masque about the Portuguese Succession Performed at Catherine de' Medici's Parisian Hôtel in 1580	Jaime Selwood - How Shinto Creates a Controversial Legacy for Contemporary Japanese Emperorship	Jasmine Habcy - The "Supremely Mortified" Artist: Giovanni Lazzoni at the Gonzaga Court in Novellara (1665-1669)	Simon Doubleday - Towards a Biography of Queen Sancha
	Rachel Peacock - Fictional Representations of The Women and Influence of Queen Victoria's Court, 1839-1847	Benjamin Badier-Hodayé - "From the 'Alawi Dynasty to the Moroccan Royal Family: Colonization, Struggle for Independence, and Dynastic Reshaping in the 20th century"	Karin Schrader - Of Body Images and Role Models: The Visual Staging of Sophia Dorothea of Hanover as Crown Princess, Queen and 'Königsmutter' at the Prussian Court	Marta Redondo de Fuenmayor - Building Identity, Forging Networks: the case of Queen Juana Manuel de Villena (1339-1381)
	Julia Hamilton - Drawing Spatial and Decorative Connections Between the Stuart Queen Consorts (1603-1688)	Tamara Logar and Matej Vodopivec* - Bringing women to the Heart of Balkan Royal Politics: the Cases of Zorka of Montenegro (1864–1890), Maria of Romania (1900–1961) and Alexandra of Yugoslavia (1921–1993)	Ji Yi - Empress Dowager Chongqing as the Protagonist: Imperial Birthdays and Family Relations in Qing Court Paintings	Conor Byrne - 'Isabella of France and the Political Dynamics of Fourteenth-Century Queenship'
			Kateřina Pražáková - Elizabeth Stuart as Queen of Bohemia in the reports of agents and period newspapers	

16h- 16h30		Coffee Break				
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16h30- 18h	Session 1.13. Behind the Throne: Networks, Functionaries, and Courtly Order	Session 1.14. Monarchy in Transition: Voices, Roles, and Ends in the 19th Century	Session 1.15 Challenging Authority from Within	Session 1.16. Serving Queens and Raising Heirs: Women at Court		
	Chair: Maria Dávila	Chair: Ana Maria Rodrigues	Chair: Cathleen Sarti	Chair: Inês Olaia		
	Manuela Santos Silva - The King, His Wife, Their Children and Their "Entourages": Corporate Rulership in Medieval Iberian Monarchies	Gabrielle Fields - 'Devoid of Foundation': Lady Canning's Letters to Queen Victoria from India, 1857-8	Charlotte Vallis - "He Often Caused the Most Bitter Griefs to his Most August Aunt and Sovereign"Family Dynamics and Merit-based Succession: The Transferral of Power Under Elizabeth Petrovna, 1741-1761 and Catherine II, 1762-1796.	Jessica Hower* - "He was a Prince": Scholar-Courtiers and the Making of Monarchical History		
	Laura García Sánchez* - The King Moves, the Court Prepares. The Role of the Aposentadores de Caminos and Royal Visits to Barcelona in the Modern Era	Enzo Novello - Sisters of the Throne: The Role of D. Pedro Il's Sisters in the Brazilian Monarchy (1831–1845)	Amy-Jane Humphries* - The consequences of your husband's inexcusable conduct: Intergerational conflict within the Hanoverian Royal Family, 1714-1760	Valerie Schutte* - Herman Cruser, Queen Mary I, King Philip II, and Court Diplomacy		
	Marie Groult - The Orders of Chivalry: An Instrument of Power and Influence Within the Monarchical Courts.	Augusto Petter - The King is Dead, Long Live the King! The Mortality of Monarchy in the Late 19th Century	Margarida Póvoa - Clemency, Authority and Patronage. Or How Infanta Francisca (1699-1736) Challenged King João V (1689- 1750)	William B. Robison* - "God Give Me Strength": Tudor Royal Prayer on Film		

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9h30-11h	Session 2.1. Crisis, Control, and Continuity: Monarchies under Pressure (18th–19th Centuries)	Session 2.2. Reflections on female agency within the religious spheres of ancient Western Asian contexts	Session 2.3 Foreign Queens on the Polish Throne - Power and Diplomacy', during which we would present the Polish specificity of the queens	Session. 2.4. Gender, Objects, and Representation in Royal Lives	
	Chair: Maria Paula Lourenço	Chair: Maria Dávila	Chair: Charlotte Backerra	Chair: Inês Olaia	
	Riccardo Neri - In Defence of the Crown. The anti-Stuart Diplomatic and Espionage System of the British Hanoverian Monarchy	Maria de Fátima Rosa and Isabel Gomes de Almeida - Queenship on Heaven and Earth – Mesopotamian goddesses as cosmic rulers in Sumero-Akkadian traditions	Anna Czarniecka - Private Diplomacy of Dowager Queen Maria Kazimiera d'Arquien Sobieska in Rome (1699–1704)	Mário Soares Fatela - Pet Objects in Medieval Female Everyday Life	
	Joshua Green - Madness, Movements, and Monarchy in the Late 18 th and Early 19 th Centuries.	Vera Gonçalves - Each man has a seal, but each woman too: Feminine official and personal agencies in Mesopotamian cylinder seals.	Matylda Urjasz-Razcko - Bona Sforza of Aragon (1518-1557), between former Spain, Italy and the Polish- Lithuanian Commonwealth.	Lucía Belén Gómez - A Journey across Material Culture: Shaping the role of two late medieval Queen-Consorts of Aragon through their jewls and objects (15th century)	
	Joseph Puchner - Dynastic Security and the Politics of Succesion in Europe: The Bourbons and the Braganzas, 1840-1860	Ana Satiro - The 'Wise Woman' figure in Hittite Magical-Medical texts (14th–13th Century BCE)	Jaroslaw Pietrzak - Queen in Diplomacy – Maria Kazimiera d'Arquien Sobieska and her involvement in diplomatic activities between 1674 and 1696	Emily Averiss – "La Reine Noire": The Role of Dress in Catherine de Medici's Image	
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11h30-13h		Session 2.6 Queenship and Succession in Ancient Egypt	Session 2.7. « Visible or not, but by his side: An exploration of queenship and female agency in late medieval and early modern Aragon and France »	Session 2.8. Royal Women and the Politics of Diplomacy	
		Chair: Maria de Fátima Rosa	Chair: Elena Woodacre	Chair: Ana Maria Rodrigues	
		Mariana Isabel Machado - Queenship in ancient Egypt during the First Dynasty	Claire Ponsich - "In war and peace, by the side of the King of Aragon and not behind him: Yolande de Bar, a woman of action and influence".	Beatriz Breviglieri Oliveira -The anglo-french alliance during the last phase of the Hundred Years Wars: the case of Margaret of Anjou (1445-1453)	

		Joana Agostinho - Ankhesenamun and the Hittites: A Diplomatic Incident and the Reconfiguration of Egyptian Succession	Zita Rohr - "Spinning the spheres and bending the agenda: the public and private agencies of Yolande d'Aragon and her greatgranddaughter, Anne de France"	Elizabeth Norton - 'The Queen's Grace is Very Dangerous': Jane Seymour's Political Role as Consort to Henry VIII
				Matthieu Mensch - Marie- Antoinette of Habsbourg-Lorraine and Marie-Joséphine of Savoy, Turin vs Vienna. The war of the princesses: diplomacy and court life.
13h-14h30		Lunch		
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14h30 - 16h	Session 2.9. Pitch a project	Session 2.10. Medieval Queenship, Mobility, and Dynastic Strategy	Session 2.11. Serving Queens, Shaping Courts	Session 2.12. Heirs, Spares, and Dynastic Survival
	Chair: Manuela Santos Silva	Chair: Inês Olaia	Chair: Ana Maria Rodrigues	Chair: Cathleen Sarti
		Katerina Kiltzanidou* - Women in the Frankish Era: Exploring the Lives of Western Women in the Principality of Achaea	Pihla Pekonen - Claes Tott: From a Favourite of Queen Christina of Sweden to a Skilled Swedish Ambassador	Sarah Betts - Help or Hinderance in the "Family Firm"? Heirs and Spares in the Evolving Dynastic Image and Operation of the British Monarchy from the Stuarts to the Widsors
		Bruno M. Shirley – "Desiring His Own Dynasty": Rethinking Exogamy in Medieval Sri Lanka	Clémentine Garcenot - Working for the Royals: a female aristocrat memoirist's account of the French court's struggle	Cindy McCreery – "Sending the 'spare' not the 'heir': Prince Alfred and royal deployment"
			Pedro Urbano - Mirrors of the Queen? Public Image, Roles, and Power of the Portuguese Ambassadresses in the 19 th	Charlotte Backerra - Archduchess Maria Anna of Austria (1718–1744) as heir and spare of the Habsburg Dynasty
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16h30-18h		Session 2.14. Royal Sons and Dynastic Margins	Session 2.15 Advising the Crown	Session 2.16. Matrimonial Politics: Dynasties, Counsel, and Alliance
		Chair: Charlotte Backerra	Chair: Ana Maria Rodrigues	Chair: Patrik Pastrnak

Mitchell Perry - Prince Rupert of the Rhine: From Loyal Nephew to Outcast 'Uncle'	Agnese Strata - Advising the Prince in Fifteenth-Century Italy: Advisors between Polital Treatises and History	Marcos Marinho Fernandes* - To Marry or Not to Marry: Serving the Dynastic Interest (1490-1520)
Jakub Basista - The position of Royal Sons in the Polish- Lithuanian Commonwealth	Maria Dávila - Advising the King, Seeking Advantage: Royal Counsel in 15th- Century Portugal	Johanna Sinclair - Forestieri, Stranieri, and Étrangers: 'Foreignness' at the Marriage of Maria de Medici and Henri IV, 1600
	Murat Çayli - The Advisors of King Cahrles V of France: Their Actions and Role in Shaping Royal Policies	Cristina B. Martínez García - Marriage advice from Francis I, King of the Two Sicilies, to his daughter Maria Cristina de Bourbon (1829).

		5 June	
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9h30-11h	Session 3.1. Royal Expression and Emotional Authority in Medieval Europe	Session 3.2. Courtiers as Employees? Working Conditions in Early Modern Courts I (org. Marc W. S. Jaffré e Dries Raeymaekers)	Session 3.3. Education, Law, and Gender in Portuguese Political Culture
	Chair: Matthew Firth	Chair: Marc W. S. Jaffré	Chair: Manuela Santos Silva
	Pedro Sousa - "Singular or Plural: The Variant Pronouns in Isabel de Aragão (reg., 1282-1336) Chancellerie Documentation"	<b>Dries Raeymaekers</b> - Working Conditions at Court. A Short Introduction to the Topic	Vicente Martins - Royal Upbringing and Its Values: Exploring the Moral Guidelines in Alfonso X's Segunda Partida and D. Duarte's Leal Conselheiro
	Victoria Perrino - Chronicling Grief: The Queen as an Emotional Subject in Medieval Iberia (13th-15th Centuries)	<b>Robert Bucholz</b> - Life in the Service of the British Royal Household: a Mildly Quantitative Approach	<b>Armando Norte</b> - Ruling by Law, Leading by Example: Legal Books and Doctrinal Treatises in the Libraries of the Royal House of Avis.
	Patrik Pastrnak - Letters sweeter than wine and speech flowing like a fountain. Affective Strategies in Diplomatic Tools of Beatrice of Aragon and Other Royal Women of Hungary and Bohemia	Nicola Clark* - Continuity and Change: Ladies-in-waiting at the Tudor Court, c. 1509- 1547	<b>Beatriz Linberger</b> - Power is a female word: a political read of "Aventuras de Diófanes" by Teresa Margarida da Silva Orta
11h-11h30	5	Coffee Break	
11h30-13h	Session 3.4. Dynastic Struggles and Political Agency after the Portuguese Restoration	Session 3.5. Courtiers as Employees? Working Conditions in Early Modern Courts II (org. Marc W. S. Jaffré e Dries Raeymaekers)	Session 3.6. Sebastian of Portugal. The Fashioning of a Renaissance Prince and King
	Chair: Ana Maria Rodrigues	Chair: Dries Raeymaekers	Chair: Sheila ffolliott
	Maria Paula Lourenço - The lengthy 'labours' of a mother and widowed queen: the regency of D. Luísa de Gusmão (1656-1662)	Marc Jaffré - Strikes, Protests, and Petitions: Working Conditions and Redress at Louis XIII's Court, 1610–1643	Hugo Miguel Crespo - Gifts from Bellona: Catherine and Juana of Austria in the fashioning of King Sebastião I as Miles Christi
	Anna Działak-Szubińska - The "Martyrised Infant" and the writer: António de Sousa de Sousa de Macedo on and for D. Duarte	Cordula Bauer - How to Run a Court with Empty Pockets? Outstanding Salaries of Court Servants and the Evolution of a Debt Market (Bavaria, 18th century)	Annemarie Jordan - The Apple of Her Eye. Sebastian of Portugal and Juana of Austria, Constructing Royal Identities
	André Teixeira - Behind the king, his brother. Prince Pedro as the second option to Afonso VI of Portugal (1643-1683)	<b>Fabian Persson</b> - Rewarding Staying Power: Usefulness, Uselessness, and Service at the Swedish Court	Nuno Vila-Santa - Attempting to Rule from Spain? A close reading of Juana of Austria's minutas and her role in Portuguese politics during King Sebastião's reign (1554-1573)
13h-14h30		Lunch	
14h30 - 16h	Session 3.7 Catherine of Braganza: Image, Agency, Faith	Session 3.8. Courtiers as Employees? Working Conditions in Early Modern Courts III	Session 3.9. Constructing Tudor Monarchs in text and prayer

	Chair: Anna Działak-Szubińska	Chair: Dries Raeymaekers	Chair: <b>Zita Rohr</b>
	Chelsea Reutcke - The Catholic Patroness of Protestant Britain: Caherine of Braganza's Support for Popish Printing	Oskar Rojewski – Miserable or Distinguished Court Painter? Michel Sittow's Income in the Kingdom of Castile (1492-1502)	Inês Olaia - "In the queens' service: ladies, family ties and courtly offices"
	Eilish Gregory - Political Pawn or Political Player? Queen Catherine of Braganza and her Agency in Restoration Britain, 1662-1692	Christian Standhartinger - Midwives at the Imperial Court (1650–1700). Archival Traces of Origins, Recruitment, Salaries and Social Status in Court Society	Amy Burcher - "Whose cradelll sawe I rockte": Margery Parker and careers born in the royal nursery
	Maria da Conceição Emiliano Castel- Branco - A Queen Coming from Far: Catherine of Braganza in English Restoration Poetry at the Cross roads of Anglo-Portuguese and Queenship Studies		Oksana Grigoreva; Nikita Pliusnin* - Royal Nannies of Heirs to the Throne and Dispersed Motherhood of Queens Regnant: Stories of "Extra Moms" for Elder Sons of Elizabeth II, Margrethe II and Beatrix
16h-16h30		Coffee Break	. 9
16h30-18h	Session 3.10. Public Rituals and Political Image-Making in European Monarchies	Session 3.11. The Politics of Queenship	Session 3.12. Rulers, Strategy, and Statecraft in the 16th Century
	Chair: Inês Olaia	Chair: Ellie Woodacre	Chair: Monteserrat Piera
	Sara Torres - Peace ans its Discontents: Lancastrian Patronage and Public Performance During the Hundred Years War	Natalee Garrett - Queen in All but Name: The Personal and Public Lives of Augusta, Princess of Wales (1719-1772)	<b>Dominika Adamcová</b> - Communicational Strategies of Ferdinand II of Aragon
	Mirko Suzarte Skarica* - Female Entourages and Ceremonials in the Habsburg Court: The depiction of royal women in 17th Century Spanish News Pamphlets	Lily Feinstein - "Had there beeen no Queen, there would be no revolution": Gender, Marie Antoinette, and the Politics of Early Modern Queenship	<b>Teoni Passereau</b> - The Untold Story of Francis I's Desire to Control Diplomatic Events during Henry VIII's Great Matter, 1528-1536
	Milton Pacheco - Waiting for the King's visit: The official reception of D. Filipe I by the Dukes of Braganza at the Palace of Vila Viçosa during the Royal Journey of Succession to Portugal	Lisa Castro - The Political Role of a Queen Consort Josephine of Sweden and Norway During the Last Years of Oscar I's Reingn in the late 1850's	Zoltán Ujj - Archduke Maximilian and the Dynastic Politics of the Habsburgs in the mid- 16th century
18h	_	Closing Remarks : Ellie Woodacre	

Conference dinner – 19h

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6 June	
Guided tour of Óbidos and Caldas da Rainha	