



Mod News...

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Upcoming Events/Guest Lectures

Annual Christmas Potluck Party
 Wed., Dec. 9th, 2015, 11:30-1:30 p.m.
 AHB Library Reception Room 2G30

The 18th Graduate Student Conference (CL, HS and CSTC), March 10-12, 2016
"No-Fly Zones and Molotov Cocktails"
 examines minoritarian literatures, languages, and theories as well as non-traditional approaches to the study of the Arts and Humanities, which resist standardized or dominant models and create new lines of flight. For more information visit:

<https://uwo18mllconference.wordpress.com/> or
 Facebook:
<https://www.facebook.com/uwo18mllconference/posts/1485996901728755>

CL Literature Research Forums (Fall 2014):
 Wed., Dec. 2, 2015, 11:30-12:30, AHB 3B15
Christian Ylagan, "From Here to Queer: Rocks, Cocks, and the Postcolonial Vox in Carlo Vergara's *Zsa Zsa Zaturrah*".

Transatlantic Studies Seminar Speakers
 Fri., Dec. 4, 2015, 3:00-5:00 pm, AHB 3B15
Dr. Marya Green-Mercado, Assistant Professor of Mediterranean Studies, Department of Romance Languages and Literatures (RLL), University of Michigan. "Ottoman Rome: Prophecy and Morisco Agency in the Early Modern Mediterranean".

Conversation Groups

Arabic: Wednesdays, 6:00-8:00, AHB 3R19
 contact: [Yahya Kharrat](#)
Stammtisch (German): Mondays, 12:30-1:30 pm, SH 3350, contact: [Angela Borchert](#)

Conversation Groups (cont'd)

Club di Conversazione (Italian):
 Wednesdays 2:30-4:00 pm, AHB 3R19
 contact: [Teresa Aconito](#)
La Tertulia (Spanish)
 Sept. 16-Dec. 9, 2015, Wednesdays, 4:30-9:30 pm, TC 201, contact [La Tertulia](#) or visit their [facebook page](#).

Film Series

English subtitles. Everyone is welcome
Hindi: Bollywood Nights:
 Thurs., Dec. 3., 2015, 6:30 pm, AHB 1B08
 "Sholay, 1975 (Embers or Flames)"
Italiano: Italian Popular Films
 Wed., Dec. 2, 2015, 7:00 pm, AHB 3B15
 "Suspiria" (Deep Red), Dario Argento, 1977
Spanish: Cineclub Hispano
 Tues., Dec. 1, 2015, 6:00 pm, HSB 11
 "Lista De Espera"

Publications

Egil the Viking Poet: New Approaches to Egil's Saga. Eds. **Laurence de Looze**, Jón Karl Helgason, Russell Poole and Torfi H. Tulinius. Toronto: University of Toronto Press, 2015.

Laurence de Looze "The Concept of the Self in *Egil's Saga*: A Ricoeurian Approach." *Egil the Viking Poet: New Approaches to Egil's Saga*. Eds. Laurence de Looze, Jón Karl Helgason, Russell Poole and Torfi H. Tulinius. Toronto: University of Toronto Press, 2015. 57-74.

Congratulations

Congratulations to **Silvia Perpinan** and **Victoria Wolff** who have been promoted to Associate Professor with tenure.

Congratulations to **Andrea Privitera** who was featured in the Nov. 12, 2015/Vol. 51, No. 30 issue of Western News. The article was entitled "Making a Blockbuster out of the Renaissance".

Congratulations to **Sébastien Ruffo** whose *Shared Ongoing French Second Language Assessment (SOFL2A)* project was granted a special \$20,000\$ internal funding from the Office of the Provost (Western), for hosting this *Ontario Online Initiative* module on the ITS network over the next 5 years.

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