

ENVIRONMENT AND IDENTITY CONFERENCE

20th-21st July 2011

Pendennis Castle, Falmouth, Cornwall

PROVISIONAL PROGRAMME

20th JULY

9-9.50: Registration and coffee

9.50-10: Introduction

LANDSCAPES AND COMMUNITIES

10-10.30: PLENARY: Kenneth Olwig (Swedish University of Agricultural Sciences)
**The Masque of Blackness: An Early Modern Watershed For Present Day British
Environmental/Landscape Identity**

10.30-11.30: PANEL 1: LANDSCAPE AND IDENTITY

Tom Williamson (UEA)

**'Choice' and the Environment: making medieval landscapes in
Northamptonshire and beyond.**

Steve Rippon (Exeter)

Champion and woodland: medieval landscape and society in South West England

Della Hooke

Landscape, identity and folk legends

11.30-11.45: Q&A

10.30-11.30: PANEL 2: TERRITORIES

Nick Groom (Exeter)

Authenticity and the Archipelago: A Case of Highland Forgery

Jos Smith (Exeter)

**Archipelagic Literature in the 21st Century: Reframing the Question of "the New
Nature Writing"**

Jo Esra (Exeter)

**Mapping Unsettlement: Seventeenth-century Turkish Piracy and the
Newfoundland Fisheries**

11.30-11.45: Q&A

11.45-12: coffee

12.00-1.00: PLENARY: FILM SHOW

Simon Naylor (Exeter) and Shaun Pimlott (Independent film maker)

Introductory comments and film: *Stella Turk – A Life in Natural History*

1.00-2.00: LUNCH

2.00-3.00:

PANEL 3: CONTEST, PERCEPTION AND MEMORY

David Borthwick (Glasgow)

Submerged History and the ‘Secular Sacred’ in Work by Burnside, Hadfield, Jamie and Oswald.

Nicola Whyte (Exeter)

Landscape and memory in the early modern period

Rob Liddiard (UEA)

Perceptions of Second World War Anti-Invasion Landscapes

Mark Stoye (Southampton)

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3.00-3.15: Q&A

2.00-3.00: PANEL 4: PLACE, POLICY AND LOCAL IDENTITIES

Christophe Rynkiewicz (Sussex)

Does identity play a role in implementing sustainable energy policies and smart grids in islands communities ?

Elizabeth Adey, Robin Shail and Frances Wall (CSM)

Current and former mining communities: exploring case studies from Russia and Europe. Why do some communities have strong ties with their mining heritage whilst others don't?

Joanie Willett (Exeter)

New towns, politics and place

3.00-3.15: Q&A

CLIMATES

3.15-3.45: PLENARY: Matthew Johnson and Penny Copeland (Southampton)

Early Modern Housing and the Little Ice Age

3.45-4: TEA

4-5.00: PANEL 1: NARRATIVES AND COMMUNITIES

Lucy Burnett (Salford)

***Wicked*: a creative exploration of the impact of climate change on narratives of personal identity**

Tom Dawson (St Andrews)

Community engagement with the eroding archaeology of Scotland's coast

Mike Wilson, Francesca Booker and Sarah Chapman (Falmouth)

Digital Storytelling as a tool for exploring human-environmental relationships

5-5.15: Q&A

4-5.00: PANEL 2: RHETORIC AND FICTION

Matthew Griffiths (Durham)

Beyond the Elegy: Climate Change and Poetic Mode

Adam Trexler (Exeter)

Climactic Things: Identity in Clive Cussler's Arctic Drift

5-5.15: Q&A

7.30 pm: Conference Dinner at The Greenbank Hotel, Falmouth

21st JULY

9.30-10: Coffee/Registration

RESOURCES

10-10.30: PLENARY: Michael Winter (Exeter)

The New Politics of Food Security: A Return to Dig for Victory?

10.30-11.30: PANEL 1 - FOOD AND DEARTH

Julie Sanders (Nottingham)

Food security in the 1630s (Theatrical) Forest

Ayesha Mukherjee (Exeter)

Remedying famine in England and India: two literary case studies

Nigel Poole (SOAS)

Food security in developing countries

11.30-11.45: Q&A

10.30-11.30: PANEL 2: POLICY AND RESPONSIBILITY

Patrick Devine Wright (Exeter)

Place, identity and 'NIMBYism': crossing disciplinary boundaries to understand public responses to energy technologies

Susan Banducci and Duncan Russel (Exeter)

Gender, Identity, Attribution: Responsibility for Climate Change in the European Union

Adeline Johns Putra (Exeter)

Climate Change as Apocalypse: The Eternal, the Everyday, and the Event

11.30-11.45: Q&A

11.45-12: COFFEE

12-1.00: PANEL 3: WASTE: POLITICS AND MEANINGS

Tim Cooper (Exeter)

Waste exposure, risk and political consciousness

Angus Vine (Sussex)

Waste blanks and vacant leaves: the recycling of paper in early modern England

Felicity Stout (Sheffield)

"No wood, no kingdome": natural resources, waste and the politics of commonwealth in late Elizabethan and early Stuart England

1-1.15: Q&A

12-1.00: PANEL 4: POLLUTION AND CONSERVANCY

Mark Hailwood (Warwick/Exeter)

**'A greate complaint of Bastardies, sheep-stealers, hedgbreakers and the like':
Alehouse-goers as a threat to sustainability in seventeenth-century England**

Daisy Hildyard (QMUL)

The Royal Society and atmospheric air, 1658-1702

Jemima Matthews (Nottingham)

Conservancy and the early modern Thames

1-1.15: Q&A

1.15-2.15: Lunch

2.15-3.30: PLENARY: GLOBAL NARRATIVES: SUSTAINABILITY, STATE AND PROTEST

Richard Maber (Durham)

Sustainability and reciprocity in nature and the state: early modern French perspectives

Jonathan Finch (York)

**A Global Landscape? Ownership, sustainability, and landscape change in the UK
and Caribbean**

Vinita Damodaran (Sussex)

**Violent Environments, identity and protest in the landscape of Eastern India
1947-2006**

3.30-3.45: Q&A

3.45-4: TEA

4.4.30: PLENARY: DISCUSSION SESSION

Chaired by Graham Fairclough (English Heritage)

Social Narratives of Sustainability