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# Experiencing the Middle Ages in the Post-Medieval World

**7 October 2017**

Wolfson Conference Suite  
Institute of Historical Research  
WC1E 7HU

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**09:30am**

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**09:45am**

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**09:50am**

**Session 1**

*Buildings and Towns*

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**11:20am**

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**11:30am**

**Session 2**

*Nation-Building and  
Nationalisms*

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**1:10pm**

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**Registration & Refreshments**

(Outside Wolfson Room I, IHR)

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**Welcome**

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**Chair:** TBC

*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)

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**Break** (Wolfson Room II)

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**Chair:** TBC

*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)

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**Lunch** (Wolfson Room II)

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**1:45pm**

**Session 3**

*Remembering the Middle Ages*

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**Chair:** TBC

*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)

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**3:15pm**

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**Break** (Wolfson Room II)

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**3:30pm**

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**Keynote lecture**

**Chair:** TBC

*Title TBC*

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

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**4:30pm**

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**Discussion**

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**5:00pm**

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Conference Ends

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Wi-Fi information

**Saturday 7 October 2017**

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