

HARLAXTON ONLINE MEDIEVAL ZOOMPOSIUM

2021

MEDIEVAL TRAVEL

Monday, 26 July – Friday, 30 July 2021



Guests arriving at an inn

(British Library, Royal MS 19 C XI, fol. 37, 1400 x 1450. BL image in the public domain.)

PROVISIONAL TIMETABLE OF SESSIONS, SPEAKERS, AND EVENTS

NOTE: TIMES BELOW ARE BRITISH SUMMER TIME (GMT+1)

Monday, 26 July:

2.30 – 4.00 PM Session 1A Travel Writing

Welcome: Martha Carlin

Martha Driver: Mandeville in the Twenty-First Century

Nicholas Orme: William Worcester: Traveller and Collector

5.00 – 6.30 PM Session 1B Images and Travel

Lynda Dennison: Travelling Artists and Travelling Books

Nicholas Rogers: Visual Souvenirs of the Emperor Sigismund's Visit to England in 1416

8.00 – 9.30 PM Session 1C Pamela Tudor-Craig Memorial Lecture

Julia Boffey: Richard Arnold's Book

Tuesday, 27 July:

2.30 – 4.00 PM Session 2A Maps

Alfred Hiatt: Maps and Travel

David Harrison: A Road Map of Medieval England

5.00 – 6.30 PM Session 2B Sources for Travel (panel)

Robert Swanson: Visitation and Church Court Records

Joel Rosenthal: Proofs of Age

Joanna Mattingly: Churchwardens' Accounts

David Harrap: Travel Coffers

Anthony Gross: Three Travel Objects

8.00 – 9.30 PM Session 2C Student posters I

Wednesday, 28 July:

2.30 – 4.00 PM Session 3A Inns

Martha Carlin: Inns, Horses, and Stabling

Laura Wright: Inn Clusters in London in the Fifteenth Century

5.00 – 6.30 PM Session 3B Entertainment and Travel

Simon Polson: Travelling Minstrels

Alexandra Johnston: Travelling Entertainers and Their Patrons: York, 1446-9

8.00 – 9.30 PM Session 3C Student posters II

Thursday, 29 July:

2.30 – 4.00 PM Session 4A Travel and the Body

Carole Rawcliffe: 'Do not stop at Famagusta': Travel and Health in the Later Middle Ages

Kelcey Wilson-Lee: Travel and Childbirth

5.00 – 6.30 PM Session 4B Women Travellers

Anthony Bale: Margery Kempe and the Female Traveller in the Later Middle Ages

Bart Lambert and Josh Ravenhill: Travelled Women in the Capital: Opportunities for Immigrant Women in
London during the Later Middle Ages

8.00 – 9.30 PM Session 4C Poster Judging & Book Launch

Judging of student posters

Launch of Harlaxton Medieval Symposia volume(s)

Friday, 30 July:

2:30 – 4:00 PM Session 5A Travel Wonders

Alan Thacker: Travels of St Wulfram

Shayne Legassie: Botanical Wonder and Medieval Travel

5:00 – 6:30 PM Session 5B Travel and the Exotic

Melanie Taylor: In Search of the Exotic: Visual Evidence of Knowledge and Trade in Simians, Birds, and
Wingless Dragons

Kate Franklin: From Marvels to Motels: Imagined and Infrastructural Worlds of the Silk Road Travel

Final words: Caroline Barron