Experiencing the Middle Ages in the Post-Medieval World

7 October 2017
Wolfson Conference Suite
Institute of Historical Research
WC1E 7HU
09:30am  Registration & Refreshments
(Outside Wolfson Room I, IHR)

09:45am  Welcome

Chair: TBC

09:50am  Session 1
Buildings and Towns

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Medievalism after a war: rebuildings in religious architecture during the 20th century in Spain and Europe. Links and Differences
Noelia Fernández García (University of Oviedo)

Searching for a ‘national style’: perceptions of Portuguese medieval architecture between 1890 and 1926
Pedro Martins (Universidade Nova de Lisboa)

Medievalism and the modern city: civic identity and the medieval past in 18th-century Britain
Andrew Wells (University of Gottingen)

11:20am  Break (Wolfson Room II)

11:30am  Session 2
Nation-Building and Nationalisms

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Discourses of nation-building and state-building in Russia, east-central Europe and the Balkan countries: why is it necessary to Mobilize the Middle Ages?
Alexander Filushkin (St Petersburg State University) & Svetlana Smirnov (St Petersburg State University)

Medieval studies and nineteenth-century politics; Edward A. Freeman, the Byzantine Empire and philhellenism
Pandeleimon Hionidis (TBC)

Patriotic medievalism and the historical school of law in nineteenth-century Germany
Carla Heelan (Harvard University)

1:10pm  Lunch (Wolfson Room II)
1:45pm
Session 3

Remembering the Middle Ages

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Judged in each other’s light: past and present in postmodern Iberian fiction
**Ana Rita Gonçalves Soares** (Complutense University of Madrid)

Exhibiting medieval alterity in modern Germany: the exhibition *Ex Oriente*
**William Diebold** (Reed College)

A Renaissance queering of medieval texts
**Rose Hadshar** (Independent researcher)

3:15pm
Break (Wolfson Room II)

3:30pm

Keynote lecture

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**Sarah Salih** (King’s College London)

4:30pm

Discussion

5:00pm

Conference Ends

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