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ספרות והיסטוריה: מבט מהשוליים



**בימים שני-שלישי,
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בבית האקדמיה, כיכר אלברט איינשטיין
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The Israel Academy of Sciences and Humanities and the
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take pleasure in inviting you to a bi-national seminar in the humanities



Literature and History: A Look from the Margins



Monday-Tuesday, 12-13 December 2016

at the Academy,
Albert Einstein Square, 43 Jabotinsky Street, Jerusalem

Monday, 12 December 2016

08:30 **Gathering**

09:15-09:30 **Greetings and Opening Remarks**

Nili Cohen, President of the Israel Academy of Sciences and Humanities

Irving Abella, President of the Academy of the Arts and Humanities, Royal Society of Canada

Jeremy McNeil, Foreign Secretary of the Royal Society of Canada

09:30-11:15 **Digital Humanities**

Chair: Yoav Rinon, Hebrew University of Jerusalem

Sinai Rusinek, Tel Aviv University

Reading, Nevertheless: Thoughts on Hermeneutics for the Digital Humanities

Zef Segal, Hebrew University of Jerusalem and the Open University

The Changing Definition of Primary Sources in Digital History

Kevin Kee, University of Ottawa

History, Literature, and Scholarship for the Digital Age

11:15-11:30 **Coffee Break**

11:30-13:10 **Narrative and/of Violence**

Chair: Yael Levin, Hebrew University of Jerusalem

Naphtali Meshel, Hebrew University of Jerusalem

Gained Upon Arrival: History and Narrative in the Parable of the Two Runners

Cynthia Milton, Université de Montréal

Art from Fractured Pasts: Artistic Representations as Historical Truths in the Aftermath of Violence

13:10-14:30 **Lunch**

14:30-16:45 **Matters of Gender**

Chair: Daniel Woolf, Queen's University at Kingston

Hamutal Tsamir, Ben Gurion University of the Negev

Beyond Nationalism and Patriarchy? Gendering Literary History

Carole Gerson, Simon Fraser University

Is There a Canadian Uncle Tom's Cabin? Canadian Women Writers and Social Change

Kathryn Carter, Wilfrid Laurier University

Maps of Affection in Women's Unpublished 19th-Century Canadian Diaries

16:45-17:15 **Coffee Break**

17:15 **Keynote Lecture**

Chair: Yosef Kaplan, Hebrew University of Jerusalem

Margalit Finkelberg, Tel Aviv University

Neither Literature nor History: Homer and Vergil as Foundational Texts

Reception following the lecture

Tuesday, 13 December 2016

08:30-09:00 **Gathering**

09:00-10:40 **The Telling of the Tale**

Chair: Moshe Sluhovsky, Hebrew University of Jerusalem

Jocelyn Letourneau, Université Laval

Youth Telling their Nation's Past: Inside the Templates of History and Memory

Dani Schrire, Hebrew University of Jerusalem

The Communicabilities of Folklore and the Literature-History Divide

10:40-11:00 **Coffee Break**

11:00-12:40 **Narrating Testimonies**

Chair: Cynthia Milton, Université de Montréal

Leona Toker, Hebrew University of Jerusalem

The Sample Convention, or, When Fictionalized Narratives Can Double as Historical Testimony

Irving Abella, York University

Exploding a Canadian Myth: the Writing of None Is Too Many and Its Impact on Canada

12:40 -13:50 **Lunch**

13:50-15:30 **Pre-Modern**

Chair: Carole Gerson, Simon Fraser University

Jonathan Stavsky, Tel Aviv University

Chaucer's Fabulous and Unfabulous Histories: A Semantic Approach

Daniel Woolf, Queen's University at Kingston

Beating the Genre Bounds: Some Thoughts on Literature and History in Early Modern England

15:30-16:00 **Coffee Break**

16:00-17:00 **Keynote Lecture**

Chair: Irving Abella, York University

Chad Gaffield, University of Ottawa

Re-uniting Words and Numbers in the Digital Age: The Example of Canada's Historic Official Language Dualism

17:00-17:30 **Summations**

This seminar was organized by an Academic Program Committee comprised of Kevin Kee, Yoav Rinon and Moshe Sluhovsky.

The seminar sessions and Keynote Lectures are open to the public.

On-street parking is available in the vicinity of the Academy.

Please confirm participation to Cochi: cochi@academy.ac.il or 02-5676240